



The Commission on
Women, Children, Seniors, Equity & Opportunity

CWCSEO

Connecticut General Assembly

CWCSEO Full Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

Thursday, December 14, 2023

10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

VIA Zoom:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87064260254?from=addon>

- I. Welcoming Remarks - Co-chairs and Executive Director welcomed the group.
- II. Discussion by State Comptroller Sean Scanlon
- III. Subcommission Updates
- IV. Advisory Board Survey
 - a. <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NKBNB6X>
- V. Closing Remarks

Attendees: Alan Tan, Karen Jarmoc, Alan Tan, Karen Jarmoc, Sylvia Ho, Bruni Pizarro, Joan Barere, Mui Mui McCormick. Christy Kovel.

Topics covered:

- Prescription drug discount card and savings program. [0:03](#)
- Retirement savings and state finances in Connecticut. [5:09](#)
- State budget, healthcare, and rural issues. [11:35](#)

- Healthcare access and affordability in Connecticut. [17:23](#)
- State government transparency and communication. [22:18](#)
- Legislative issues, events for grandparents raising children, and Black History Month. [27:08](#)
- Mental health, informal caregiving, and rural communities. [31:33](#)
- AI impacts and family caregiving in Connecticut. [36:21](#)