

**CIDSO Agenda –General Membership Meeting
April 16, 2024 7:30 PM. – virtual via zoom link**

1. Call To Order
2. Attendance – certify quorum (25 members as of 4/4/24; of which 9 are “active”)
3. Approval of Meeting Minutes
 - a. December 18, 2023
4. President’s Report
 - a. Thanks to all who worked on the 50th Anniversary Celebration,
 - i. budget review
 - ii. picture location – how to access?
 - b. Possible presentation from Julie Smith (Ameriprise Financial) regarding Special Needs Trusts vs ABLE accounts – would like to possibly offer a one-hour workshop this summer in person for our families
 - c. Working with Pam on correcting membership data download
 - d. Books from Kelli Appel – donate to libraries? offer up to families at summer picnic?
 - e. For simplicity we will begin attaching the draft minutes from the previous meeting to the agenda where they will be approved
5. VP Report
 - a. IDDC Update – possible collaboration to establish a Guardianship Agency?
 - b. closed pod for health emergency update – beyond CIDSO’s ability
 - c. Update to PATH database entry completed
 - d. Presentation from U of I Intellectual Disabilities Communication Lab? Timing, how long, during general meeting?
 - e. New parent outreach ideas –
 - i. posting of a link from CIDSO website to area hospitals to connect people with CIDSO? (NADS example)
 - ii. Getting new brochures out to doctors’ offices, OB units, agencies that serve people with disabilities (through IDDC)
 - f. Website
6. Treasurer / VP Funds Administrator Report
7. Secretary Report
8. Committee Reports
 - a. Buddy Walk Report (Kim or Angela)
 - b. Advocacy (Sandy)
 - c. Social Media / Family Outreach / Social (Angela & Wendy)
 - i. Birthday card outreach
 - d. New Parent (Kim or Angela)
 - e. Member at Large – update to by-laws/Critical Decision Matrix (Bethany)
9. Old Business
 - a. 50th anniversary “celebrations” for 2024
 - i. Committee members?
10. New Business
11. Standing Business
 - a. Open question to families – How can CIDSO help you?
12. Adjourn