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## FCC CONSUMER PROTECTION AND ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP APPOINTMENTS AND FIRST MEETING DATE

By this Public Notice, the Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC or Commission) announces the first meeting of the Commission's Consumer Protection and Accessibility Advisory Committee (CPAAC or Committee) for this term and the appointment of Committee members, including its Co-Chairs. The CPAAC is organized under, and will be operated in accordance with, the Federal Advisory Committee Act<sup>1</sup> and will provide advice and recommendations to the Commission on a wide array of consumer protection and accessibility matters specified by the Commission. The CPAAC was previously known as the Consumer Advisory Committee (CAC) and was renamed to better reflect its broader mission, which now includes matters relating to disability access.

**Membership.** In August 2024, the Commission solicited applications for membership for the CPAAC's current term.<sup>2</sup> After careful consideration of the applications and nominations for membership received,<sup>3</sup> the Chairman has selected 27 members for this term of the CPAAC, as listed below. The membership consists of a mix of non-profit organizations representing consumers, communications companies, and trade associations.

David M. Pérez, National Community Impact Manager, Consumer Affairs and Outreach Division (CAOD), Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau (CGB), and Joshua Mendelsohn, Attorney Advisor, Disability Rights Office, CGB, will serve as co-Designated Federal Officers (DFOs).

During the Committee's new term, it is anticipated that, each year, the Committee will hold at least two or three one-day plenary meetings in-person or, if appropriate, by video conference. In addition, as needed, working groups or subcommittees will be established to facilitate the Committee's work between meetings of the full Committee on matters specified by the Commission.

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<sup>1</sup> 5 U.S.C. ch 10.

<sup>2</sup> On August 5, 2024, the Commission announced the anticipated rechartering of and solicited applications for membership for this term of the committee, which runs from October 9, 2024, through October 8, 2026. *FCC Announces Anticipated Renewal of its Consumer Advisory Committee and Solicits Nominations for Membership*, Public Notice, DA 24-755 (CGB Aug. 5, 2024) <https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/DA-24-755A1.pdf>. Further, on August 1, 2024, the Commission solicited applications for membership for the Disability Advisory Committee (DAC). *FCC Announces Anticipated Renewal of its Disability Advisory Committee and Solicits Nominations for Membership*, Public Notice, DA 24-734 (CGB Aug. 1, 2024) <https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/DA-24-734A1.pdf>.

<sup>3</sup> This selection also included consideration of certain applications and nominations for the Disability Advisory Committee, *see supra* note 2, several of whose functions have been added to the CPAAC. Those members appointed to the CPAAC that had originally applied for the DAC expressed to the Commission an interest in serving on the CPAAC, and were therefore considered for membership.

**First Meeting.** The CPAAC will hold the first meeting of this term in-person on **Wednesday, September 10, 2025, at 9:00 a.m.** Eastern time. This will be an in-person meeting taking place in the FCC's Commission Meeting Room located at 45 L Street NE in Washington, DC.

The meeting will address (i) the roles and responsibilities of the Committee and its members; (ii) issues that the Committee will address during this term; (iii) meeting schedules; and (iv) any other topics relevant to the CPAAC's work. The meeting will be led by co-chairs: Logan Kolas, Director of Technology, The American Consumer Institute and Elizabeth Hill, Board Member-at-Large, National Association of State Agencies for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing. The meeting agenda will be available at [www.fcc.gov/cpaac](http://www.fcc.gov/cpaac) and may be modified at the discretion of the Committee DFOs.

The Committee meeting will be open to the public with audio and video coverage of the meeting at [www.fcc.gov/live](http://www.fcc.gov/live). During the meeting, members of the public may submit questions and comments to the Committee via email: [livequestions@fcc.gov](mailto:livequestions@fcc.gov). These comments or questions may be addressed during the public comment period.

Open captioning and sign language interpreters will be provided for this event. Other reasonable accommodations for people with disabilities are available upon request. Requests for such accommodations should be submitted via e-mail to [fcc504@fcc.gov](mailto:fcc504@fcc.gov) or by calling the CGB at (202) 418-0530 (voice). Such requests should include a detailed description of the accommodation needed and specify how the FCC should contact the requester if more information is needed to fill the request. Please provide at least five business days' advance notice of accommodation requests; last-minute requests will be accepted but may not be possible to accommodate.

To obtain further information about the Committee, visit [www.fcc.gov/cpaac](http://www.fcc.gov/cpaac), or contact Committee DFOs David M. Pérez at (202) 418-0664 or Joshua Mendelsohn at 202-559-7304 (videophone / voice) or [CPAAC@fcc.gov](mailto:CPAAC@fcc.gov).

