

# **PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEETING**

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The next regular meeting of the  
**Acadiana Regional Advisory Council (ARAC)**  
is scheduled for:

**Friday, September 19, 2025 @ 12:00 PM**  
**in Auditorium # 4**

**at**

Acadiana Area Human Services District  
302 Dulles Drive  
Lafayette, LA 70506

**\*\* This meeting is open to the public\*\***

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# **ACADIANA REGIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING**

## **Acadiana Area Human Services District**

### **Meeting Agenda September 19, 2025**

#### **12:00 NOON Tyler Mental Health Center**

**Call to Order – Dorothy Cole, ARAC Chair**

- 1. Mission/Vision Statement- Introductions**
- 2. Approval of Agenda**
- 3. Approval of Minutes (all minutes and notes)**
- 4. New Member(s) to be seated \_\_\_\_\_**
- 5. Fund Request updated budget request for receipts from Behavioral Day  
Fund Request Finance/Program Committee— plan for future outreach**
  - a) Fund requests – receipts from outreach**
  - b) Budget Balance – amount for 2025-2026**
  - c) Bylaw’s review -Committee for local bylaws**
- 6. Unfinished Business -Letter/ Thank you for form of communication given to past officers for their years of time and efforts toward the Council.**
- 7. New Business –IUP feedback form, outreach efforts, review of our advocacy needs?**
- 8. District Report – Brad Farmer, Executive Director 3. How can we implement them**
- 9. Behavioral Health Services Report – Yancey Mire, Director of Behavioral Health- updates) intended use plan are we up to date? Need to be signed?**
- 10. Guests/Announcements Welcome New Members**
- 11. Next meeting – November 14, 2025 - 12:00 PM / Place TBD**
- 12. Adjourn**

#### *Mission:*

*To improve the quality of life for all adults and children with a mental health diagnosis and/or substance use disorders in Acadiana by advocating for behavioral health issues on their behalf.*

#### *Vision:*

*Increase awareness and provide effective treatment and supports essential for  
Living and participating fully in Acadiana.*