



Commission on Disability Meeting

Wednesday, July 17, 2024 at 7:00 PM

Remote Participation Only

Agenda

Pursuant to Chapter 2 of the Acts of 2023, the meeting and public hearing will be conducted with remote opportunities for participation. Remote participation and access methods include:

ACCESS INFORMATION:

- A. This meeting will be held: Remote Participation Only
- B. The meeting will be televised through WCATV (Watertown Cable Access Television): <http://vodwcatv.org/CablecastPublicSite/watch-now?site=3>
- C. The Public may join the virtual meeting online: <https://watertown-ma.zoom.us/j/92274085597>
- D. Public may join the virtual meeting audio only by phone: (877) 853-5257 or (888) 475-4499 (Toll Free) and enter Webinar ID: 922 7408 5597
- E. Public may comment through email: pgeorge@watertown-ma.gov
- F. Please Visit the Commission on Disability Website here: <https://www.watertown-ma.gov/351/Commission-on-Disability>

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1. Call to Order & Housekeeping
 2. Audience Issues (takes priority over regular business)
 3. Guest Speaker: Michelle Lower, Vice President, Real Estate Development & Community Relations, Alexandra Real Estate Equities
 4. Chair's Report: Kim Charlson
 - A. Update on Deafness/HOH Customer Service Training for City Staff -- Patrick & Carol
 - B. Mt. Auburn-Summer-Irving Intersections Curb Cuts, Detectable Warnings – Kim
 - C. Report on latest Watertown Square Design Meeting June 27, 2024 – All
 - D. Update on Next Steps for Snow Removal Ordinance – Patrick
 - E. Follow-up on Halfway Café Parking Lot, Lower Lot & Walking Path – Patrick
 - F. DPW Trash/Recycle Bin Sticker Design – Patrick
 - G. Detectable Warnings at North Beacon & Beechwood -- Kim
 - H. Status of Arsenal Yard Automatic Doors Accessibility Report – John
 - I. Update on ADA Self Assessment Plan Funding Request – Patrick
 - J. Report on Waverly-Belmont Street Intersection – Naomi & Kim

5. Acceptance of Minutes: Rachel
6. Treasurer's Report: Patrick
7. Committee Reports
 - A. Plans Review – John
 - i. 9 Boylston Street Variance Request Review - John
 - B. Special Education Update – Naomi
 - C. Safety and Access – Kim
 - i. Reasonable Accommodation Policy for Watertown Events -- Cindy
 - ii. Cracks in Pavement on Pathway from Whites Avenue to Waverly Avenue – Kim & Naomi
 - iii. Detectable Warnings at Lexington & Main Streets Being Referred to Mass Highway – Kim
8. New Business:
9. Adjourn
 - A. Next meeting – September 18, 2024 at 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM – Via Zoom
 - B. No meeting in August.