

Why it matters: June 27, 2026: DR 107 appeal filed June 16 for BOTH mediation and fair hearing. On June 24 DOR sent a "Withdrawal of mediation and fair hearing request" Garrett never requested; he explicitly rejected it the same day.

Subject: Active DR 107 appeal - Garrett Madden - filed June 16, 2026 - request to set hearing
From: Garrett Madden <garrettmadden479@gmail.com>
To: DOR Appeals Info <Appeals.Info@dor.ca.gov>
Date: Sat, 27 Jun 2026 11:00:39 -0700

Hello,

I am writing to confirm the status of my Request for Mediation and/or Fair Hearing (DR 107) and to request that my hearing be set.

Consumer: Garrett Madden Counselor: Peter Han (covering for Gladsona Somalal) DR 107 filed: June 16, 2026, requesting BOTH Mediation and Fair Hearing Decision being appealed: the May 26, 2026 Administrative Review decision regarding training transportation

I am writing because my mediation and fair hearing have not yet been set, and I want to make sure my appeal is correctly recorded as active.

On June 24, 2026, I received an email from District Administrator Sharon O'Sullivan with the subject line "Withdrawal of mediation and fair hearing request." I did NOT request to withdraw my appeal, and I do not agree to any withdrawal. I responded to her the same day stating clearly that I wish to continue with my mediation and fair hearing for the training transportation decision. To avoid any confusion, I am confirming directly to your office now: my DR 107 filed June 16, 2026 remains active. I am not withdrawing it.

Please confirm in writing that my appeal is active and on calendar, and please advise of the scheduled dates for mediation and the fair hearing. My DR 107 reflects that I am available Monday through Friday after 3:30 p.m. due to my job placement.

If there is any record indicating my appeal was withdrawn, please flag it to me immediately so I can correct it, as no withdrawal was authorized by me.

Thank you, Garrett Madden 919- 239-9546 garrettmadden479@gmail.com