



San Gabriel / Pomona
Regional Center

BOARD OF DIRECTORS NOTICE OF MEETING (TRAINING)

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of the San Gabriel/Pomona Valleys Developmental Services, Inc. will hold their monthly Board meeting on the following date, via Videoconference:

DATE: Wednesday, July 22, 2026

TIME: 7:15 p.m.

Notice: The training session is not open to the public.

The July 22, 2026 Board of Directors meeting will be dedicated to training and will not be a public board meeting. No Board actions or business will take place.

Please note, our next scheduled Board of Directors meeting will be held on August 26, 2026.

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Program of San Gabriel/Pomona Valleys Developmental Services, Inc.



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SG/PRC BOARD OF DIRECTORS TRAINING AGENDA

Wednesday, July 22, 2026 - 7:15 PM

Zoom/Video Teleconference

Join by Zoom ([link](#))

ZOOM Meeting ID: 234 566 141

Password: 916227

Board of Directors	
Trish Gonzales, Board President	Bill Stewart, 1 st VP
Julie Chetney, Secretary	Preeti Subramaniam, Treasurer
Kelly Privitt, VAC Chairperson	Joseph Huang
Phillip Loi	Richard Centeno
Adriana Pinedo	Tina Wright

7:15 PM	1.	Training Session Call to Order – <i>Trish Gonzales, Board President</i> A. Roll Call
7:20 PM	2.	Three Part Training by Law Offices of Enright and Ochletree, LLP - Aaron Abramowitz, Esq., and Julie Ocheltree, Esq. • <i>Roles and Responsibilities of Board Members</i> • <i>Whistleblower Policy</i> • <i>Conflict of Interest Policy</i>
8:30 PM	3.	Adjournment
Executive Session – None		



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SAN GABRIEL/POMONA DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, INC.
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
DRAFT Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Directors
(A California Corporation)

June 24, 2026

ATTENDANCE

The following members of the Board of Directors were present at said meeting:

PRESENT:

Trish Gonzales
Julie Chetney
Bill Stewart
Joseph Huang
Richard Centeno
Preeti Subramaniam
Tina Wright
Adriana Pinedo
Phillip Loi

STAFF:

Jesse, Weller, Executive Director
Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director
Dara Mikesell, Chief Financial Officer
Yeilen Hernandez, Chief People Officer
Maria Nuñez, Public Records and Policy Compliance Manager
Kristy Owens, Senior Executive Assistant
Erika Gomez, Liaison to BOD & RDDF
Elba Moreno, Department Assistant, Communications

ABSENT:

Kelly Privitt
Sam Yi
Karen Zarsadiaz – Ige

GUESTS:

Willie Ramirez, DDS
Nada Saleh
Albert Feliciano, SCDD
Yan Li
Lisa Nguyen
Mark
Mary Wright
A Sosan
Ann

INTERPRETERS:

ASL - Issac and Daniel
Spanish – Marisol and Eduardo
Mandarin – Charlene and Ken
Korean – Sally and Kaitlyn
Vietnamese – Peter Le and Thienai

Trish Gonzales, Board President, called the meeting to order at 7:18 p.m. Roll call was

taken, and a quorum was established.

- The agenda for today’s meeting was reviewed and the following item was added: C1 Contract Amendment.
(M/S/C Loi & Subramaniam) The Board approved the amendment to the agenda.
- Review of minutes for the May 27, 2026 meeting.
(M/S/C Wright & Loi) The Board approved the minutes.

A. PUBLIC INPUT:

- Carl Argila reminded the Board that he records the entire meeting and uploads the video of the meeting to his personal blog. He shared details about his son’s conservatorship, including his wish for the conservatorship to be terminated and asked that more details of his request be added to the minutes. He also shared his appreciation for the work of Jessi Romero, Manager, Specialized Services- Special Projects for her work setting up one of his sons for Self Determination.
- Albert Feliciano, SCDD, shared that State Council is seeking to fill two vacancies for representatives from the SG/PRC catchment area, specifically individuals served or family advocates. A link to the application information was shared in the Zoom chat. Albert also announced that a two-part Self-Determination Program (SDP) Orientation is being offered.

B. ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR INDIVIDUALS SERVED AND THEIR FAMILIES

Phillip Loi reported that Daniela Santana, Director of Client Services, asked the committee for feedback for a conference proposal and mailer, “How to contact your Service Coordinator.”

C. STRATEGIC DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Julie Chetney presented the following

Slate of officers for Fiscal Year 26/27:

- President- Trish Gonzales
- 1st Vice President – Bill Stewart
- Secretary – Julie Chetney
- Treasurer – Preeti Subramaniam

(M/S/C Wright & Loi) The Board approved the proposed slate of officers for FY 26/27.

Second Term Elections:

- Phillip Loi
- Kelly Privitt (third)

(M/S/C Stewart & Wright) The Board approved the additional term for the above-mentioned.

Recommendation for Committee Membership:

- Diana Hernandez for Community Relations/Legislative Advisory Committee

(M/S/C Stewart & Wright) The Board approved the membership of Diana Hernandez for the Community Relations/Legislative Advisory Committee.

Lisa Nguyen was not recommended for Board membership at this time.

Mrs. Chetney also shared that the committee is updating the application and interview process.

D. VENDOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE (VAC)

Kelly Privitt was not present but Executive Director, Jesse Weller, reported that staff are tracking authorizations to ensure vendors are being paid on time.

E. COMMUNITY RELATIONS/LEGISLATIVE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Trish Gonzales shared that the committee did not meet in June. The next meeting will be on July 8, 2026.

F. EXECUTIVE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Financial Report - Dara Mikesell, Chief Financial Officer, presented the following financial report, that was approved by the Executive Finance Committee on June 10, 2026:

- ***Review of Financial Report***

Regional Center Operations

Based on the B-5 Amendment, operations allocations are projected to meet expenditure projections. These projections include continuation costs and expenditures carried forward from the prior fiscal year. The FY 2025–26 operations B-5 allocation totals **\$58,024,011**, with projected expenditures

equal to the full allocation. Year-to-date expenditures are **\$44,922,365**, with projected remaining expenditures of **\$13,101,646**, resulting in a fully utilized allocation with no remaining balance.

Family Resource Center

The Family Resource Center allocation is projected to fully meet expenditures, resulting in a zero remaining balance. The current allocation is **\$169,611**, with projected expenditures totaling **\$169,611**.

Lanterman Foster Grandparent/Senior Companion Program

The program's current allocation is **\$1,346,917**, and expenditures are projected to fully utilize the allocation.

Community Placement Plan (CPP) and Developmental Center (DC) Ongoing Workload Operations

CPP and DC ongoing workload operations were allocated at 100% under the B-4 Amendment.

Purchase of Services (POS)

The POS allocation under the B-5 Amendment totals **\$588,702,805**. Year-to-date service expenditures are **\$466,289,268**, with projected remaining expenditures—including late billings—estimated at **\$122,413,537**. This results in a fully utilized allocation with no remaining balance.

Community Placement Plan/Community Resource Development Plan Purchase of Service is reflected as a separate line item with a current allocation of **\$924,940** for placement. Additional allocations for start-up projects are anticipated in the B-5 Amendment.

- A-3 Amendment – The Executive Finance committee also reviewed the A-3 Amendment Allocation and approved the allocation along with the Board President's signature. Mrs. Mikesell presented it to the Board as an informational item.
- C-1 Contract Amendment – The Board reviewed the C-1 Contract Amendment.
(M/S/C Wright & Loi) The Board approved the C- 1 Contract Amendment.

G. PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

Trish Gonzales, Board President, discussed the following:

- Review of Attendance
 - With the transition from personal emails to SG/PRC emails, some Board and Committee members had challenges accessing their meeting(s) notifications. Ms. Gonzalez asked the Board to consider excusing absences of Board and Committee members that occurred between February and May 2026.
(M/S/C Subramaniam & Stewart) The Board approved to excuse the absences of Board and committee members that occurred between February and May 2026.
 - Pursuant to Bylaws Section 9.02.1, a Board or committee member who misses three consecutive meetings or four meetings during a fiscal year is deemed to have resigned. Diana Ramirez and Lenny Kwari met the attendance threshold outlined in the bylaws. Both members provided the Board with the reasons for their absences.
(M/S/C Stewart & Gonzales) The Board approved retaining both members with the understanding that this action does not establish a precedent and that, effective July 1, 2026, the attendance requirements in the bylaws will be applied as written.
Abstain: Chetney.
- Certification of Vendor Advisory Committee (VAC) Chairperson FY 2026/27 - The certification of the Vendor Advisory Committee (VAC) Chairperson for Fiscal Year 2026/27 was acknowledged.
- End of Fiscal Year Remarks - The Board President, on behalf of the Board, recognized and expressed its gratitude to Sam Yi and Karen Zarsadiaz-Ige for their service and contributions. Although they will no longer serve on the Board, both will continue their involvement through committee service.

H. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

Jesse Weller, Executive Director, provided the following updates:

1. *Code of Conduct for SG/PRC Board and Committee Meetings (Draft)*
Mr. Weller presented a draft Code of Conduct for SG/PRC Board and Committee Meetings. He shared that, with the start of the new fiscal year, the draft is intended to reflect on past successes, identify opportunities for improvement, and establish expectations for conducting productive and

respectful meetings. He noted that these values have long guided the Board's work and that the draft simply memorializes those expectations.

2. *Board Chair or Designee Statement for Public Comment at SG/PRC Board Meetings (Draft)*

Mr. Weller presented a draft statement for the Board Chair or designee to read during public comment at each Board meeting. He explained that the statement would also be included in the Zoom chat and incorporated into the meeting minutes.

The Board was asked to approve both draft documents so they could be published on the SG/PRC website and implemented at future Board meetings.

(M/S/C Phillips & Gonzales) The Board approved the Code of Conduct for SG/PRC Board and Committee Meetings and the Board Chair or Designee Statement for Public Comment at SG/PRC Board Meetings.

3. *Retirement Plan Committee Board Resolution – Yeilen Hernandez*

Mr. Weller and Yeilen Hernandez, Chief People Officer, presented the proposed Retirement Plan Committee Board Resolution, explaining that it establishes a formal structure for overseeing the SG/PRC retirement plan and working with retirement professionals in the best interest of employees. They noted that the resolution incorporates recommendations from the Executive Finance Committee to provide greater governance and oversight. A minor revision was recommended to change the term "amendment" to "addendum."

(M/S/C Wright & Stewart) The Board approved the Retirement Plan Committee Board Resolution, as revised.

4. *Executive Director's Report* –The full Executive Director's Report is attached to these minutes. For the electronic version, the report may also be accessed [here](#).

I. OTHER BOARD & COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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not be a public board meeting. No Board actions or business will take place. Please note, our next scheduled Board of Directors meetings will be held on August 26, 2026.

J. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Personnel

Next meeting on Wednesday, July 22, 2026, at 7:15 p.m.

BOARD MINUTES FROM THE JUNE 24, 2026, MEETING

Submitted by:

Julie Chetney, Board Secretary

Date



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June 2026

JESSE WELLER, PSYD
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT

JUNE 24, 2026

SG/PRC's Mission Statement

Our mission is to collaborate, advocate, and support individuals with developmental disabilities and their families, ensuring that every person enjoys a life of meaningful opportunities and inclusion.



27 Years Since Curtis and Wilson's Olmstead Victory: Upholding the Right for People with Disabilities to Live in the Community

This year marks 27 years since the landmark Supreme Court decision known as Olmstead.

The ruling affirmed that unnecessary institutionalization of people with disabilities is a form of discrimination under the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Olmstead established the right for people with disabilities to receive services in the most integrated setting appropriate to their needs. The decision continues to drive efforts that promote community living, self-determination, choice, and inclusion.



Disability Pride

Disability Pride is a cultural and political movement that honors disability as a natural part of human diversity.

Disability Pride Month is celebrated every July to commemorate the signing of the Americans with Disabilities Act.



Cost Effective Webinar

State law requires the Department to update the definition of “Cost-Effective” by August 1, 2026. DDS is seeking help to inform an updated definition.

DDS is hosting a community webinar on **June 29, 2026, from 11:00AM to Noon**, that will explain proposed updates to the definition of “Cost-Effective.”

The new definition will be used across all service delivery models, including traditional services, Participant-Directed Services, and the Self-Determination Program.

Register Here: [Webinar Registration - Zoom](#)



Feeling Safe, Being Safe ; Emergency Preparedness Training at SG/PRC

This in-person training was created by advocates and designed for everyone. The essence of this training is that handling emergencies are better with a plan.

Join us at SG/PRC Pomona on
Wednesday July 1, 2026
10:00 AM to Noon.



Budget FY 2026/27- Updates

- ▶ The Budget Bill passed in both Senate and Assembly on June 15, 2026.
- ▶ Typically, the budget is extensive, featuring numerous pages of figures organized by department and agency.
- ▶ However, it does not include detailed information about specific changes to programs.
- ▶ These details are usually found in what is known as "Trailer Bill Language," which consists of bills that introduce changes to state law related to implementation.



Budget FY 2026/27– Key Highlights

- ▶ Starting July 1, 2026, will not lower the Medi-Cal asset limit immediately. Instead of reducing it to the Governor's suggested \$2,000, the limit will go down to \$21,000 in the 2027-2028 budget year, starting July 1, 2027.
- ▶ The bill begins the process of creating a law that requires large corporations to take responsibility for the costs of their employees on Medi-Cal. The Administration must present options to the Legislature, including data about how many workers at these companies use Medi-Cal.
- ▶ The bill rejects the Governor's plan to completely cut the IHSS Backup Provider System, along with the savings and proposed language related to it.
- ▶ It also rejects the Governor's idea to shift costs in the IHSS program to counties, which would have used an average of assessed hours. This includes all proposed savings and related bill language.



Opening Speaker for 2026 Partnerships for Well-Being Institute in Anaheim

Thank you UC Davis Human Services
and DDS for the opportunity to uplift
the work of Regional Centers and the
importance of relationships





Community Coffee with Jesse





National Association of State Directors of Developmental Disabilities Federal Symposium

Arlington, Virginia
June 2026



California Public Records Act

- ▶ Public records requests may be submitted through our online request portal which can be accessed here: [Public Records RequestNextRequest - Modern FOIA & Public Records Request Software](#)
- ▶ For any questions regarding CPRA or the request process, please contact Maria Nunez, Public Records and Policy Compliance Manager.



