

LOS ANGELES COUNTY  
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNCIL



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**LGBTQI+ ISSUES COMMITTEE MEETING**

Mission Statement

*To engage communities, bring visibility, and raise awareness of the disproportionate prevalence of domestic violence, as well as the multiple forms of violence impacting LGBTQI+ communities. To educate service providers while recognizing the systems of oppression that lead to barriers in access to services; Expand LGBTQI+ affirming and inclusive services to people who experience violence and people using power and control. To incorporate the needs of LGBTQI+ people county wide and build healthier LGBTQI+ communities in Los Angeles County.*

**Tuesday, May 11, 2021**

**10:00 am to 11:15 am | Pacific Time (US & Canada)**



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Meeting number (access code): 145 574 5896

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**AGENDA**

- I. Call to Order/Introductions – Gio Martinez, Co-Chair and Mieke Failey, Co-Chair
- II. Announcements
- III. Emerging Issues
- IV. Topic: A Discussion on the VAWA  
Speaker: Rebecca Henry, Deputy Chief Council for the American Bar Association's Commission on Domestic and Sexual Violence
- V. Public Comments: Not to exceed two minutes per person
- VI. Matters Not on the Posted Agenda (*to be presented and placed on a future agenda*)
- VII. Next meeting is **July 13, 2021**
- VIII. Adjournment

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