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**COMMUNITY SUPPORTS COMMITTEE MEETING**

**Monday, May 13, 2019**

**12:45-2:00 p.m.**

**1010 Richards Street, Room 111 A&B, Honolulu**

**MINUTES**

PRESENT: Sol Ray Duncan (DDC- Self-Advocate, Co-Chair) and Michelle Muralt (DDC-Self Advocate).

ABSENT: Barbara Poole Street (Fuller Lives), Debbie Jackson (Disability Communication Access Board), Philip Ana (DDC-Executive Office on Aging (Older Americans Act, Co-Chair), Lisa Maetani (Going Home Plus) and Liza Yogi (Parent, DD Council), Kevin Bardsley-Marcial (DDC-Non-Profit Organizations), Mary Brogan (DDC-DOH State Agency), Norma Kop (DOH DD Division-Housing & Employment Unit), Evan Murakami, Ryan Palacio, Timothy Renken and Bathey Fong(DDC/Self-Advocates Advisory Council members)

STAFF: Zosimo Arista, Jr.

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Mr. Duncan called the meeting to order at 12:46 p.m.

**II. INTRODUCTIONS**

Everyone introduced themselves.

**III. STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

There were no statements from the public.

**IV. CONSENT ITEMS**

A. Minutes of the March 11, 2019 Meeting

The Committee members were able to review minutes. No comments on the meeting minutes.

B. Agenda

The Committee approved the agenda as distributed.

**V. REPORTS**

A. Co-Chairs – No reports

**VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

A. DD Council State Plan FY 2017-2021

Staff to continue to follow up on the creation of a satisfaction survey of the residential settings of adults with DD. There will be voting for 3 vacant co-chair seats.

B. DD Council Two-Year Work Plan

Staff needs to update the plan for 2019-2021. Residential options continue to remain a concern.

C. Hawaii Housing Options for Individuals with Disabilities

Discussion with Jim Kilgore, Kona’s Full Life program, indicated that there are not enough residential options on Hawaii Island. In Kona, there is only one Residential habilitation home for persons with ID/DD. In Hilo there are only 6 Residential habilitation homes. None of the residential homes are able to meet persons with higher medical needs. On the whole island, there are needs for homes for not only ID/DD persons, but also for parents who are getting older, medically fragile persons who need homes, and all are vying for the same residential supports. There is a desperate need for more residential home options in Kona. At the current time, most are living at home with family who are not well-equipped to care for their loved ones. Jim indicated that home care agencies like Bayada, Wilson-In home, etc., might be a great option or portable housing ideas. If there are care homes outside of the licensed system, Jim does not know about them. There is the concern that people are not able to age safely and with dignity at home. Point of contact is jim@fulllifehawaii.org.

D. Hawaii Transportation Options

* No report or update to the Handi-Van or Holo Card
* Staff to follow up with the neighbor islands on their transportation needs for the next meeting.

E. Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC)

Philip Ana not present; no report from the last meeting’s information.

F. 2019 Legislative Issues and Measures

Committee reviewed and discussed last month’s measures and did not have any updates or changes.

G. DD Division’s Activities

Norma Kop not present and committee decided to table any issues from

the last meeting.

H. Communication Services

No update from Barbara as she was not present. Last meeting indicated that Barbara and Michelle will be contacting ATRC to get more information on possible communication devices available for little to no cost.

**VII. NEXT MEETING AND AGENDA**

The next CSC meeting is scheduled for Monday, June 10, 2019, 12:45 – 2:00 p.m., at Kamāmalu Building, Conference Room 111 A&B.

The agenda to remain the same.

**VIII. ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 1:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Zosimo Arista, Jr., Recorder