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AGENDA

ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

OCTOBER 24, 2025

9:30 am – 10:00 am

Welcome:

Virtual Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/ER-ME7f2QOyctmaOI5CuKw>

Relay Conference Captioning:

<https://www.captionsedtext.com/client/event.aspx?EventID=5845918&CustomerID=477>

Communications check and acceptance of minutes

10:00 am – 11:00 am

Presenter: Larry Braasch, Deputy Director for the New Jersey Division of Family Development

Bio: Larry Braasch is the Deputy Director for the NJ Division of Family Development (DFD) which is responsible for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Work First New Jersey (WFNJ), Child Support Services and the Child Care Assistance Program (CCAP). Larry has spent the last 20 years of his career working on SNAP and WFNJ policy and operations working to improve program access by focusing on policy changes, operational efficiencies and outreach. Larry is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker who began his social work career working in direct care of developmentally disabled adults. He worked in psychiatric and medical hospital settings prior to joining DFD in 2005.

DDHH Update:

- Executive Director: Elizabeth Hill

Agency Reports:

- Deaf and Hard of Hearing Specialist Team: Melissa Lamboy
- Language Instruction Program: Carrie Pogue
- Communication Access Team: Monica Ayler

Committee Updates:

- Communications
- Legislative
- Education

Board Open Form:

- Community Input
- New Business
- Announcements

Meeting adjournment

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