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Subject: Re: Region IV ACL/SUA Directors Meeting at SE4A

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I plan to attend. See you at 7:00

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On Sep 21, 2014, at 12:42 PM, "Miskis, Constantinos (ACL/ORO/Region IV)" <Constantinos.Miskis@acl.hhs.gov> wrote:

I hope everyone is traveling well or have arrived safely. I've received a couple of inquiries about the dress code for tonight's dinner. It's an informal dinner at "Oceanside" on the hotel property (we have to take a shuttle). It bills itself as "offering views of the Atlantic Ocean and overlooking a multi tiered pool scape, Oceanside is flip-flop friendly during the day and serves a specialty dinner menu in the evening." I'm going to wear jeans. Please let me know who is coming in case I have to adjust the reservation. See you in the lobby at 7pm.

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On Sep 19, 2014, at 3:24 PM, "Miskis, Constantinos (ACL/ORO/Region IV)" <Constantinos.Miskis@acl.hhs.gov> wrote:

Dear SUA Directors,

We are looking forward to seeing you in Amelia Island for the ACL/SUA Directors Meeting. Please see the attached latest draft of the agenda with topics to consider ahead of the meeting. We hope you'll join us for an informal dinner on Sunday evening. We will meet in the lobby at 7pm. Please let me know if you have any diet restrictions. If you have any questions over the weekend you can reach me on my cell phone at 404-901-7619.

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Sent: Thursday, August 07, 2014 1:58 PM

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Subject: Region IV ACL/SUA Directors Meeting at SE4A

Dear SUA Directors,

There had been some limited interest in holding the Region IV ACL/SUA Directors meeting on the Sunday of the SE4A Training Conference. However, due to the unavailability of key participants on Sunday we will be holding the meeting on our traditional day (for 9 years with a couple of exceptions) which this year falls on **Monday September 22nd from 10:00am to 4:30pm**. The meeting will be preceded by an SE4A general session from 8:30am to 10:00am featuring Dr. Jamie Huysman. As always, your SUA staff are also welcome to the meeting.

The Region IV ACL/SUA Directors meeting will include an address by **ACL Deputy Assistant Secretary for AoA Edwin Walker** at the SE4A Awards Luncheon followed by a roundtable discussion with Edwin Walker exclusively for the participants in the ACL/SUA Directors meeting. **NASUAD Executive Director Martha Roherty** will also be contributing to the meeting including leading the discussion on the CMS Rule.

Attached please find the proposed agenda. I am open to suggestions of additions and/or tweaks to the agenda. This will be a great meeting from both an informational perspective and in terms of peer-to-peer exchange of experiences and ideas crucial to the future of the Aging Network. Topics will include (see agenda for more detail):

- ACL and AoA updates
- LTSS systems change including Managed Care, BIP, Aging & Disability coordination
- DOL Rule on minimum wage and overtime protections for direct care workers
- HHS Guidance on the requirement that states develop service systems responsive to needs and choices of clients
- CMS Rule on Medicaid HCBS settings
- Elder Rights/Adult Protective Services
- Fiscal outlooks

An informal group dinner will be held on Sunday at 7:00pm.

By reply to this email, please confirm your attendance (and/or that of staff) at the meeting as well as participation in the informal group dinner the night before.

Please let me know if you have any questions. I'm looking forward to seeing all of you in Florida!
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