SG/PRC Individual Served Statistics

As of May 31, 2026

Individual Served Statistics:

- ▶ As of May 2026, SG/PRC served **18,533 individuals**.
- ▶ In May 2026, Early Start Intake (Birth to Three Years of Age) received **135** new referrals, **135** were found to be eligible for Early Start Services (including Re-Activations/Transfer-Ins/Previous Referrals).
- ▶ Lanterman Intake (3 Years of Age through Adulthood) received **52** new referrals. From Previous referrals, **49** were found to be eligible under Lanterman eligibility.
- ▶ For Exiting Early Intervention (at 3 Years of Age), **40** were found eligible under Lanterman and **20** under provisional Lanterman eligibility.



SG/PRC Staffing Dashboard

As of May 31, 2026

Authorized Positions	Current Headcount	Current Vacancies
589	572	17

Vacancies (17):

- Service Coordinators: **10**
- Specialized Roles: **5**
- Leadership: **2**

Recent Hires & Transfers (May-June):

- 27 Positions Filled

**Year To Date
Employee Turnover Rate
3.7%**



Self Determination Program Statistics

As of May 31, 2026, SG/PRC enrolled **372** participants in the Self-Determination Program.

SG/PRC SDP Enrollment data by Diagnosis as of May 31, 2026:

Diagnosis	Total	Percentage
Autism	248	67%
Intellectual Disability	85	23%
Cerebral Palsy	21	6%
Epilepsy	15	4%
Other	3	1%
Grand Total	372	100%



Self Determination Program Statistics

Ages Served

SG/PRC SDP Enrollment data by Department (Age) as of May 31, 2026:

Department	Total	Percentage
Family (6 - 14yrs old)	129	35%
Adult (25yrs +)	106	28%
Transition (14 to 25yrs old)	110	30%
Preschool (3 to 6yrs old)	27	7%
Grand Total	372	100%

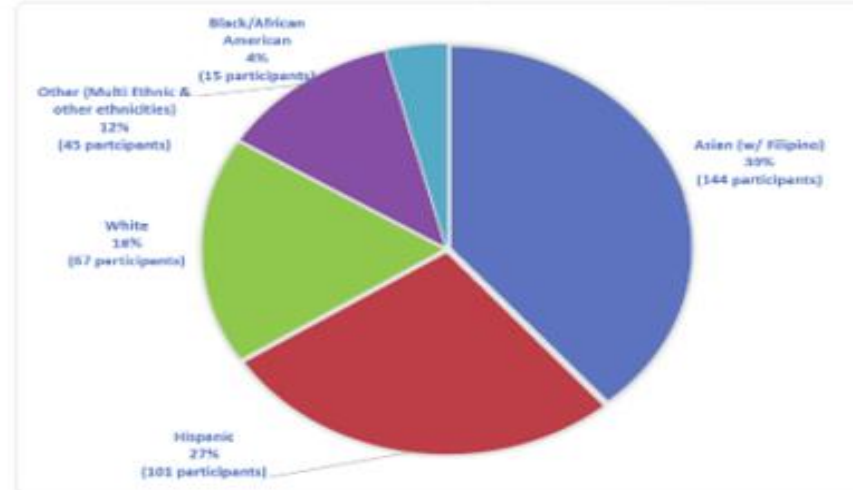


Self Determination Program Statistics

Ethnicity

SG/PRC SDP Enrollment data by Ethnicity as of May 31, 2026:

Ethnicity (DDS)	Total	Percentage
Asian (w/ Filipino)	144	39%
Hispanic	101	27%
White	67	18%
Other (Multi Ethnic & other ethnicities)	45	12%
Black/African American	15	4%
Total	372	100%



SAN GABRIEL/POMONA
REGIONAL CENTER

Committee Reports & Information



June – July 2026

**SAN GABRIEL/POMONA VALLEYS
DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, INC.
Executive/Finance Committee Meeting Minutes**

July 8, 2026

PRESENT:

Trish Gonzales, Board President
Preeti Subramaniam, Treasurer
Bill Stewart, 1st VP
Phillip Loi

STAFF:

Jesse Weller, Executive Director
Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director
Dara Mikesell, Chief Financial Officer
Yeilen Hernandez, Chief People Officer
Kristy Owens, Senior Executive Assistant
Erika Gomez, Liaison to the BOD and RDDF

ABSENT:

Julie Chetney, Secretary

GUESTS:

Nada Saleh
Richard Centeno

ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE EXECUTIVE/FINANCE COMMITTEE PURSUANT TO SECTION 20.04 OF THE BYLAWS

All actions taken by the Executive/Finance Committee on behalf of the Board of Directors shall be reported at the next meeting of the Board.

The actions taken by the Executive/ Finance Committee at this meeting were:

Approval of Financial Report- For the month of May 2026 in the Fiscal Year 2025-2026.

The actions taken by the Executive/ Finance Committee at this meeting were:

ITEMS DISCUSSED

A. CALL TO ORDER

Trish Gonzales, Board President, called the meeting to order at 7:16 pm. A quorum was established.

- The committee reviewed the agenda, and the following item was added: B- 5 Contract Amendment.
(M/S/C Gonzales & Loi) The Executive Finance Committee approved the amended agenda.)

- The committee reviewed and approved the meeting minutes of June 10, 2026.
(M/S/C Subramaniam & Loi) *The Executive Finance Committee approved the minutes.*
Abstain: Stewart

B. PUBLIC INPUT: None

D. CONSENT AGENDA Dara Mikesell, Chief Financial Officer:

- ***Review of Financial Report***

Regional Center Operations - Based on the B-5 Amendment, operations allocations are projected to meet expenditure projections. These projections include continuation costs and expenditures carried forward from the prior fiscal year. The FY 2025–26 operations B-5 allocation totals \$57,773,373, with projected expenditures equal to the full allocation. Year-to-date expenditures are \$49,345,065, with projected remaining expenditures of \$8,428,308, resulting in a fully utilized allocation with no remaining balance.

Family Resource Center - The Family Resource Center allocation is projected to fully meet expenditures, resulting in a zero remaining balance. The current allocation is \$169,611, with projected expenditures totaling \$169,611.

Lanterman Foster Grandparent/Senior Companion Program - The program's current allocation is \$1,252,121, and expenditures are projected to fully utilize the allocation.

Community Placement Plan (CPP) and Developmental Center (DC) Ongoing Workload Operations - CPP and DC ongoing workload operations were allocated at 100% under the B-4 Amendment.

Purchase of Services (POS) - The POS allocation under the B-5 Amendment totals \$588,702,805. Year-to-date service expenditures are \$520,018,627, with projected remaining expenditures—including late billings—estimated at \$68,684,178. This results in a fully utilized allocation with no remaining balance.

Community Placement Plan/Community Resource Development Plan Purchase of Service is reflected as a separate line item with a current allocation of \$924,940 for placement. Additional allocations for start-up projects are anticipated in the B-5 Amendment.

- B-5 Amendment – The committee reviewed the B-5 Amendment Allocation and approved the allocation along with the Board President's signature.

(M/S/C Stewart & Subramaniam) The committee approved the items on the Consent Agenda.

E. BOARD PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Trish Gonzales, Board President, provided the following updates: The July 22, 2026 Board of Directors meeting will be dedicated to training and will not be a public board meeting. No Board actions or business will take place.

F. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Jesse Weller, Executive Director, presented the following:

Federal and State Budget Updates

- Jesse Weller, Executive Director, provided updates regarding federal and state budget matters. He shared that the Governor indicated the state budget has sufficient reserves to help offset potential impacts from federal changes, while noting that circumstances could shift depending on future federal decisions. He also discussed concerns related to the Early Start Program, which serves infants and toddlers from birth to age three. Mr. Weller explained that Early Start has historically been administered through the Office of Special Education and that the federal administration's decision to move oversight to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has raised concerns within the community regarding maintaining specialized expertise.
- Mr. Weller reported that the FY 2026/27 State Budget was approved and discussed several budget-related items, including the rejection of proposed In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) changes. He also shared that Proposition 56 dental funding was extended through July 2027.
- Mr. Weller discussed changes related to the Medi-Cal asset limit, noting that a proposal to reduce the asset limit to \$2,000 was not adopted. Instead, the asset limit will transition to \$21,000 beginning July 1, 2027. He shared that additional education and outreach efforts will be needed to inform individuals and families about available tools, such as CalABLE accounts.

Trailer Bill Language

- Mr. Weller provided an update on recent legislative changes affecting regional center Boards. He reviewed changes to Board composition, member qualifications, training requirements, representation requirements, advisory group involvement, and annual Board and Executive Director evaluations

under WIC Section 4622.

- Mr. Weller also reviewed changes related to Board contract review requirements under WIC Section 4625.5, including updates to contract review thresholds and exemptions for certain contracts. He discussed new requirements under WIC Section 4625.6 regarding regional centers retaining independent legal counsel to advise Boards on governance, meetings, compliance, and other Board responsibilities.
- Mr. Weller noted that staff will continue reviewing the requirements and preparing for implementation.

Recruitment Report – There are currently 574 employees and 15 vacancies.

MEETING ADJOURNED

The meeting was adjourned. The next regular meeting will be held on August 12, 2026, at 7:15pm.

CLOSED SESSION – None

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Contract Status Report

May 31, 2026

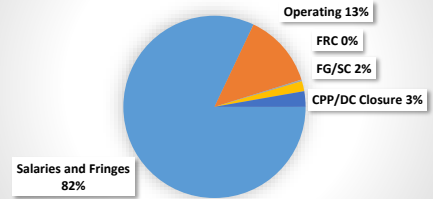
FY	Amount Description	Operation				Purchase of Services				Total
		General	Community Placement Plan/Resource Develop. Plan & DC Closure Ongoing	Foster Grandparent & Senior Companion	Family Resource Center	General	Community Placement Plan/Resource Develop. Plan	Home and Community Based Services		
25-26	Allocation - B-5	\$ 57,773,373	\$ 1,516,624	\$ 1,252,121	\$ 169,611	\$588,702,805	\$ 924,940	\$ 658,108	\$ 650,997,582	
	Year-to-Date Expenditures	49,345,065	1,429,600	923,915	150,074	520,018,627	73,600	-	571,940,881	
	Balance	\$ 8,428,308	\$ 87,024	\$ 328,206	\$ 19,537	\$ 68,684,178	\$ 851,340	\$ 658,108	\$ 79,056,701	
24-25	Allocation - A-3	\$ 55,192,688	\$ 1,686,235	\$ 1,290,480	\$ 169,611	\$511,251,157	\$ 1,782,636	\$ 658,108	\$ 572,030,915	
	Year-to-Date Expenditures	51,459,599	1,516,624	1,117,815	154,564	508,324,016	788,732	71,043	563,432,394	
	Balance	\$ 3,733,089	\$ 169,611	\$ 172,665	\$ 15,047	\$ 2,927,141	\$ 993,904	\$ 587,065	\$ 8,598,521	
23-24	Allocation - E-5	\$ 50,118,554	\$ 1,552,624	\$ 1,303,368	\$ 154,564	\$ 446,843,838	\$ 980,925	\$ 616,108	\$ 501,569,981	
	Year-to-Date Expenditures	49,934,850	1,535,822	1,050,604	154,564	406,211,683	853,267	369,750	460,110,540	
	Balance	\$ 183,704	\$ 16,802	\$ 252,764	\$ -	\$ 40,632,155	\$ 127,658	\$ 246,358	\$ 41,459,441	

FY 25-26 Operations & Purchase of Services Expenditures by Category as of May 31, 2026

Operation Expenditures Category

Year-to-Date Expenditures	
Salary & Benefits	\$ 42,539,868
Facility Rent and Maintenance	3,753,579
Information Technology	647,911
General Expenses	712,224
Communication	491,172
Insurance	482,695
Accounting & Legal Fees	229,804
Consultants	652,289
Staff Mileage/Travel	317,487
Equipment	243,910
Board Expenses	21,005
Interest, SPA, Misc. Income & Training Fee Reimb.	(746,880)
Total Year-to-Date Expenditures Operations Expenditures:	\$ 49,345,065

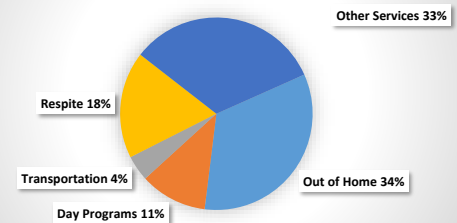
Operation Expenditures by Catagory



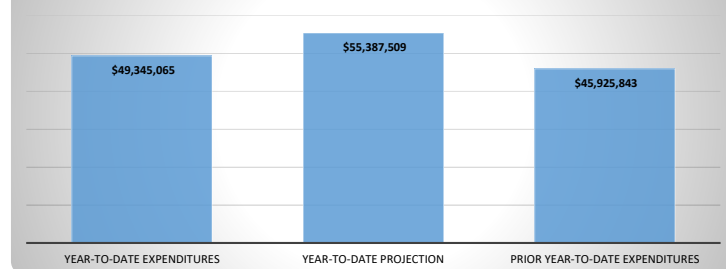
Purchase of Services Expenditures Category

Year-to-Date Expenditures	
Out of Home	\$ 174,846,057
Day Programs	58,648,565
Respite	93,445,571
Non-Medical Services	71,649,459
Supported Living Services	2,707,537
Transportation	22,419,618
Prevention Services	21,834,667
Other Services	37,691,407
Personal Assistance	264,703
Medical Services	43,168,424
Camps	131,770
CPP/CRDP	73,600
ICF SPA & Other Income	(6,789,151)
Total Year-to-Date Purchase of Services Expenditures:	\$ 520,092,227

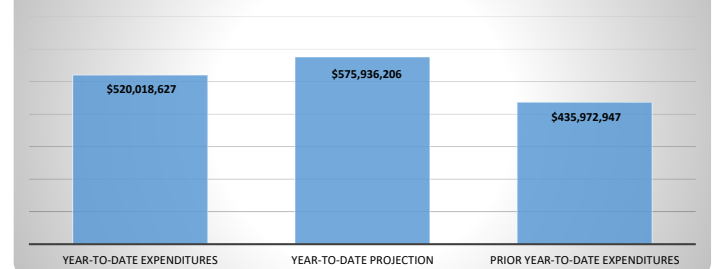
Purchase of Services Expenditures by Catagory



Year-to-Date Operations Comparison



Year-to-Date Purchase of Services Comparison





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DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, INC.**

**COMMUNITY RELATIONS/ LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE
MINUTES FROM THE MEETING OF JULY 8, 2026**

The following committee members were present at said meeting:

PRESENT

Trish Gonzales,
Chairperson
Joseph Huang
Melissa Song
Teshia Obi
Alayna Effinger
Jenny Liu

STAFF

Jesse Weller, Executive Director
Yvonne Gratianne, Communications
& Public Engagement Officer
Salvador Gonzalez, Director of Service Access &
Equity
Erika Gomez, Liaison to the Board of Directors and
the RDDF

ABSENT

Adriana Pinedo
Karen Zarsadiaz-Ige
Tina Wright
Daniela Barrera

GUESTS

Mark

RECOMMENDED BOARD ACTIONS

The Community Relations/Legislative Committee recommends the following:

None

CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson, Trish Gonzales, called the meeting to order at 6:00p.m. A quorum was established.

