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Andy Imparato, J.D., is the Executive Director of Disability Rights California. Andy joined DRC after a high-impact 26-year career in Washington, working inside and outside government in significant leadership positions, including 17 years as the chief executive of two national disability organizations, the Association of University Centers on Disabilities and the American Association of People with Disabilities. Andy's perspective is informed by his lived experience with bipolar disorder.

Nancy McPherson, MPA is the State Director for AARP California, leading a team of staff and volunteers in advancing livable communities on behalf of AARP's 3.3 million California members and others who are 50+ and their families. Previously, Nancy led policing initiatives for the Police Executive Research Forum at the San Diego Police Department and served at the assistant chief level in both Seattle and Portland Police Departments. Nancy was a consultant to municipal leaders in the U.S., Albania, the Netherlands, and Canada, and a Special Master overseeing police reforms in Cincinnati as part of a federal court appointed monitoring team.

Sarita Mohanty, MD, MPA, MBA serves as the President and Chief Executive Officer of The SCAN Foundation. The SCAN Foundation is one of the largest foundations in the United States focused entirely on improving the quality of health and life for older adults. Its mission is to advance a coordinated and easily navigated system of high-quality services for older adults that preserve dignity and independence. Prior to joining SCAN, Sarita served as the Vice President of Care Coordination for Medicaid and Vulnerable Populations at Kaiser Permanente. Sarita was previously Assistant Professor of Medicine at USC; Chief Medical Officer of COPE Health Solutions, a health care management consulting company; and Senior Medical Director at L.A. Care, the largest U.S. public health plan.

Doug Moore is the Executive Director of the United Domestic Workers of America (UDW/AFSCME 3930) which represents more than 115,000 in-home care providers across California. He also serves as International Vice President of AFSCME, helping to coordinate the International Union's actions on major national issues such as privatization, fair taxes, and health care. Thanks to his leadership in the aging and long-term care communities, he was appointed by the State Assembly to the California Task Force on Family Caregiving in 2017,

and in 2019 he was elected to the Governor's Task Force on Alzheimer's Prevention and Preparedness. He also serves on the Board of Trustees for the Solidarity Center (AFL-CIO) as well as the Executive Committee of the International Domestic Workers Federation, where his focus is on worker solidarity and domestic workers' rights globally.

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Fernando Torres-Gil, PhD is a Professor of Social Welfare and Public Policy at UCLA, an Adjunct Professor of Gerontology at USC, and Director of the UCLA Center for Policy Research on Aging. He has served as Associate Dean and Acting Dean at the UCLA School of Public Affairs, and most recently Chair of the Social Welfare Department. His research spans important topics of health and long-term care, disability, entitlement reform, and the politics of aging. Professor Torres-Gil was appointed to the Federal Council on Aging by President Jimmy Carter, as well as appointed by President Bill Clinton as the first-ever U.S. Assistant Secretary on Aging in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. In 2010 he received his third presidential appointment when President Barack Obama appointed him as Vice Chair of the National Council on Disability, an independent federal agency that reports to the Congress and White House on federal matters related to disability policy.