



Indiana Protection & Advocacy Services Commission
Indiana Disability Rights
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Indiana Protection & Advocacy Services Commission – IPASC
Public Meeting Date: Friday, May 16, 2025 – 1:30pm (ET)

Meeting Minutes

IPASC Attendees: J. Radzinski, K. Dodson, S. Fulton, H. Stephenson, R. Lay, C. Houston, D. Heffelman, L. Hoops, R. Vilensky, R. Johnson

Absent: A. O'Haver

IDR Attendees: M. Keyes, M. Dalrymple, S. Taylor, T. Frayer, E. Munson, S. Adams, J. Heinz, N. Crespo, A. Jarrett, D. Ward, M. Alter, C. Ewoldt, M. Wickham, S. Frantz, D. Morris

Visitors & Other Attendees: T. Crishon, E. Rogers

ASL Interpreters: J. Miller, R. Nowicki

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- I. The meeting was called to order at 1:36pm (ET) by J. Radzinski.
- II. Introductions – Michael Dalrymple, incoming IDR Legal Director, introduced himself.
- III. Changes to Agenda, if any – Finance Report (M. Keyes) will be discussed earlier than listed in the agenda.
- IV. Approval of Minutes from: February 21, 2025* - J. Radzinski asked for a motion to approve the minutes with one noted correction. R. Vilensky made the motion; R. Lay/S. Fulton both seconded the motion. Motion carried to approve the minutes, with the amended correction, by unanimous voice vote.
- V. Reports:
 - A. By-Laws Subcommittee – M. Dalrymple discussed that he would be working on the Commission By-Laws subcommittee and asked if 2-3 members would like to volunteer to also work on the subcommittee, to please contact him. D. Heffelman and J. Radzinski both expressed their interest. M. Dalrymple stated he hopes to share more information on this at the next meeting.
 - B. Membership Subcommittee* – J. Radzinski reporting for A. O'Haver, stated no new updates.
 - C. Strategic Planning Subcommittee – J. Radzinski asked if anyone is interested in working on this subcommittee, please let her know. D. Heffelman indicated she is interested in working on the subcommittee. K. Dodson asked whether a list of committee needs can be published.
 - D. Mental Health Advisory Council (MHAC) – R. Vilensky reported on the MHAC meeting of 5/14/2025. She stated that a new council member was voted in. She also stated her term is ending in August, and that voting will be held at the August meeting to fill the positions of Council Chair and Vice Chair.

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- E. ED Report/Quarterly Report – M. Keyes shared that IDR would have two Legal Interns working in our office this summer. She also shared highlights from the Quarterly Report.
- F. Finance Report* – M. Keyes gave an overview on various financial topics and that IDR awaits word on final funding. She asked for a motion to approve the Finance Report. S. Fulton made the motion; R. Lay seconded. Motion carried approving the Finance Report by unanimous voice vote.
- VI. Old Business:
 - A. Legislative Session Update – E. Munson provided an overview of the status of two Bills, SB2 and SB473. She asked if there were any questions.
- VII. New Business:
 - A. Purple Book Update – M. Wickham gave a presentation on the continuing development of the Purple Book.
 - B. Texas v. Kennedy – S. Adams gave a presentation sharing the details of the importance of this lawsuit currently in court. He then asked if there were any questions.
- VIII. Comments, other business announcements: None
- IX. Next Meeting Date: **Friday, August 22, 2025**
- X. Meeting Adjournment – Meeting was adjourned at 3:15pm (ET) by J. Radziminski.

*Voting Items

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