



**Disability Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes**  
**June 16, 2021**  
**Via Zoom**

**Website :** <http://www.cdfa.ca.gov/exec/EEO/DAC/Index.html>

**DAC Members Present:**

Peggy Blincoe (Chair), David DaSilva (Vice-Chair), Ron Nies (Sec), Kim Mathews, Athar Tariq, Kim Mathews

**DAC Advisors Present:**

Jessica DiLorenzo, Justin Hopper

**Call to Order/Roll Call and Introductions:**

1:36pm

**Minutes read:**

Minutes read by Secretary Ron Nies. Approved.

**Report from EEO:**

Justin Hopper - There have been and are a series of Brown Bag Events happening regarding the Upwardly Mobile Program. Announcements have gone out. Also working with the Diversity Equity and Inclusion Committee on celebration LGBTQ+ pride Month to send out announcements, links to vides, and ending with a Virtual Pride Parade on June 30<sup>th</sup>. EEO is also reviewing the Bilingual Program. The work to provide ADA coordinators in each department has been put on hold due to staffing issues. EEO will be advertising for new positions soon.

Jessica DiLorenzo – Accepted a position at the new Department of Cannabis Control effective 6/28. Many accolades voiced.

**Taskforce:**

Agencies were contacted and fliers for the LEAP presentations were shared. It is unknown if any attended. Peggy may work on a list serve of our agencies. Some work has been done on informational handouts of CDFA intended for outside agencies.

**Business:**

Review of LEAP event. Attended by over 50 people including several people from other state agencies and CDFA supervisors. There was good feedback from attendees.





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Karen Ross, Secretary

Established us as an active DAC and there will probably be more of these type of events in the future.

Ideas for future events –

Possible joint events with other committees.

Disabilities etiquette

Reasonable Accommodations with possible supervisor training

**Close:**

2:28 pm

