

**CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD
DISABILITIES ADVISORY BOARD
AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING
WEDNESDAY, **OCTOBER 22, 2025****

**WEST HOLLYWOOD LIBRARY
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
625 N. SAN VICENTE BLVD.
WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA 90069
6:00 PM**

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

“The West Hollywood Disabilities Advisory Board acknowledges that the land on which we gather and that is currently known as the City of West Hollywood is the occupied, unceded, seized territory of the Gabrieleño Tongva and Gabrieleño Kizh peoples.”

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STATEMENT OF SHARED RESPONSIBILITY FOR RESPECT:

During public meetings, community gatherings, interactions with the public, and with one another, the City endeavors for all participants and attendees to conduct City business and treat others with respect, a core value of the City. This includes being polite, professional, and thoughtful when interacting with others. Our collective commitment to West Hollywood requires intention, cooperation, courtesy, consideration, tolerance, forgiveness, acceptance, inclusiveness, kindness, compassion, and patience. Our respect is expressed not only in the words we choose, but also in our tone, our demeanor, and our actions toward one another.

RULES OF DECORUM

Members of the audience shall not engage in disorderly or boisterous conduct, including the utterance of loud, threatening or abusive language, whistling, stamping of feet or other

acts which disturb, disrupt, impede or otherwise render the orderly conduct of the Disabilities Advisory Board meeting infeasible. A member of the audience repeatedly or continuously engaging in any such conduct shall, at the discretion of the Presiding Officer or a majority of the Disabilities Advisory Board, be subject to ejection from that meeting.

Any person wishing to speak in connection with any item of business on the agenda shall first complete a speaker request slip and submit the slip to the Secretary.

No person shall address the Disabilities Advisory Board without first being recognized by the Presiding Officer.

Each person addressing the Disabilities Advisory Board shall do so in an orderly manner and shall not make repetitious, slanderous or irrelevant remarks, or engage in any other disorderly conduct which disrupts, disturbs or otherwise impedes the orderly conduct of the Board meetings. Any person who disrupts the meeting may, at the discretion of the Presiding Officer or a majority of the Board, be subject to ejection from that meeting.

TO PARTICIPATE BY PROVIDING WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE OR AN E-COMMENT:

Please email dabpubliccomment@weho.org no later than Noon on the Disabilities Advisory Board meeting day, to have your comment read for the meeting. Please include your name and indicate which item(s) you are commenting on.

TO PARTICIPATE BY PROVIDING PUBLIC COMMENT BY TELEPHONE:

(Please note: This option is to provide public comment via phone ONLY. To view the meeting, please see information on how to view the meeting provided above.)

1. You are required to register to speak via Zoom by emailing dabpubliccomment@weho.org no later than Noon on the Disabilities Advisory Board meeting day, to be added to the Zoom Public Speaker List for the meeting. Please include your name, the phone number from which you will be calling, and which item(s) you would like to speak on.
2. Dial in 10 minutes prior to the start of the meeting (the meeting begins at 6:00 p.m.).
3. Public comments are limited to three (3) minutes per speaker.

Note 1: Public comment will become part of the official public record. If you do not want your personal information included in the official record, please do not include your address and/or phone number.

Note 2: Staff are unable to respond to emails during the meeting. All requests to speak by telephone must be confirmed in advance and requests to speak on additional agenda items cannot be accommodated during the meeting.

1. CALL TO ORDER/ ROLL CALL

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The Disabilities Advisory Board is requested to approve the meeting agenda for October 22, 2025.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Disabilities Advisory Board is requested to approve the minutes of the September 24, 2025, meeting.

5. PUBLIC COMMENT

The Disabilities Advisory Board values your comments; however, pursuant to the Brown Act, the Disabilities Advisory Board cannot take action on items not listed on the posted agenda. Members of the public have three minutes to speak. This public comment period is to address the Disabilities Advisory Board on agenda items or items of general interest within the jurisdiction of the Disabilities Advisory Board. An additional public comment period is offered at the end of the meeting.

6. CONSENT CALENDAR: None

7. NEW BUSINESS:

A. 2025 DISABILITY SERVICE AWARDS PRESENTATIONS

The Disabilities Advisory Board presents the 2025 Disability Service Awards:

Lovedy Brydon Differently Abled Individual Award to:
Stephen David Simon and Adrienne Omansky (Posthumous)

Nonprofit Award to:
The Vance North Necessities of Life Program (NOLP) at APLA Health

Media Award to:
WehoOnline

RECOMMENDATION: Award recipients.

B. 2026 SACRAMENTO LEGISLATIVE ACTION DAY FOR APPOINTED OFFICIALS

The Disabilities Advisory Board will appoint one delegate and one alternate to represent the Disabilities Advisory Board during the Legislative Action Day in Sacramento to take place on February 5, 2026 (Year 2 of the 2025-2026 Legislative Session).

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Appoint one delegate to represent the Disabilities Advisory Board during the Legislative Action Day in Sacramento to take place on February 5, 2026.

2. Appoint one alternate to the appointed delegate in case they are unable to attend the Legislative Action Day in Sacramento.

8. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None.

9. ITEMS FROM BOARD MEMBERS

10. PUBLIC COMMENT

This time is set aside for the public to address the Disabilities Advisory Board on any item of interest within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Disabilities Advisory Board that could not be heard under Item 5. at the beginning of the meeting.

11. ITEMS FROM STAFF

12. ADJOURNMENT

The Disabilities Advisory Board will adjourn to its next Regular Meeting on Wednesday, January 28, 2026, at 6:00 pm at Plummer Park, 7377 Santa Monica Blvd., Rooms 5 & 6, West Hollywood, CA 90069.

Notice: Written materials distributed to the Disabilities Advisory Board within 72 hours of this meeting are available for public inspection immediately upon distribution at the Department of Human Services and Rent Stabilization, 8300 Santa Monica Boulevard, West Hollywood, California, 90069, during normal business hours. They will also be available for inspection at the staff liaison's table during the Advisory Board meeting.

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Date: **October 16, 2025**

Signature: *Eric Matikosh*
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