

Envisioning the Future: Arizona Allies in Self-Advocacy March 24-25, 2011

Arizona ADD National Recommendations

- Provide TA to develop relationships (nontraditional) /partnerships to sustain movement
- Help states (us) spread word that people are not bound by state's narrow definition of DD
- Make the PAVA dollars more flexible in support of self-advocacy (P&As will help)

AZ Policy Recommendations

- Divert ADD funds to directly fund selfadvocacy as fourth prong of DD network
- Tie federal transportation dollars to expand state definitions of DD to reflect federation definition
- Fund federal self-advocate coordinator(s) to work with state self-advocate coordinator(s) (<u>permanently</u> employed by DDCs) to establish how self-advocacy will be established