

# *Virginia Department for the Blind and Vision Impaired*

## **ANNOUNCEMENT OF PUBLIC MEETINGS**

During the fall of 2020, the Department for the Blind and Vision Impaired (DBVI) will conduct four virtual public meetings using Zoom. These meetings provide stakeholders an opportunity to make comments regarding DBVI programs and services. DBVI seeks input regarding agency strategic planning, development of agency policies and procedures, and implementing services and supports to potentially eligible and eligible individuals who are blind, vision impaired, and deafblind. DBVI is particularly interested in comments regarding the following programs, services, and divisions:

- Independent Living/Rehabilitation Teaching
- Education Services
- Low Vision Services
- Deafblind Services
- Virginia Rehabilitation Center for the Blind and Vision Impaired Programs
- Rehabilitation Technology Services
- Vocational Rehabilitation and Workforce Services
- Library and Resource Center Services
- Virginia Industries for the Blind
- Virginia Enterprises for the Blind

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- 1- Disconnect VPN as ZOOM works better and faster without VPN (only use VPN if you require access to VPN resources during the meeting)
- 2 - Close any other applications in the background you don't need for your meeting.
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- 4 - Make someone Co-Host at the beginning of the meeting so if your connection drops your meeting will continue, and you can rejoin the meeting without interruption.
- 5 -Make any participants that need to Share Screen a Co-host at the beginning of the meeting, Only Host and Co Hosts can Share Screen during the meeting.

## **1. October 26, 2020 7:45-8:45 PM**

Public Meeting held in conjunction with the National Federation of the Blind State Convention,

Zoom Link:

<https://zoom.us/j/8297256345?pwd=SFAYamlQNU44ZTJ6dUZNMtV4RmhCQT09>

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[tel: +13017158592,,8297256345#](tel:+13017158592,,8297256345#)

Telephone Dial: 1 (301) 715-8592

Meeting ID: 829 725 6345#

If you are prompted for a password, the password is 2020 1940

## **2. Friday, November 13 10:00 – 11:00 am**

Public Meeting held in conjunction with the Conversations About Blindness program at VRCBVI

Join from PC, Mac, Linux, iOS or Android: <https://vadars.zoom.us/j/86385222591>

Password: 321289

Or Telephone:

Dial:

+1 786 635 1003 (US Toll)

+1 971 247 1195 (US Toll)

+1 669 900 6833 (US Toll)

Meeting ID: 863 8522 2591

Password: 321289

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then Press Dial Key, you are in the meeting.

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H.323:

Meeting ID: 863 8522 2591

Password: 321289

SIP: [86385222591@zoomcrc.com](mailto:86385222591@zoomcrc.com)

Password: 321289

## **3. November 18, 2020 2:00 pm - 3:00pm**

Join from PC, Mac, Linux, iOS or Android: <https://vadars.zoom.us/j/86257349112>

Password: 009496

Or Telephone:

Dial:

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Meeting ID: 862 5734 9112

Password: 009496

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H.323:

Meeting ID: 862 5734 9112

Password: 009496

SIP: [86257349112@zoomcrc.com](mailto:86257349112@zoomcrc.com)

Password: 009496

#### 4. November 18, 2020 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM

Join from PC, Mac, Linux, iOS or Android: <https://vadars.zoom.us/j/89706330141>

Password: 478347

Or Telephone:

Dial:

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Meeting ID: 897 0633 0141

Password: 478347

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Your dial field should look like 162.255.36.11##

Now enter the meeting ID right after the ## with no spaces and no dots then Press Dial Key, you are in the meeting.

ZOOM will now ask for the Password, Press the # Key to make sure Dial Tones are enabled and enter the password, if no entry appears in the password field,

hit # again and re enter the password, followed by the # key.

H.323:

Meeting ID: 897 0633 0141

Password: 478347

SIP: [89706330141@zoomcrc.com](mailto:89706330141@zoomcrc.com)

Password: 478347

*Individuals requiring interpreters or other special accommodations should contact **Susan K. Davis** (800-622-2155) at least two weeks prior to the meeting to request the preferred accommodation.*

Written and e-mail comments may be submitted prior to December 31, 2020 Susan K. Davis, Senior Policy Analyst, DBVI, 397 Azalea Avenue, Richmond, VA, 23227, [Susan.Davis@dbvi.virginia.gov](mailto:Susan.Davis@dbvi.virginia.gov) 804-371-3140/1-800-622-2155 (Voice/TTY).