The agenda was reviewed.

The following meeting minutes were reviewed:

- March 11, 2026 - M/S/C (*Gonzales/Huang*) *The Committee approved the minutes. Abstains: Barrera*
- April 8, 2026 - M/S/C (*Gonzales/Huang*) *The Committee approved the minutes.*
- May 13, 2026 – The minutes were tabled.

PUBLIC INPUT

None

WHAT'S COMING UP IN THE COMMUNITY

The committee members shared the following events:

- Rosebowl Community Walk – July 19, 2026 at 9:00am
- Splash and Play – July 23, 2026 at 10am in Hacienda Heights
- Asian Support Group Summer Potluck – August 22, 2026 – 9:30am – 2pm at San Gabriel/Pomona Regional Center (Conference Room)

LEGISLATIVE ISSUES & OTHER INFORMATION

Federal and State Budget Updates

- Jesse Weller, Executive Director, provided updates regarding federal and state budget matters. He shared that the Governor indicated the state budget has sufficient reserves to help offset potential impacts from federal changes, while noting that circumstances could shift depending on future federal decisions. He also discussed concerns related to the Early Start Program, which serves infants and toddlers from birth to age three. Mr. Weller explained that Early Start has historically been administered through the Office of Special Education and that the federal administration's decision to move oversight to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has raised concerns within the community regarding maintaining specialized expertise.
- Mr. Weller reported that the FY 2026/27 State Budget was approved and discussed several budget-related items, including the rejection of proposed In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) changes. He also shared that Proposition 56 dental funding was extended through July 2027.
- Mr. Weller discussed changes related to the Medi-Cal asset limit, noting that a proposal to reduce the asset limit to \$2,000 was not adopted. Instead, the asset limit will transition to \$21,000 beginning July 1, 2027. He shared that additional education and outreach efforts will be needed to inform individuals and families about available tools, such as CalABLE accounts.

Trailer Bill Language

- Mr. Weller provided an update on recent legislative changes affecting regional center Boards. He reviewed changes to Board composition, member qualifications, training requirements, representation requirements, advisory group involvement, and annual Board and Executive Director evaluations under WIC Section 4622.
- Mr. Weller also reviewed changes related to Board contract review requirements under WIC Section 4625.5, including updates to contract review thresholds and exemptions for certain contracts. He discussed new requirements under WIC Section 4625.6 regarding regional centers retaining independent legal counsel to advise Boards on governance, meetings, compliance, and other Board responsibilities.
- Mr. Weller noted that staff will continue reviewing the requirements and preparing for implementation.

STATEWIDE/LOCAL UPDATES BY YVONNE GRATIANNE, COMMUNICATIONS AND PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT OFFICER

Yvonne Gratianne, Communications & Public Engagement Officer, presented on the following:

- July recognition events: Disability Pride Month, National Developmental Disability Professionals Day, and UV Safety Month.
- Ollie the Sea Lion continues to encourage individuals to practice water safety and protect their skin while enjoying water activities. The #BeSplashSafe campaign will continue through September. She shared that postcards promoting water safety are being distributed and that DDS and other regional centers are supporting the campaign. She also shared information regarding Assembly Member Michelle Rodriguez's efforts related to modernizing the definition of swim vests through AB 1571.
- The Advocacy Connection is a platform for adult individuals served with topics driven by community input. The July session will feature the Dental Coordinator discussing oral health, and the flyer is available in the meeting materials folder.
- The agency's Instagram account recently reached 1,000 followers.
- The Safety Signal, Volume 2, an emergency preparedness newsletter was is available in the meeting materials folder and will also be posted on the SG/PRC website.
- Ms. Gratianne announced upcoming voting rights training for adult individuals served. She shared that the training will be followed by a TAC session.
- The Richard D. Davis Foundation Golf Scramble is scheduled for September 14, 2026 at South Hills Country Club. She shared that planning is underway and that the event is more than halfway toward its goal. Proceeds from the

event support community activities, including events such as Sirens of Silence and dances.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH-UPDATE

Salvador Gonzalez, Director of Service Access and Equity, shared about the community outreach his department has participated in. Please see his report, attached or click [here](#).

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

None

ADJOURNMENT:

The next meeting will be on August 12, 2026.



San Gabriel/Pomona
Regional Center

Service Access and Equity Department

July 2026

Presented By

Salvador Gonzalez

Director of Service Access and Equity



LANGUAGE, CULTURE, AND ACCESSIBILITY FORUM

For multicultural SGPRC Families and Individuals Served

JUNE 17TH, 2026

SG/PRC was pleased to host a community event celebrating multicultural communities and individuals from diverse linguistic backgrounds. The event highlighted our ongoing efforts to make services and supports more accessible by addressing language and cultural barriers. It was well attended by community members, partner organizations, and representatives from sister regional centers.

Representatives from 10 of California's 21 regional centers, along with members of the Department of Developmental Services (DDS), participated in the event, demonstrating a shared commitment to understanding the impact of the Language Access and Cultural Competency (LACC) initiative across the regional center system. Their participation reinforced our collective dedication to advancing equitable access to services and supports for all communities.

A special highlight of the event was a performance by KASEC's Symphony, featuring talented SG/PRC individuals who showcased their musical abilities. Their inspiring performance celebrated the talents of the individuals we serve and reflected the spirit of inclusion, diversity, and community that defined the event.



COMMUNITY INFORMATION FORUM

VIA ZOOM

SG/PRC EMPLOYMENT OPTIONS

PRESENTED BY: LINH LEE

SG/PRC EMPLOYMENT SPECIALIST

June 18, 2026

Community Information Forum (CIF) is series of trainings/presentation requested from the community through various outlets.

KOREAN SUPPORT GROUP

IN PERSON, SG/PRC ROOM 2

AMOS BYUN HOSTED KOREAN SUPPORT GROUP AT SG/PRC. THE GROUP JOINED COMMUNITY INFORMATION FORUM AS A GROUP AND CONTINUED THEIR MEETING IN-PERSON.



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INFORMATION

2026
FORUM

Employment Options

As part of SG/PRC's Community Information Forum (CIF) 2026, Linh Lee, Employment Specialist, will be presenting information on Employment Options. Attendees will learn:

- Employment Readiness Programs for high school students
- Employment Readiness and Employment Services programs for adults
- Alternative Program options (Day Services) for adults



