

# EUREKA: LIVING WITH INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES TOWN HALL FORUM

Eureka City Council Chambers, 531 K Street, Eureka, CA Saturday May 11, 2019, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

A listening session to inform the California Legislature on how Eureka and the surrounding areas service the needs of those with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

## 1. Welcome and Opening Remarks

Assemblymember Wood and Chair Assemblymember Frazier

5 Minutes

### 2. Redwood Coast Regional Center (RCRD)

Rick Blumberg, Executive Director and RCRC Board President, Steve Perez		15 Minutes
1.	Kim Nash, Director of Community Services - Affordable Housing	10 Minutes
2.	Sierra Braggs, and Chris Miller - Employment Services and Outreach	10 Minutes
3.	Rick Blumberg - Diversity Outreach	10 Minutes

3. Self-Advocates 20 Minutes

- 1. Desi Sallis Carol Sund Center with staff Alicia Durham
- 2. Eric Guthery Comprehensive Support Services/HCAR with staff Steven Bohl
- 3. Bill Lacy/Mary Yates Trajectory with staff Kristi Patterson
  Self-Advocates will discuss: Reaching for Independence, Gaining Ground and Trajectory

### 2. Humboldt County Office of Education (SELPA)

10 Minutes

Genevive Macias

Special Beginnings/Mental Health Collaborative: serving preschool special needs children ages birth-5

### 3. Warm Line and CAPTAIN

5 Minutes

Sierra Braggs and Kim Smalley

**Warm Line** is a phone service to help callers talk about their feelings, problems and experiences with a confidential, trained, and compassionate peer.

**CAPTAIN** is a multi-agency network developed to support the understanding and use of Evidence Based Practices for individuals affected by Autism Spectrum Disorder across the state.

4. Public Comments 90 Minutes

5. Closing Remarks 5 Minutes

#### **REGIONAL CENTER SURVEY**

If you or a loved one is a client of one of California's 21 Regional Centers, here is your chance

assembly.ca.gov/intellectual-developmental-disabilities