



**Seattle**  
Disability Commission

## **Seattle Disability Commission Agenda**

### **September 18, 2025**

**Hybrid Meeting:** In person location at City Hall, 600 4th Ave Room 370, Seattle, WA 98104

#### **Join Zoom Meeting**

Meeting ID: 810 2019 6927

Passcode: 353535

Call in: 253-215-8782

**Expected Commissioners:** Co-Chair JJ Jensen, Co-Chair Bianca Gallegos, Samiya Nasim, Shelby Dey, Kaitlin Skilton, Scot Nelson, Charlie Nguyen (Quorum is 4)

**Nominated commissioners:** Sawyer Stearns, Zachary Dar, Linda Finkle, Julia Thompson, Naomi Snow, Marc Cote, Elliott McMurray and Balvina Cortez

#### **4:05-4:20 Call to Order**

**“We believe in a world where disability is celebrated as an integral part of human diversity, inclusivity, and equity.”** - Stanford Medicine Alliance for Disability Inclusion and Equity (SMADIE)

- **Interaction Agreements**
- **Universal Design:** CART, 16 size font, describe appearance, state your name before you speak, etc.
- **Welcome commission members & introduce new commissioners:** Julia Thompson, Naomi Snow, Marc Cote, Elliott McMurray and Balvina Cortez
- **OCR intros**
- **Public Comment**

#### **4:20-4:25 July Minutes & August Notes**

**JJ**

- Review and approve August minutes (loss of quorum at end of August meeting)
- Review and approve July 2025 minutes

#### **4:25-4:40 FIFA, Hedda McLendon**

[Seattle FIFA World Cup 2026](#) presentation followed by Q&A

#### **4:40-4:50 Co-chair Updates**

**JJ**

- Upcoming guest speakers
  - NAMI and Office of Behavioral Advocacy (OBHA)
  - Comprehensive Plan Collaboration with OCR Commissions

#### **4:50-5:00 Event/Meeting Updates**

- Reminder: 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Expo Resource Fair
  - Sept 21 from 1-5p Tukwila
- Waterfront Park Accessibility Tour Recap
- 2025 Energy, Utility & Resource Summit
  - Tabling event, volunteers needed
  - Oct 30 from 9:00-2:30pm at Museum of Flight

#### **5:00-5:05 CART Captioner Break**

#### **5:05- 5:10 Seattle Office for Civil Rights Updates**

- Commission Budget
- Policy Priorities Presentation – Oct 7, 5:30-6:30 virtual
- Save the date: Commissions Annual Roundtable – Oct 25

#### **5:10-5:55 End of Year Retreat Planning**

- Confirm Retreat Logistics: Nov 20 from 4-8pm Virtual
- Brainstorm Retreat Goals: Input from commissioners on topics of interests

#### **5:55-6:00 Closing Comments & Adjournment**