Thursday
June 18, 2026



10AM-11AM

Join us via Zoom

Zoom ID: 865 3741 9310

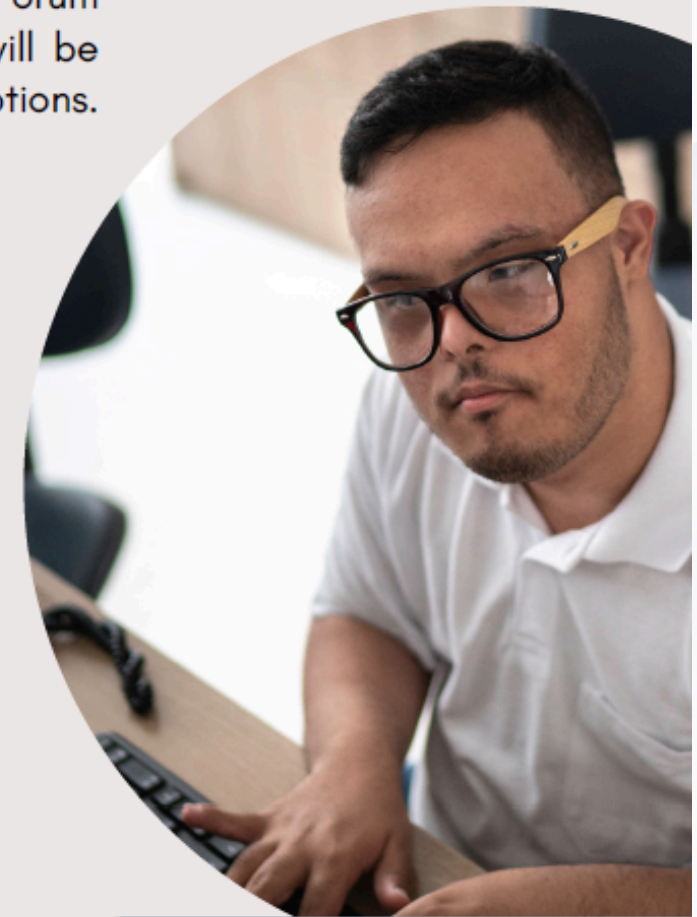
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For additional information, contact
Language Access Specialists:

Tiffany Loong (909) 710-8827 | tloong@sgprc.org
Luz Rodriguez-Urbe (909) 710-8828 | lrodriguez@sgprc.org

Interpretation will be provided in ASL, Spanish, Chinese, Korean, and Vietnamese.
This event is sponsored by DDS-Language Access and Cultural Competency Funds.



Presented by:

Linh Lee

Employment Specialist

DDS Department of
Developmental
Services

KOREAN AMERICAN SPECIAL EDUCATION CENTER (KASEC)

KOREAN AMERICAN DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY CENTER (KDDC)

June 20, 2026

**SERVICE ACCESS AND EQUITY DIRECTOR
SALVADOR GONZALEZ WAS INVITED TO
ATTEND THE GRAND OPENING OF OUR
EQUITY PARTNER'S SECOND LOCATION.**



COMMUNITY PRESENTATION AT THE ROLAND CENTER

THE ROLAND CENTER - MOVIE THEATER

Josie Martinez, Community Outreach Specialist

Luz Rodriguez-Urbe, Language Access and Cultural Competency Specialist

Jessica Wilson, Deaf and Hard of Hearing Specialist

June 23, 2026

SAE Specialists Josie Martinez, Luz Rodriguez-Urbe, and Jessica Wilson attended the event to inform community members about available resources and support services through regional center and their respective areas of expertise. The event was designed for individuals, families, caregivers, and other community members interested in learning about available services and how to access and connect with them.



COMMUNITY INFORMATION FORUM

Thursday, July 16, 2026

SG/PRC DENTAL CLINIC AND DESENSITIZATION PROGRAM

PRESENTED BY: CRISTINA MACASAET
SG/PRC DENTAL COORDINATOR

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**FOR THE ANNUAL CIF CALENDAR FLYER, PLEASE VISIT OUR
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US ON INSTAGRAM.**



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2026
FORUM

SG/PRC Dental Clinic and Desensitization Program

As part of SG/PRC's Community Information Forum 2026, Cristina Macasaet will be presenting information on the SG/PRC Dental Clinic & Desensitization Program. Attendees will learn:

- What is our Dental Wellness Clinic about?
- What is DDSBP? Is this for everyone? Can it help?
- The What, How, When and Why we should we address healthcare issues for SHCN and the ID/DD individuals?



Thursday
July 16, 2026



10AM-11AM

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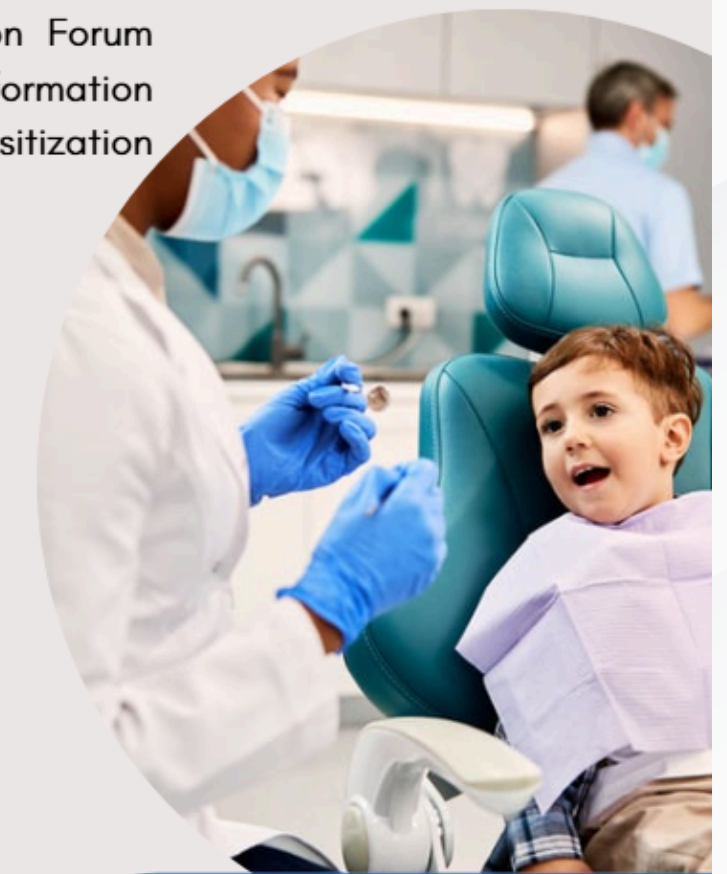
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Department of
Developmental
Services

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Presented by:

Cristina Macasaet
Dental Coordinator

COMMUNITY EVENT

Jackie Robinson Community Center
Pasadena, CA

CENTERING VOICES & BRINDING ACCESS

July 18th

Join the SAE team, as they host
a table, for a day of fun, learning,
and community engagement!



CENTERING VOICES & BRIDGING ACCESS

Community Event ♥

Join the community to learn about available supports, discuss challenges, and collaborate on solutions around **intellectual and developmental disabilities** within the **Black/African American** community residing in the San Gabriel/Pomona catchment area.



EVENT DETAILS

 **SATURDAY,
JULY 18TH, 2026**
10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

 **JACKIE ROBINSON
COMMUNITY CENTER**
1020 N Fair Oaks Ave,
Pasadena, CA 91103

 **FOOD & REFRESHMENTS
WILL BE PROVIDED.**

 **A WELCOMING SPACE FOR
FAMILIES & CHILDREN**

JOIN US TO:

-  Connect with other families
-  Learn about available resources
-  Share your experiences
-  Meet community advocates
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SPECIAL EDUCATION TRAININGS FOR PARENTS' CAREGIVERS

ANNUAL CALENDAR 2026

Upcoming Training:

July 20th

**IEP: Navigating Disagreements &
Procedure Safeguards**



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DDS Department of
Developmental
Services

2026 Special Education Training for Parent/Caregivers

Presented by: Nora Perez-Givens, SG/PRC Education Specialist

Join our 2026 Special Education training sessions to learn the essentials of Individualized Education Programs (IEP) and practical advocacy skills. Attendees will gain the knowledge and confidence to support their child's learning.

