SACRAMENTO COUNTY DISABILITY ADVISORY COMMISSION (DAC) PROGRAMS & SERVICES ACCESS SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES for September 11, 2021

Members Present: Carol Moss, Chair; Bill Fallai, Patty Gainer, Randy Hicks, Gene Lozano,

LaTasha Richardson, Gwen Wilson

Members Absent: Angela Talent, Jeff Tardaguila

Guests: Mahavir Kallirai, DAC Applicant

Staff: Cori Stillson and Cheryl Bennett, Disability Compliance Office (DCO)

Call to Order and Introductions

The Chair called the meeting to order and those present introduced themselves.

Approval of the Minutes

The August meeting minutes were approved as submitted.

Public Comment

There were no public comments.

Consider Elements of an Effective Accessible Public Meeting Procedure Document

Members reviewed findings and recommendations from the ADA Self Evaluation Report as well as some guidance documents from the US Dept. of Justice, CA Department of Rehabilitation, and the city of San Francisco. Members discussed and shared experiences with commonly encountered barriers in public meeting spaces. There are many components of creating accessible meetings and after a robust debate, the topic of accessible document formats was selected.

Unfinished/New Business, Announcements

There was no unfinished or new business. Members made announcements of interest to the disability community.

Proposed Topics for Next Agenda

The Subcommittee will consider a work plan for the coming year and discuss contributions to the DAC annual report.

Adjournment

It was moved and seconded (Hicks/Fallai) to adjourn the meeting. Approved, unanimously.