

DIRECT VIDEO CALLING (DVC) FORUM

WORKING AGENDA

Tuesday, July 30, 2024 at FCC Headquarters Commission Meeting Room
Livestreamed at www.fcc.gov/live

- 1:00 – 1:10 **Welcome Remarks:**
Chairwoman Rosenworcel, Federal Communications Commission (FCC)
- 1:10-1:30 **Overview of Executive Orders about Accessible Federal Consumer Service:**
Rachel Patterson, Director for Disability Policy, White House Domestic Policy Council
Overview of DVC:
Bill Wallace, Attorney-Advisor, Disability Rights Office (DRO), Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau (CGB), FCC
- 1:30-1:40 **DVC Demonstration: FCC American Sign Language (ASL) Consumer Support Line**
Robert McConnell and Ivy Bonheyo, DVC Telecommunications Accessibility Specialists, DRO/CGB/FCC
- 1:40-2:25 **Panel: What Are The Benefits Of DVC?**
Moderator: Suzy Rosen Singleton, Chief, DRO
Panelists: Zainab Alkebsi, Policy Counsel, National Association of the Deaf
 Bobbi Cordano, President, Gallaudet University
 Tia Dole, Chief Officer, 988 Suicide and Crisis Line
 AnnMarie Killian, Chief Executive Officer, TDI
 Tom Wlodkowski, Vice President, Accessibility, Comcast
- 2:25-2:30 5 minute break
- 2:30-3:15 **Panel: How Can A Federal Agency Implement DVC?**
Moderator: Michael Scott, Deputy Chief, DRO
Panelists: Lisa Bothwell, Program Analyst, U.S. Health and Human Services
 Disability Information and Access Line
 Sarah Decosse, Assistant Legal Counsel for the ADA & GINA Division,
 Office of Legal Counsel, U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity
 Commission
 Vannessa LeBoss, Chief Development Officer, 360 Direct Video
 Robert McConnell, ASL Consumer Support Line Subject Matter Expert
 Chris Soukup, CEO, Communications Service for the Deaf (CSD)
- 3:15-3:20 **Closing Remarks & Introduction of Exhibit Hall:**
Alejandro Roark, Chief, CGB
- 3:20-4:00 **Exhibit Hall – Visit and Try Out DVC!**
Exhibitors: 360 Direct Video, ACE Direct, CSD, VTCSecure