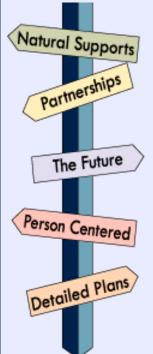


# **ELARC Consumer Advisory Committee**



#### **WE BELIEVE**

People with developmental disabilities can be empowered to make choices in all areas of their life, be included in their communities, and participate in decisions affecting their lives.

### **CAC PURPOSE**



The CAC encourages people with developmental disabilities to become active decision-makers and representatives for others.



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### WHAT WE DO



Speak up for ourselves and other people with disabilities. Learn about important issues that affect us. Share information about our rights.

### **CAC ADVISES THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**



The CAC Chair is a member of the ELARC Board of Directors and brings issues to each Board meeting that are important to people with disabilities.



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#### **MEMBERSHIP**



Any person who receives services from the regional center can be a CAC member.

#### **OFFICERS**



CAC members elect officers to run their meetings. Officers are responsible for deciding what projects the CAC will work on. Officers also appoint sub-committees to work on special projects.

### **MEETINGS**



The CAC meets 4 times a year. The day and time of the meeting is decided by members and ELARC staff.