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**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Presentation to CCS Standing Committee

Good evening. Please consider this a request to make a presentation to the Airdrie City Council CCS Standing committee.

**Requestor and presenter names:**

Pam McGladdery – CEO Universal Rehabilitation Service Agency (URSA)

Gerry McCallum – Executive Director Foothills Aim Society (FAIM)

**Subject matter:**

A group of six service providers in Airdrie have come together to form the **Sector Connector**—a collaborative initiative focused on advocacy and raising awareness about programs and services available to adults with developmental disabilities in our community.

As part of our shared commitment to increasing visibility and access, we are hosting a **Disability Awareness Fair** on **May 22** in Airdrie. This event is designed to highlight the many supports now available locally and to foster stronger connections between individuals, families, and service providers.

Our main goal in presenting to the CCS Standing Committee is to raise awareness and encourage community involvement and attendance at the awareness event.

**Attached** is a PowerPoint for the presentation.

If you need any additional information or clarification, we'd be happy to provide it. As this is our first request, we hope we haven't missed any necessary steps along the way.

Thank you for taking the time to consider our request.

**Pam McGladdery** (*She/Her*)

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