**NCCDD Launches Virtual Road Tour to “Meet” Communities**

The North Carolina Council on Developmental Disabilities (NCCDD) hit the virtual road to [gather input from individuals with intellectual or other developmental disabilities (I/DD), family members, caregivers and other stakeholders](https://urldefense.com/v3/__http:/r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=0014VcCiJfop0lurRaX9EwmRuTjjhkqMSB9qVGly9PD_Gud20ybOUNzyfRYCz2Znzp-wFVXZY08S5mrMtGxqYEEQ8GIQQVsvcgwTtAM0SIb4VerzxXH_WGp8cUf8wmxWAI4rQ5SWcauf2H7OTKPEjnG6KNC2sAyCDwE8UZ0EHSJZHhV1sdoZu5A4bq7B1u3pj3XXLPOQD8eBOvkF152ZDncazLxOz_ZsZH_JLQGTEqiK3xH_jXzKY2-cTK6Ck3fGA2Cq-g_JxQcLkk=&c=FUpMMisiHauGv7AfyJsS4ijl0yOWunfE2NL6PUQ9R_M5iORk7oiwRw==&ch=B2_oCKKr8S6dRgOiWSOd2qFFza4tV1TjLrdfFuHgrKvlwwIRsKx9yA==__;!!HYmSToo!JNMWm_Hkb798oOUyupvmCcgQ73POXx9PSJOd9vDJHxqhk9u03PGvAxNfi9AdUHNs5B3xvT_VWT9X$).

NCCDD will host two sessions per region, allowing family members, individuals with I/DD, caregivers and other stakeholders an opportunity to share what matters most to them. Your input and information will be collected through a series of [Conversations with the Council - Virtual Road Tour.](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/nccdd-conversations-with-the-council-virtual-road-tour-tickets-104083626930?aff=CouncilMembers)

As a member of the NCCDD, I invite you to register and participate in one of the following online sessions:

·     **Piedmont Region: Monday, May 18**

·     12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

·     6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

·     **Coastal Region: Monday, June 1**

·     12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

·     6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

If you live in the Piedmont or Coastal region, I hope you participate in a Virtual Road Tour session coming up. Please register on [EventBrite here](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/nccdd-conversations-with-the-council-virtual-road-tour-tickets-104083626930?aff=CouncilMembers). If we missed you in the Mountain Region, you can still join us on the Piedmont or Coastal calls!

In addition to the virtual listening sessions, the Council is also seeking in-depth information through [Individual, Family, and Community Stakeholder online surveys](https://nccdd.org/news-media/action-alerts/971-nccdd-launches-five-year-planning-process-2022-2026.html?utm_source=councilmember&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=fysp&utm_content=formalcmletter#survey) beginning in May which can also be found on NCCDD’s website.

Your input will help the Council to begin building its [Five-Year State Plan (5YSP)](https://nccdd.org/news-media/action-alerts/971-nccdd-launches-five-year-planning-process-2022-2026.html?utm_source=councilmember&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=fysp&utm_content=formalcmletter#survey) for the 2022-2026 5YSP (October 1, 2021 – September 30, 2026). The Five-Year State Plan is the Council’s blueprint for creating a better North Carolina for individuals with I/DD.