**DAC Activities and Accomplishments 2021** (DRAFT)

***Disability Advisory Commission***

1. Provided detailed recommendations to the Human Services Coordinating Council, Chiefs of Staff and the Department of Health Services and the Department of General Services regarding access barriers in the County’s Covid-19 community-based testing and vaccination sites and service delivery.
2. Recommended that the Department of Health Services establish a mobile Covid-19 testing/vaccination program for residents who are homebound.
3. Evaluated accessible voting machines and made recommendations for improvements in accessibility and usability by people with disabilities.

4. Provided input regarding the needs of people with Disabilities and Access and Functional Needs (DAFN) in the Sacramento County Evacuation Plan, Mass Care & Shelter Plan, Transportation Annex, and Recovery Plan

5. Gave input to the Department of Human Assistance to enhance accessibility in delivery of Homeless Services.

6. Monitored, recommended priorities and provided detailed recommendations on the implementation of the ADA Self Evaluation Report Findings and Recommendations, including evaluating public processes for accessibility.

7. Provided written recommendations to the Human Services Coordinating Council (HSCC) identifying community needs and budget priorities for the FY 2022-23 Sacramento County Budget.

8. Gave input on the Housing Element of the Sacramento County General Plan.

9. Participated in training sessions on the Americans with Disabilities Act titles I and II, understanding the ADA Self Evaluation and Transition Plan, Brown Act open and accessible meeting requirements, DAC By-Laws and effective meeting strategies.

10. Recommended projects for potential grant applications to the Disability Compliance Office.

11. Increased membership, adding 5 new members of diverse backgrounds and experiences.

***Physical Access Subcommittee***

1. Recommended to the Sacramento County Disability Compliance Office and the Department of General Services criteria to be used in the assessment and preparation of reports on the 13 COVID-19 testing sites in Sacramento County.

1. Recommended that all ADA assessment reports be kept in a centralized database to ensure accessibility for future uses by all county departments.

1. Dept. of Transportation and General Services reports

1. Active Transportation Plan

1. Re-envision West Arden Arcade

1. Arden Complete Streets

1. Empowerment Park

1. Gibson Ranch Sensory Trail

***Programs & Services Access Subcommittee***

1. County Employment

1. ADA Assistance and Grievance Procedure

1. Accessible Public Meetings