

I/DD Services Advisory Council

September 24, 2026

Intellectual and Developmental
Services Division

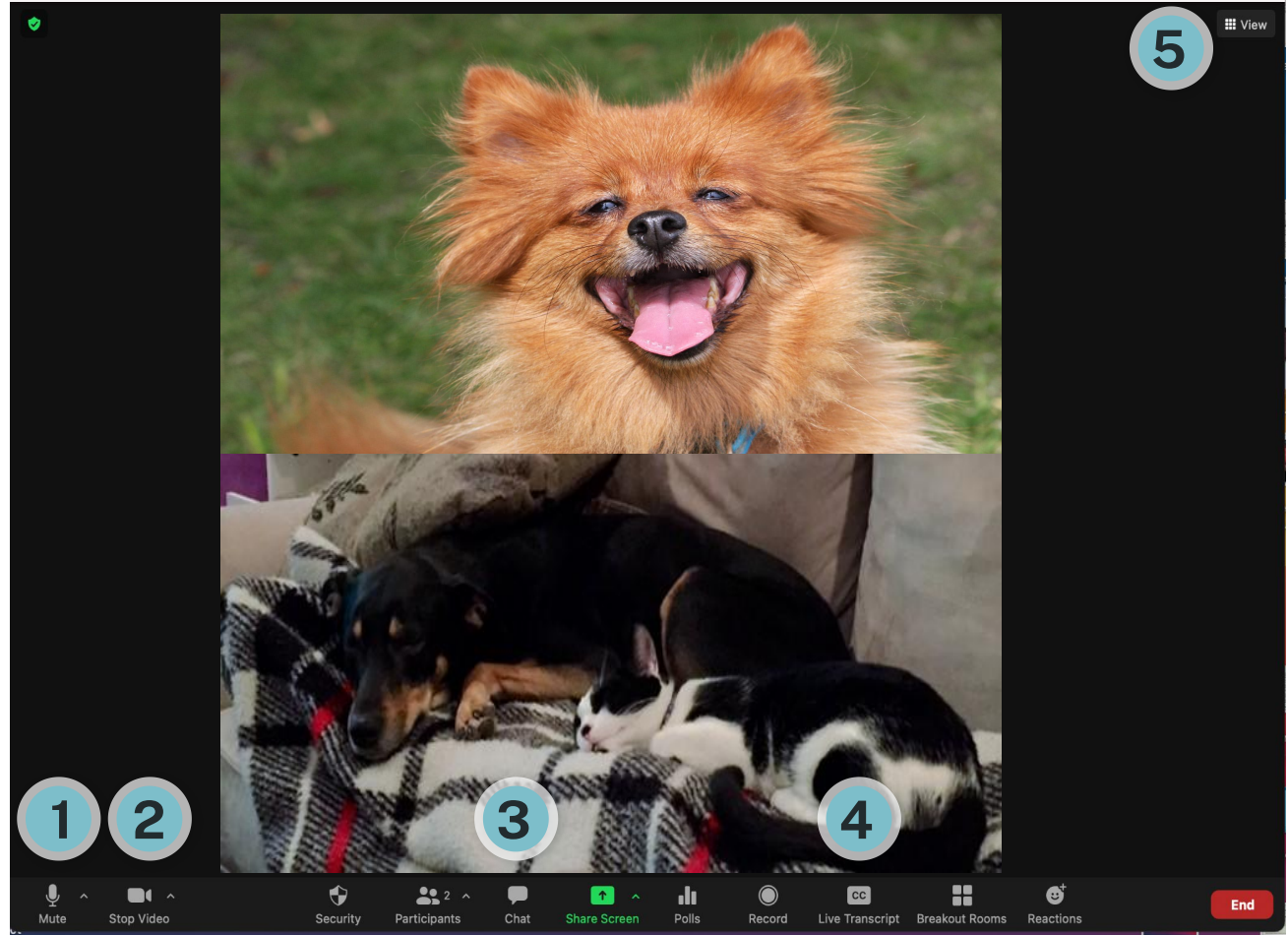


Welcome!



Main features of Zoom to Know:

1. Mute or Unmute
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Land Acknowledgement

We are located in Portland, Oregon, Multnomah county.

Today, we honor the Indigenous people whose traditional and ancestral homelands we stand on — the Multnomah, Kathlamet, Clackamas, Tumwater, Watlala bands of the Chinook, the Tualatin Kalapuya and many other Indigenous nations of the Columbia River.

It is important we acknowledge the ancestors of this place and to recognize that we are here because of the sacrifices forced upon them.

In remembering these communities, we honor their legacy, their lives, and their descendants.

Brief Introductions

Please share:

- Your Name
- Pronouns
- If you're a returning Council member or brand new to the Council—again, welcome! Thank you for joining us.

Agenda Review

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| 1 | Call to Order & Welcome! | 7 | Break |
| 2 | Housekeeping & Technology
Setup: Zoom, Intros, etc. | 8 | Plan for Future Meetings |
| 3 | Public Meeting Standards &
Governance Structure | 9 | County Business & Updates |
| 4 | Bylaws Review & Adoption | 10 | Public Testimony (if requested) |
| 5 | Council Leadership Vote | 11 | Wrap Up & Next Steps |
| 6 | Priority Pulse Check
Activity | | |

Public Meeting Standards & Robert's Rules of Order

Origin

Purpose

Scope

Robert Rules of Order: Key Things to Remember

- 1. One Speaker at a Time**
- 2. The Motion**
- 3. The “Second”**
- 4. Debate & Vote**

Cheat Sheet: How to Speak Robert's Rules



Propose a Rule / Motion

Say: "I move to..."

Second



Debate



Change a Rule

Say: "I move to amend..."

