

**SAN GABRIEL/POMONA REGIONAL CENTER
DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, INC.**

Minutes of the Meeting of the

Advisory Committee for Individuals Served and Their Families

February 25, 2026

A regular meeting of the Advisory Committee for Individuals Served and Their Families was held on Wednesday, February 25, 2026. The following committee members were present at said meeting:

PRESENT

Phillip Loi, Chair
Preeti Subramaniam
Richard Centeno
Jaye Dixit
Jovenal Malonzo Jr.
David Sarmiento
Sam Yi
Pete Rodriguez

ABSENT:

Diana Ramirez
Lenny Kwari

STAFF:

Daniela Santana, Director of Client Services
Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director
Tim Travis, Associate Director, Community Service
Elba Moreno, Department Assistant,
Communications
Salvador Gonzalez, Director of Service Access and
Equity
Elisa Herzog, Advocacy Liaison

ITEMS DISCUSSED

CALL TO ORDER

Phillip Loi, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm. A quorum was established.

- The minutes from January 28, 2026, meeting were reviewed and approved.
M/S/C (Dixit/Centeno) The minutes from the meeting were approved by the committee.

PUBLIC INPUT - None

SPECIAL PRESENTATION – by Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director

- Lottery for Prisma Multi-family Affordable Housing – There are 11 apartments available at Average Median Income (AMI), rent will be affordable. These apartments will be available in perpetuity for adults served by SG/PRC.
- Roommate Training – Free workshop series for adults served by SG/PRC. There will be three workshops with 6 modules each. Two workshops will

start in March and the third in July.

- OOMM Roommate Matching – SG/PRC partnered with East Los Angeles Regional Center and Frank D. Lanterman Regional Center to select a Housing Access Service that will utilize the OOMM app to assist in finding roommates. This Housing Access Service will also assist with providing direct support and assistance with activities for transition into housing, as well as supporting individuals to maintain tenancy once housing is secured.

Future Training Topics:

- March 25, 2026 – Vendor Guides developed by Tammy Evrard Consulting (TEC) Feedback on “How to Develop a Resident Council and “How to Develop a Self-Advocacy Group”
- April 22, 2026 – Purchase of Service (POS) Quick Guides Feedback
- May 27, 2026 – Feedback and Recommendations on Emergency Preparedness Newsletter

Updates and Information by SG/PRC Staff

- Daniela Santana, Director of Client Services, shared that SG/PRC will be requesting more feedback in an interactive manner at future meetings. Committee members will be reviewing Purchase of Service guides that explain services with feedback from committee members to be provided at the April 2026 meeting. Guides will be provided at that meeting. She also reminded members of the April 2026 Sirens of Silence Event.
- Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director, reiterated the need for the committee to review the vendor guides created by Tammy Evrard Consulting at the March 2026 meeting. Committee members were also informed about wanting to receive feedback on our emergency preparedness newsletter – Safety Signal at the May 2026 meeting.
- Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director - reported on the following regarding Self Determination:
 - There are currently 350 individuals enrolled.
- Elisa Herzog, Advocacy Liaison made the following announcement:
 - The next advocacy connection meeting via Zoom will be held on Thursday, March 26th, 2026, from 5 to 6 PM with the topic of “Self-advocacy and Leadership Skills” presented by Elisa Herzog, San Gabriel/Pomona Regional Center Advocacy Liaison and co-presenter Desiree Boykin, Consumer Advocate from South Central Los Angeles regional Center
 - The Safety Signal- SG/PRC Emergency Preparedness Newsletter 1st

Edition by the SG/PRC Communications & Publications Team dedicated to the individuals served, service providers, and community partners. Feedback and recommendations of areas of emergency preparedness and support that the committee would like to see in upcoming issues was requested.

ADJOURN

Chair, Philip Loi, adjourned the meeting.

The next Advisory Committee for Individuals Served and Their Families meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 25, 2026, via video conference at 6 P.M.