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**The next regular meeting of the Commission of the South Carolina Department of Disabilities and Special Needs will be held on Thursday, March 19, 2020, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 251 at the SC Department of Disabilities and Special Needs Central Administrative Office, 3440 Harden Street Extension, Columbia, SC. Please see the attached agenda for the Commission Meeting.**

The Commission will be open to the public. Given the public health guidance to address COVID-19 to limit contact with others to slow the spread of the virus, DDSN will limit the meeting room to Commission Members, presenters, and individuals signed up for public comment. DDSN Central Office Conference Room 180 will be available for all other members of the public to watch the meeting. DDSN is requesting the public and stakeholders to avail themselves this month, if possible, to watch the Commission Meeting through a live feed direct on DDSN's website ([DDSN.sc.gov](http://DDSN.sc.gov)).

For further information or assistance, contact (803) 898-9769 or (803) 898-9600.

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**SOUTH CAROLINA COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES AND SPECIAL NEEDS**

**A G E N D A**

**South Carolina Department of Disabilities and Special Needs  
3440 Harden Street Extension  
Conference Room 251  
Columbia, South Carolina**

**March 19, 2020**

**10:00 A.M.**

1. Call to Order *Chairman Gary Lemel*
2. Welcome - Notice of Meeting Statement *Commissioner Lorri Unumb*
3. Adoption of Agenda
4. Invocation *Commissioner David Thomas*
5. Introduction of Guests
6. Approval of the Minutes of the February 20, 2020 Commission Meeting
7. Public Input
8. Commissioners' Update *Commissioners*
9. Finance and Audit Committee Update *Committee Chairman Robin Blackwood*
10. Policy Committee Update *Committee Chairman Barry Malphrus*
11. Old Business:
  - A. Case Management Update *Mrs. Lori Manos*
  - B. Early Intervention Update *Mrs. Joyce Kimrey*
  - C. Legislative Budget Update *Mr. Pat Maley*
12. New Business:
  - A. Self-Advocate of the Year Award *Mrs. Margie Williamson, The Arc of SC  
Ms. Connie Gallman, Impact SC  
Mr. William Farrior, SC DD Council*
  - B. Brain Injury Awareness Month *Ms. Melissa Ritter*
  - C. Financial Update *Mr. Chris Clark*
  - D. Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update *Mr. Pat Maley*
13. State Director's Report *Director Mary Poole*
14. Executive Session
15. Next Regular Meeting (April 16, 2020)
16. Adjournment