

**CITY OF LONG BEACH  
CITIZENS' ADVISORY  
COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES  
AGENDA**

**THURSDAY, JULY 8, 2021  
TELECONFERENCE, 1:00 PM**

Nubia Flores, Chair  
Stephen Adams, Vice Chair  
Kim Vuong, Secretary



Victor A. Garate, Member  
Jeremy Hill, Member  
Chris Karadjov, Member  
Jennifer Kumiyama, Member  
Gretchen Swanson, Member

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**TELECONFERENCE VIA WEBEX**

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**CALL TO ORDER**

**ROLL CALL**

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

Members of the public are invited at this time to address CACoD on items listed in the agenda below and matters of public business not listed on the agenda, but within the subject matter jurisdiction. Please limit remarks to 3 minutes.

**GUEST SPEAKER**

Please join us for our special guest speaker this month, Long Beach Councilwoman Mary Zendejas, Council District 1. Councilwoman Zendejas is the first Latina wheelchair user to be elected to office in the nation and uses her platform to advocate for accessibility and inclusion for everyone.

**APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES**

1. [21-038CA](#) Recommendation to approve minutes from the June 10, 2021 meeting of the Citizen's Advisory Commission on Disabilities.

**Suggested Action:** Approve recommendation.

**Attachments:** [CACoD Minutes.June 10 2021.pdf](#)

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**STANDING COMMITTEES AND AD-HOC REPORTS**

2. [21-041CA](#) Recommendation to receive and file monthly report from the Accessibility, Transportation and Services standing committee.

**Suggested Action:** Approve recommendation.

**Attachments:** [ATS Report.July 2021.pdf](#)

3. [21-042CA](#) Recommendation to receive and file monthly report from the Youth, Employment & Programs standing committee.

**Suggested Action:** Approve recommendation.

**Attachments:** [YEP Report.July 2021.pdf](#)

4. [21-043CA](#) Recommendation to receive and file report from the Disability History Day 2021 Event ad-hoc committee.

**Suggested Action:** Approve recommendation.

5. [21-045CA](#) Recommendation to receive and file report from the DEAM 2021 ad-hoc committee.

**Suggested Action:** Approve recommendation.

**REGULAR AGENDA**

6. [21-046CA](#) Recommendation for the Citizen's Advisory Commission on Disabilities to start meeting in-person again in the Long Beach Civic Chamber the 2nd Thursday of the month beginning with the August 12, 2021 meeting.

**Suggested Action:** Approve recommendation.

7. [21-047CA](#) Recommendation to continue discussions around the Transportation Resource Fair that the Accessibility, Transportation & Services standing committee has proposed for November 2021.

**Suggested Action:** Approve recommendation.

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8. [21-048CA](#) Recommendation to elect a new secretary, vice chair and chair for the 2021-2022 Citizen's Advisory Commission on Disabilities.

**Suggested Action:** Approve recommendation.

9. [21-049CA](#) Recommendation to receive and file information about the Better Care Better Jobs Act and decide if there is a recommendation that can be made for support to the mayor, city council and city manager.

<https://thearc.org/better-care-better-jobs-act-huge-investment-disability-services/>

**Suggested Action:** Approve recommendation.

10. [21-050CA](#) Recommendation to receive and file information on Assembly Bill 905 and decide if there is a recommendation for support that can be made to mayor, city council and city manager.

**Suggested Action:** Approve recommendation.

**Attachments:** [AB905 2021.pdf](#)

#### STAFF REPORT

#### AGENCY REPORTS

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CLOSING REMARKS

#### FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

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**ADJOURNMENT**

I, Heather Van Wijk, Citywide Accessibility Coordinator, certify that the agenda was posted not less than 72 hours prior to the meeting.

\_Heather Van Wijk (electronically signed) \_\_\_\_\_

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