➡ All trainings will be held via Zoom from 10 am - 11 am

MARCH 23	Understanding the IEP Process
APRIL 20	IEP: Basics
MAY 18	Effective Communication & Advocacy Skills
JUNE 15	IEP: Addressing Behavior & Mental Health and Medical Needs
JULY 20	IEP: Navigating Disagreements & Procedure Safeguards
AUG. 17	Creating a Supportive IEP For Your Student
SEPT. 21	Transition Planning for Middle/High School
OCT. 19	IEP: Discipline & Behaviors

For more information, please contact Nora Perez-Givens
ngivens@sgprc.org, (909) 710-8820

Join via ZOOM

[Click here](#) or Scan QR code to join training session
Meeting ID: 812 4883 3560 Dial-in#: 16694449171



This event is sponsored by DDS-Language Access and Cultural Competency Funds
Interpretation will be provided in Spanish, American Sign Language, Korean, Vietnamese, and Chinese

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Third Tuesday of every month
10am-11am

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WWW.SGPRC.ORG**



THANK YOU!

SAE is pleased to join outreach events in our service area and host events that serve our community and partners.

During the month of April, we hosted and participated in 8 outreach events and presentations. In May, 10 outreach events and community presentations have been held or are scheduled to take place.



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Advisory Committee for Individuals Served and Their Families

Wednesday, July 22, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.

Videoconference Meeting

ZOOM Meeting ID: 191 486 135 Password: 681356

Committee Members:

Phillip Loi, Chairperson
Preeti Subramaniam
Sam Yi
Richard Centeno
Jaye Dixit

Jovenal Malonzo, Jr
Pete Rodriguez
Diana Ramirez
Lenny Kwari
David Sarmiento

Staff:

G. Daniela Santana, Dir. Client Services
Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Dir.
Elba Moreno, Assistant, Comm. & Public
Engagement Department
Elisa Herzog, Advocacy Liaison

6 PM	1.	Public Meeting Call to Order A. Review of Agenda B. Review Meeting Minutes of June 24, 2026
6:05 PM	2.	Public Comment - Please email elba.moreno@sgprc.org to sign up
6:10 PM	3.	Special Presentation – DDS Required Trainings for SG/PRC staff by Edwin Gamino – Staff Development and Community Training Manager
6:40 PM	4.	Future Training Topics - August 26, 2026 – TBD - September 23, 2026 – TBD - October 28, 2026 – TBD
6:45	5.	SG/PRC Information A. Updates by Daniela Santana, Director Client Services B. Updates by Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director C. Advocacy Liaison Updates – Elisa Herzog, Advocacy Liaison
7:00	6.	Adjournment

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

Minutes of the Meeting of the

Advisory Committee for Individuals Served and Their Families

June 24, 2026

A regular meeting of the Advisory Committee for Individuals Served and Their Families was held on Wednesday, June 24, 2026. The following committee members were present at said meeting:

PRESENT

Phillip Loi, Chair
Preeti Subramaniam
Richard Centeno
Pete Rodriguez
David Sarmiento
Jovenal Malonzo Jr.
Diana Ramirez

STAFF:

Daniela Santana, Director of Client Services
Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director
Elba Moreno, Department Assistant,
Communications
Elisa Herzog, Advocacy Liaison to Individuals
Served

ABSENT:

Lenny Kwari
Sam Yi
Jaye Dixit

ITEMS DISCUSSED

CALL TO ORDER

Phillip Loi, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm. A quorum was not established.

- The minutes from April 22, 2026, and May 27, 2026, meetings were reviewed and approved.

M/S/C (Subramaniam / Rodriguez) The minutes from the meeting were approved by the committee.

PUBLIC INPUT - None

SPECIAL PRESENTATION – Committee feedback for Conference proposal and mailer “How to contact your Service Coordinator” by Daniela Santana, Director of Client Services

Future Training Topics:

- July 22, 2026 – TBD
- August 26, 2026 – TBD
- September 23, 2026 – TBD

Updates and Information by SG/PRC Staff

- Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director, shared the following:
 - Aging Caregivers Workshop Series
 - Roommate Training
 - Community Needs Survey has been completed.
- Elisa Herzog, Advocacy Liaison made the following announcement:
 - The next TAC meeting will take place on Thursday, July 23, 2026, from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. on Zoom. The presenter will be Cristina Macasaet, SG/PRC's Dental Coordinator, and the topic will be: "Let's Talk Dental Health: Your Smile and Overall Health."
 - The Language, Culture, and Accessibility Forum was held on June 17, 2026, at the Double Tree Hotel in Monrovia from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm. The forum focused on reducing language and cultural barriers and making information and services more accessible, respectful, and welcoming for individuals served and families.
 - This week also marked the 27th anniversary of the Olmstead decision, an important United States Supreme Court decision issued on June 22, 1999. In plain language, the Olmstead decision helped affirm that people with disabilities have the right to live and receive services in their communities when appropriate, rather than being unnecessarily separated from others in institutions.
 - Feeling Safe, Being Safe, an emergency-preparedness training program created by and for individuals with developmental disabilities in California. The program uses interactive, plain-language materials to help people create personalized emergency kits and action plans for natural disasters or other crises.
 - July Awareness Recognitions:
 - Disability Pride Month is recognized throughout July.
 - July 15 is Developmental Disability Professionals Day, which honors the professionals who support, advocate alongside, and help coordinate services for people with developmental disabilities.
 - July is also UV Safety Awareness Month.

ADJOURN

Chair, Philip Loi, adjourned the meeting.

The next Advisory Committee for Individuals Served and Their Families meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, July 22, 2026, via video conference at 6 P.M.

**SAN GABRIEL/POMONA VALLEYS
DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, INC.
VENDOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES**

July 2, 2026

The following committee members attended said meeting:

PRESENT:

Kelly Privitt, Chairperson
Valerie Donelson
Christopher Trevilla
Ookie Voong
Jaime Currie
Johnnie Martinez
Sharon Ehrig
Edgar Cartagena

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Jazmyne Robinson
Beba Saba (LOA)
Janee Blackburn
Mario Escobedo
Baldo Paseta
Jazmine Ulibarri

STAFF:

Jesse Weller, Executive Director
Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director
Daniela Santana, Director of Client Services
Jaime Anabalon, Quality Assurance Specialist
Yvonne Gratianne, Communications & Public
Engagement Officer
Elba Moreno, Assistant Communications
Department

GUEST:

Gabriela Pena, All's Well Recruiter

RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

THE VENDOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

None

A. CALL TO ORDER

Kelly Privitt, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 10:03 a.m. A quorum was established.

The minutes of the meeting on June 4, 2026, were reviewed and approved.

M/S/C (Donelson & Ehrig) The Vendor Advisory Committee approved the minutes.

B. MOST PRESSING CONCERNS FOR SERVICE PROVIDERS

None

C. VENDOR CATEGORY REPORTS

Adult Programs

Vocational – Christopher Trevilla shared that the Vocational subcommittee meets on the last Thursday of the month at 3 P.M. via Teams. The next subcommittee meeting is scheduled for July 24, 2026. Mr. Trevilla also shared several important updates; DOR launches online wage/benefits coordination training resource, the Training Innovation Project (TIP) “Setting the Record Straight about Hiring and Retaining Disabled Workers: Debunking Myths” (TIP Master Class via ZOOM). The 2026-27 California state budget includes a massive funding increase of \$60 million in ongoing federal funds for the California Department of Rehabilitation (DOR). This specific vocational rehabilitation adjustment expands capacity, funds 54 permanent positions, and addresses rising employment service demands for individuals with disabilities. Upcoming Job Fairs, available training resources, conferences and detailed notes can be found in meeting materials.

