Introductions/Announcements - Nancy Volpert, Co-Chair, Minty Siu-Kootnikoff, Co-Chair. Please sign in the chat, and welcome new participants.

<u>Meeting Protocols Announced</u>: Before we begin this meeting, please be reminded that this is an open and public meeting. Therefore, anything discussed is not protected by any type of confidentiality. Any client identifying information should not be presented. Please avoid discussion of personal cases as well. If you need additional resources, please contact the co-chairs after this meeting.

- I. 2025 Legislation & Policies
 - a. State see bill chart. If you need access to the bill chart, email Nancy at <u>Nancy@progadvisors.com</u> or Minty at msiu-kootnikoff@thepeopleconcern.org
 - b. Federal no government shutdown happened.
 - c. Local
 - i. City asked for leg priorities, Carol was able to provide bill chart.
 - ii. County DVC general meeting tomorrow; County posted final report on Preventing Homelessness Among Survivors of Domestic Violence
- II. Emerging Issues
 - a. Discussion held on application of FC 3044 in dependency court.
- III. Follow up on items from previous meeting.
 - a. State Bar Committee on Professional Responsibility and Conduct is starting a working group on attorney solicitation of DVRO Respondents prior to service and if interested, please communicate with the committee if you have not already done so.
- IV. Matters not on the posted agenda (to be presented and placed on a future agenda)
 - a. Gail wished to discuss what will be done when we lose federal funding; Nancy suggested it was a topic bigger than LARP and would be better addressed at DVA or DVC general meeting.
- V. Public Comments (not to exceed two minutes per person and must be on items of interest which are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Council.)

- Jerilyn wanted to let everyone know about the free Self Defense clinic being offered on March 23 at noon by Councilmember Nazarian at 5321 Tujunga Avenue
- VI. Reminder to complete our DVC Monthly Meeting Evaluation Survey: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/C8MC8V9
- VII. Next meeting is scheduled for April 17, 2025 at JFS Hope Offices.
- VIII. Adjourn