Second



Debate



Ask a Question

Say: "Point of information..."

Second



Debate



Call for Vote

Say: "I call the previous question."

Second



Debate



Using Robert's Rules of Order to Approve our Council Bylaws

Welcome & Overview of Our Bylaws

ARTICLE I: NAME

Multnomah County
Intellectual &
Developmental
Disabilities Advisory
Council



ARTICLE II: PURPOSE

Advises Multnomah
County staff on
planning and
implementing services
for the I/DD
community, their
families, and support
networks.



ARTICLE III: DUTIES

- Policy Feedback
- Link to Community
- Identify Priorities
- Review Service Quality

Overview of Our Bylaws cont.

Membership & Leadership Governance

ARTICLE IV: Membership

- **Size:** Maximum 15 members.
- **Roles:** Chairperson, Chairperson Elect, and Secretary (non-voting County staff).
- **Makeup:** Balanced mix of people experiencing I/DD, advocates, professionals, and citizens.
- **Terms:** Up to 3-year terms (maximum 6 consecutive years).
- **Attendance:** Limit of 3 consecutive or 4 total absences per year.

ARTICLE V: Officers

- **Roles:** Chairperson, Chairperson Elect, and Secretary (non-voting County staff).
- **Terms:** 1-year terms (July 1 - June 30).
- **Elections:** Elected by majority vote during the annual June meeting.
- **Succession:** Chairperson Elect automatically becomes the next Chairperson.

Overview of Our Bylaws cont.

Membership & Leadership Governance

*** The meeting was adjourned
due to lack of a _____.*

- A. quest*
- B. quay*
- C. quorum*
- D. quirk*

Conclusion of Bylaws

Review & Vote on IDDSD Advisory Council Bylaws



Adoption of our IDDSD Advisory Council Bylaws

Facilitating the Formal Vote & Adoption



Council Leadership Vote

Facilitating the Vote & Adoption of Officers:

Electing the Chair & Chair Elect

Brenda Linden: Candidate for Chairperson

MJ Dunne: Candidate for Chairperson Elect

Priority Pulse Check Activity

Four Core Focus Areas from Our Bylaws

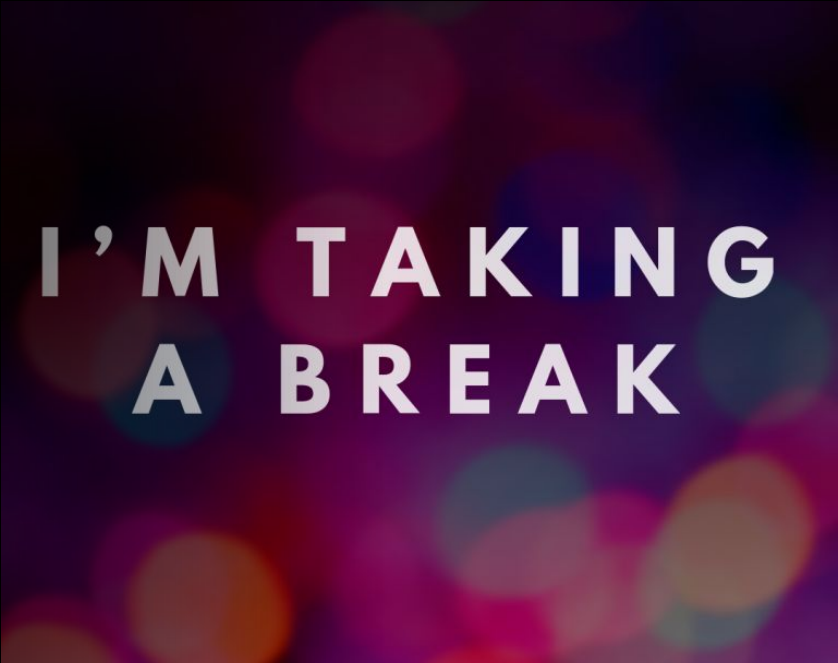
1. **Policy Feedback & County Alignment:** Advising MultCo IDDSD staff and Commissioners on policies.
2. **Community Link & Advocacy:** Hosting educational activities, networking, and public awareness.
3. **Service Priorities & Unmet Needs:** Identifying service gaps for individuals with I/DD and their families.
4. **Service Quality & Effectiveness:** Reviewing local program outcomes and contracted service quality.

Priorities: Pulse Check Activity - Participant Notes

- 1. Service priorities & unmet needs of families, given federal level changes/HR1**
- 2. Advocacy within county and in Salem to preserve community-based services, work with county on priorities**
- 3. Reduce bureaucracy to make service delivery efficient and of high quality**
- 4. Advocacy and information available to help families learn about and receive available services**
- 5. Hearing from the community to learn how things (service delivery/service changes) are affecting and serving them**

Break

5-minute break



**I'M TAKING
A BREAK**

Setting Our Upcoming Meeting Dates

- **Proposed Date 1:** November 19th, 2026
- **Proposed Date 2:** February 18th, 2027*
- **Proposed Date 3:** April 15th, 2027
- **Proposed Date 4:** June 17th, 2027

*Possible hybrid date at new time. TBD during November meeting.

County Business Updates & Strategic Priority Updates

- **Budgetary Outlook:** ODHS Agency Request Budget (ARB) *with Courtney Kemmer*
- **Legislative Calendar:** 2026–27 Session & Advocacy Needs *with Leah Woods*
- **Announcement of Board Proclamation this October:** October 7th for National Disability Employment Awareness Month *with Emily Frankie*

Public Comments Section for our Advisory Council



Department of County Human Services

Wrap Up: Key Takeaways and Next Steps



Thank you for
attending!



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