

**State of Connecticut  
Department of Developmental Services  
West Region  
Advisory Council**

**Thursday, January 23, 2014  
4:30 pm  
Ella Grasso Center  
300 Armory Road  
Stratford, CT**

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## Agenda

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- **Call to Order**
- **Citizen Comments**
- **New Business**
  - **Regional Director Announcements**  
*Shannon O'Brien, Ass't Regional Director, Private Division (for Fritz Gorst)*
  - **Community of Practice Presentation**  
*Robin Wood, Director of Family Support Strategies and Advocacy*
  - **Self Determination Update**  
*Beth Aura Miller, Self Determination Director*
  - **Update of Family Hearings Day**  
*Mickey Herbst, Chairperson*
- **Old Business**
  - **New Member Nomination Vote on Approval**  
*Mickey Herbst, Chairperson*
- **Adjournment**