

Governor's PCA Workforce Council
October 1, 2021

	Member Category per CGC Section 17b-706a	Designee
1	Governor's Appointment <i>"a member of an organization representing the interests of elderly consumers"</i>	Fran Mazarella Housing Director, Corporation for Independent Living
2	Governor's Appointment <i>"a member of an organization representing the interests of consumers with developmental disabilities"</i>	Kathleen Flaherty Executive Director, the Connecticut Legal Rights Project
3	Governor's Appointment <i>"a member of an organization representing the interests of consumers with physical disabilities"</i>	Eileen Healy Executive Director, Independence Northwest, Center for Independent Living
4	House Speaker Ritter <i>"a member of an organization representing the interests of consumers with developmental disabilities"</i>	Margaret Szymanski Parent of Consumer & Employer of Record
5	House Majority Leader Rojas <i>"a member of an organization representing the interests of elderly consumers"</i>	VACANT
6	House Minority Leader Candelora <i>"a member of an organization representing the interests of consumers with physical disabilities"</i>	VACANT Nominee Pending
7	Senate Minority Leader Kelly <i>"a member of an organization representing the interests of elderly consumers"</i>	VACANT
8	President Pro Tempore Looney <i>"a member of an organization representing the interests of consumers with physical disabilities"</i>	VACANT
9	Senate Majority Leader Duff <i>"a member of an organization representing the interests of consumers with developmental disabilities"</i>	VACANT
10	DSS – Commissioner Gifford <i>"the Commissioner of the Department of Social Services or the Commissioner's designee"</i>	Dawn Lambert Co-Leader Community Options Unit, DSS

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11	OHA – Health Care Advocate Ted Doolittle <i>“the Healthcare Advocate or the Healthcare Advocate’s designee”</i>	Adam Prizio Staff Attorney, OHA
12	DDS – Commissioner Scheff <i>“the Commissioner of the Department of Developmental Services or the Commissioner’s designee”</i>	Denise Paladino Director, DDS Self Determination
13	Office of Policy and Management – Governor Lamont <i>“the Secretary of the Office of Policy & Management or the Secretary’s designee”</i>	David Guttchen Chair of the PCA Workforce Council, and Director, Health and Human Services Planning, Office of Policy Management