

**Board of Vocational Rehabilitation (BVR) Quarterly Meeting
Wednesday, September 3rd, 2025**

Virtual Meeting held via Zoom

9:00 AM (Central Time) – New Member Orientation

10:00 AM (Central Time) – Quarterly BVR Meeting

Meeting related information can be found on the South Dakota’s Board and Commissions Portal at: <https://boardsandcommissions.sd.gov/Meetings.aspx?BoardID=105>

The public may participate in the meeting by computer or by mobile device. If you would like to attend the Zoom meeting, via computer or by phone, please contact BVR staff to request the Zoom meeting link and password or the telephone number, prior to the scheduled meeting date.

You can reach BVR Staff at cwagoner@bhssc.org or 605.494.3613.

A conference room at the Department of Human Services (DHS) state office is available for people who want to participate in the Virtual Meeting. DHS is located at Hillsvieview Properties Plaza; 3800 E Hwy 34, Pierre, SD.

<p>9:00 AM (Central Time) New Member Orientation</p> <p>New Board Members and any other interested member(s)</p>

10:00 AM Quarterly BVR Meeting	Lead Person	Information Or Action Item
<p>10:00 AM Opening Actions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Housekeeping Items • Welcome & Introductions • Review of Voting Process 	Jonathan Englund, Chairperson	Information
<p>Review & Approve Meeting Agenda Agenda and meeting related information can be found at: https://boardsandcommissions.sd.gov/Meetings.aspx?BoardID=105</p>	Jonathan Englund	Action Item/Vote
<p>Review & Approve Meeting Minutes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BVR Meeting Minutes from 06/26/2025 • Exec Committee Meeting Minutes from 08/13/2025 	Jonathan Englund	Action Item/Vote

10:15 AM Public Comment If you are interested in providing public comment, please send notification to cwagoner@bhssc.org or call (605) 494.3613	Jonathan Englund	Information
10:20 AM Announcements	Jonathan Englund	Information
10:25 AM Review of State's Open Meetings Laws	Colette Wagoner	Information
10:40 AM Division of Rehabilitation Services (DRS) Director's Comments & Updates	Eric Weiss	Information
10:55 AM DRS Program Initiatives	Bernie Grimme & Staff	Information
11:45 AM Transition Services Liaison Project Update	Dan Rounds	Information
12:15 PM Brookings District Office Overview	Sylvia Buboltz	Information
12:30 PM Statewide Independent Living Council (SILC) Update	Eric Weiss	Information
12:40 PM BVR Staff Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Disability Employment Awareness Month (NDEAM) Update • Governor's Awards Update • Budget 	Colette Wagoner	Information
12:50 PM Other Business	Jonathan Englund	Information
12:55 PM Closing Actions (Tentative End Time) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Future Agenda Items • Next Meeting – Doodle Poll will be disseminated • Adjourn for the Day 	Jonathan Englund	Action Item/Vote

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Meeting Tips: Please put cell phones on vibrate/silence; one person talks at a time; state your name before speaking so all participants know who is commenting, be respectful; everyone listens; and come prepared.