Adult Day – Johnnie Martinez introduced new Day Program co-chairperson Edgar Cartagena and shared that the Artisan Fair will take place at the San Gabriel/Pomona Regional on November 12th and a Vendor Fair on August 27th, the next subcommittee meeting is scheduled for July 22, 2026, at 10 A.M.

Infant & Children Services

Infant Development Program – Jazmine Ulibarri was not present.

Transportation

Baldo Paseta was not present.

Independent Living Services

ILS – Sharon Ehrig individuals who receive EBT benefits have started to get letters stating that they must work 30 hours a week or attend a school program up to 120 hours per month. But if they are receiving social security benefits, then that exempts them from that requirement.

SLS Services – Mario Escobedo was not present.

Residential Services

Specialized – Janee Blackburn was not present.

CCF – Valerie Donelson had nothing to report.

ICF- Ookie Voong shared that during the last Residential Subcommittee meeting it was suggested that response time for the referral packets could be extended from the current 7-day limit. Also, vendors continue to struggle with the delays with managed healthcare. They would like to, if possible, meet with the managed care

liaisons to voice their concerns. The next subcommittee meeting is scheduled for August 4, 2026, at 10:00 AM.

Other Vended Services- Beba Saba shared on (LOA)

At Large- Jaime Currie shared that the At Large subcommittee meets on the first Wednesday of the month. The last meeting was very well attended, vendors noted an influx of managed care plan denials, many individuals being on long waiting lists. Providers are advocating for the overturns of the denials. Also, the San Gabriel/Pomona Regional Center is having their SDP conference in October.

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Jamie Currie spoke regarding an alleged fraud issue with in-home support services with parents not providing service, but billing for it, or under reporting hours, especially relevant to the self-determination program. There's been some issues, with some families being told that they can't under SDP count in home support services, particularly at night.

RECRUITMENT SUBCOMMITTEE

Recruiting for FY 26/27 (effective July 1, 2026)

- Residential CCF

To apply, please email elba.moreno@sgprc.org or egomez@sgprc.org

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

Gabriela Pena, All's Well Recruiter gave vendors an informational presentation on the DSP Internship Program *(The full presentation is attached to these minutes) **

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR UPDATES

Jesse Weller, Executive Director, shared the following:

- May Revise budget deal for 26-27 fiscal year has been reached.
- Trailer Bill Language
- Elimination of courtesy vendorization by March 1st, 2028.
- Department of Developmental Services will be posting HCBS compliance data on its website
- Board of Director composition requirements
- Welfare institution code 4648, the state is allowing remote services through December 31, 2028, for certain services and requires DDS reporting and service provider data collection.
- 4731 Complaint Process will go into effect February 1st, 2027.

SG/PRC UPDATES

Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director:

- Share your feedback: Help develop the Definition of “Cost Effective”
- SG/PRC Multi-Family housing opportunity: Prisma Artist Lofts
- Roommate Training
- Community Needs Survey for FY 26/27
- DSP Collaborative LA County
- DSP University
- DSP Internship Program
- Statewide Provider Directory
- Standardized Vendorization
- ICF - Bed holds during temporary absences
- Rate Reform
- DDS QIP – Provider Eligibility to Earn Quality Incentive Rate for FY 2026-27
- How to Check Your Provider Survey Status
- Training on Electronic Visit Verification
- Day Program: Updates for length of day and corresponding billing
- Transportation Additional Component
- Swimming/Drowning Prevention
- American Sign Language Training Support
- Home and Community-Based Services Final Rule
- HCBS – SCLARC Free HCBS training for Service Providers on Community Connecting
- Future HCBS Projects
- Road Safety
- State of Emergency – Orange County
- State of Emergency – Los Angeles County
- SCIL/ Aging Next - Summer Bash 2026
- Stay Connected with SGPRC

Detailed notes can be found in meeting materials.

PUBLIC INPUT

Richard D. Davis Foundation Golf Tournament will take place on Monday, September 14, 2026.

MEETING ADJOURNED

The next regular meeting will be held on August 6, 2026, at 9:30 a.m.



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STRATEGIC DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

Wednesday, July 22, 2026 - 6 P.M.

VIDEOCONFERENCE MEETING

ZOOM Meeting ID: 988 615 875

Password: 667011

Join by [ZOOM link](#)

COMMITTEE MEMBERS			STAFF	
Julie Chetney, Chairperson			Jesse Weller, Executive Director	
Trish Gonzales, Board President	Bill Stewart, 1 st VP		Erika Gomez, Liaison- BOD & RDDF	
Gisele Ragusa, Committee Member	Natalie Webber, Committee Member		Yeilen Hernandez, Chief People Officer	
Yan Li, Committee Member	Lisa Nguyen, Committee Member			

6 PM	1.	A. Public Meeting Call to Order B. Review of Agenda C. Review Meeting Minutes of June 10, 2026
6:05 PM	3.	Public Comment Public Comment - Please email egomez@sgprc.org to sign up
6:10 PM	4	Strategic Plan Updates – <i>Jesse Weller</i>
6:25 PM	5.	A. Continuation of Review of Interview Process/ Questions <i>Julie Chetney and Yeilen Hernandez, Chief People Officer</i>
6:55 PM	6.	Upcoming Agendas Agenda for 8/26/2026 - Interviews Agenda for 9/23/2026 - Board Training Survey
7:00 PM	7.	Adjournment

**SAN GABRIEL/POMONA VALLEYS
DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, INC.
STRATEGIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MINUTES**

June 24, 2026

The following committee members were present at said meeting:

MEMBERS:

Julie Chetney, Chairperson
Trish Gonzales, Board President
Lisa Nguyen, Committee
Member
Bill Stewart, Board Director
Yan Li, Committee Member

STAFF:

Jesse Weller, Executive Director
Yeilen Hernandez, Chief People Officer
Erika Gomez, Liaison to the BOD & RDDF

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Natalie Webber, Committee
Member
Gisele Ragusa, Committee
Member

GUESTS:

Ann

RECOMMENDED BOARD ACTIONS

**THE STRATEGIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS THAT
THEY TAKE ACTION ON THE FOLLOWING:**

ITEMS DISCUSSED

- A) Julie Chetney, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. The meeting started an hour earlier than usual to accommodate interviews. A quorum was established.
- B) **Board Composition:** the following people were interviewed for committee membership:
 - a) D. Hernandez
 - b) Y. Li
 - c) S. Tolchil

M/S/C (Stewart/Gonzales) The committee will recommend Diana Hernandez for membership on the Community Relations/Legislative Advisory Committee.

- The agenda for the meeting was reviewed.
- The minutes of the May 27, 2026 meeting were reviewed and approved.
M/S/C (Stewart/Nguyen) The committee approved the minutes.

C) PUBLIC INPUT
None

D) STRATEGIC PLAN – Strategic Plan – Community Survey Results
Ms. Chetney and Yeilen Hernandez, Chief People Officer, continued the discussion with the committee regarding the interview process. Topics discussed included the use of a fillable PDF application, adding questions to better understand applicants' interest in serving, developing a committee member role description outlining responsibilities and expectations, and establishing a post-interview process. The committee also discussed requiring applicants to attend at least one committee meeting before being interviewed, reviewing applications prior to scheduling interviews, creating a shared Google folder to house applications, and ensuring the application links applicants to information about the committees.

E) ADJOURNED
The meeting was adjourned.

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