



**DEPARTMENT of Aging and Disability Services (ADS)
Bureau of Education and Services for the Blind (BESB)
Advisory Board for Persons who are Blind or Visually Impaired
Meeting March 20, 2024**

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1. Welcome and Introductions

2. Public Comment

3. Action Items:

- a. Approval of Minutes of the Meeting December 19, 2024**
- b. Approval of Minutes of the special meeting on January 13, 2025**

Old Business

4. Follow Up to Documents Received:

- a. Bureau Program Updates and Report from Director Carol Jenkins**
- b. Budget Update**
- c. Adult Services**
- d. Children's Services**
- e. Bureau of Services for Persons who are Deaf, DeafBlind, or Hard of Hearing Update**

5. Legislative Update including any proposed legislation affecting BESB Jennifer Proto, Legislative Liaison, ADS

6. Advisory Board Applicants and Resignations update

New Business

- 7. Letter from a Parent of a Blind Child update**
- 8. Collaboration: SRC and Synergy Update Phillip Magalnick**
- 9. Points to the Good and Welfare**
- 10. Adjournment**

Next Meeting: June 12, 2025

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