**MEMBERS OF THE CONSUMER PROTECTION AND  
ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

*David M. Pérez, Designated Federal Officer  
Joshua Mendelsohn, Designated Federal Officer*

**Co-Chairs:** Elizabeth Hill, Board Member-at-Large, National Association of State Agencies for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing  
Logan Kolas, Director of Technology, The American Consumer Institute

**Members:**

<b>AARP</b> Primary: Coralette M. Hannon, Director of Livable Communities, Government Affairs	Alternate: Tim Morstad, Government Affairs Director
<b>American Association of People with Disabilities (AAPD)</b> Primary: Michael Lewis, Vice President of Policy	Alternate: Maitreya Shah, Tech Policy Director
<b>The American Consumer Institute</b> Primary: Logan Kolas, Director of Technology	Alternate: Tirzah Duren, President & CEO
<b>American Council of the Blind (ACB)</b> Primary: Claire Stanley, Director of Advocacy and Governmental Affairs	Alternate: Scott Thornhill, Executive Director
<b>Apple Inc.</b> Primary: Megan Anne Stull, Sr. Mgr., Gov't Relations & Regulatory	Alternate: James Craig, Accessibility Standards Manager
<b>AT&amp;T</b> Primary: Angela DeMahy Dais, Director, Federal Regulatory, External & Legislative Affairs Organization	Alternate: Susan Mazrui, Director of Public Policy

<b>Comcast NBCUniversal</b> Primary: Thomas Wlodkowski, Vice President of Accessibility	Alternates: Sean Durkin, Director of Accessibility - Product Management Richard Wikoff, Principal Engineer, Product Development Engineering Hannah Lepow, Senior Counsel, Regulatory Affairs
<b>Common Sense</b> Primary: Amina Fazlullah, Head of Tech Policy Advocacy	
<b>Consumer Technology Association</b> Primary: Rachel Nemeth, Senior Director Regulatory Affairs	Alternate: David Grossman, Vice President of Regulatory Affairs
<b>CTIA – The Wireless Association</b> Primary: Christiaan Segura, Assistant Vice President, Regulatory Affairs	Alternate: Courtney Tolerico, Director, Regulatory Affairs
<b>Deaf Equality</b> Primary: Zainab Alkebsi, Chief Policy Officer	Alternate: Howard Rosenblum, Chief Executive Officer
<b>Digital Progress Institute</b> Primary: Joel Thayer, President	
<b>Google LLC</b> Primary: Jonathan Mark, Associate Corporate Counsel	
<b>Helen Keller National Center (HKNC)</b> Primary: Scott Davert, Lead Research and Training Specialist	
<b>The Internet and Competitive Network Association (INCOMPAS)</b> Primary: Taylor Abshire, Policy Advisor	Alternate: Christopher Shipley, Executive Director of Public Policy

<b>The Kapor Center</b> Primary: Lili Gangas, Chief Technology Community Officer	
<b>National Association of Broadcasters</b> Primary: Joshua N. Pila, Vice President, Assistant General Counsel, Gray Television, Inc.	Alternate: Larry Walke, Associate General Counsel
<b>National Association of State Agencies of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (NASADHH)</b> Primary: Elizabeth Hill, Board Member-at-Large	Alternate: Darlene Goncz Zangara, Board Member-at-Large
<b>National Center for Resource Development (NCRD) / RuralRISE</b> Primary: Tina Metzger, Vice President and Co-Founder	
<b>National Consumer Law Center</b> Primary: Olivia Wein, Senior Attorney	Alternate: Margot Saunders, Senior Counsel
<b>National Consumers League</b> Primary: John Breyault, Vice President, Public Policy, Telecommunications and Fraud	Alternate: Eden Iscil, Public Policy Manager
<b>NCTA -- The Internet &amp; Television Association</b> Primary: Pamela Arluk, Vice President & Associate General Counsel	Alternates: Radhika Bhat, Vice President and Associate General Counsel Kyle Dixon, Vice President & Deputy General Counsel, Program Network Policy
<b>Project GOAL</b> Primary: Debra Berlyn, Executive Director	
<b>Rural Community College Alliance</b> Primary: Christopher Breitmeyer, President	
<b>T-Mobile US, Inc.</b> Primary: Karl E. Gerner, Corporate Counsel, Government Affairs - Federal Regulatory	Alternate: Dennis A. Selznick, Senior Accessibility Compliance Manager - T-Mobile For Business

<b>USTelecom -- The Broadband Association</b> Primary: Diana Eisner, Vice President, Policy and Advocacy	Alternate: Kathleen Slattery Thompson, Vice President, Regulatory & Legal Affairs
<b>Verizon Communications</b> Primary: Zachary Bastian, Senior Manager, Strategic Alliances	Alternate: Ian Dillner, Associate General Counsel

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