



Meeting Minutes - Final

Committee for Persons with Disabilities

Wednesday, August 7, 2024

3:00 PM

City Hall City Council Chambers

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The committee for persons with disabilities is hereby established for the purpose of carrying on a program to encourage, assist, and enable persons with disabilities to participate in the social and economic life of the city; to achieve maximum personal independence; to become gainfully employed; and to enjoy fully and use all public and private facilities available within the community. (Ord. No. 24364, § 1, 2-13-2001)

A. Call To Order

Conducted

B. Moment of Reflection

Conducted

C. Pledge of Allegiance

Conducted

D. Roll Call

Discussion took place over what is an excused absence and an unexcused absence.

Committee voted on excused absences are due to illness and work related. Unexcused absences are those without required notification as stated in Bylaws and without knowing what is going on.

Present: 6 - Sandra Flores, Olivia Allan, Jennifer Scott, Michelle Jones, Aliza Long, and Sonya Durrwachter

Excused: 2 - Ashley Voggt, and Imelda Trevino

Absent: 1 - Susan Tower

E. Public Comment

None

F. Approval of Minutes and Action on Absences

[24-1284](#) Approval of the July 10, 2024 Regular Meeting Minutes

Attachments: [July 2024 Minutes](#)

A motion was made that the Minutes be approved. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

G. Presentations

Rescheduled-Norman Kieke – Filing and ADA complaint - Governor's Committee on People with Disabilities Community Outreach & Information Specialist (tentative via teams)

H. Staff Reports

CCPD- August totals:
Disabled Parking – 133
Blocking architecture – 9
Blocking Sidewalk – 60

I. Committee Liaison Report

Reported on the staff changes and will give update on Council Meeting decision on the approval of the budget.

J. Chairperson's Report

Discussed:

1. Events to add to Calendar

- Rock'n'Roll
- Fitness CHallenge w/Mayor-Contacted Mayor, have not heard back. Asked for a calendar of City related events.
- CAST for Kids

2. Subcommittee Meetings Scheduled

3. Discussed PSA's

- People First Language-rCity's adopted policy. Committee Liaison to research the policy.
- Committee Liaison gave examples on where to look for PSA's on the City's social medias.

4. Salina's Park is temporarily closed. Will reopen November 15.
5. Resolution Process and Suggestions
6. Requesting notice when there is a grand re-opening to a facility with ADA upgrades.
7. Resend samples of the Resolutions

K. Subcommittee Reports

No reports

L. Future Agenda Items

None

M. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 3:54 p.m.