



# City of Madison

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## Meeting Minutes - Approved DISABILITY RIGHTS COMMISSION

*Consider: Who benefits? Who is burdened?  
Who does not have a voice at the table?  
How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?*

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Thursday, March 26, 2026

5:00 PM

Virtual Meeting

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### Interpretation and Accessibility

#### Call to Order/Roll Call

Meeting called to order at 5:06pm, Chair Olson presiding.

**Present:** 9 - Brett Maki; Larry D. Love; Joseph A. Frost; Rebecca Y. Back; Kristen E. Luppino Witzling; Casey Edmonds-Estes; Kathleen M. Callen; Wendi Dwyer and Lynn A. Olson

**Absent:** 3 - Joann Pritchett; Nicki Vander Meulen and Miso Kwak

**Excused:** 1 - Melissa A. Madole

#### Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Commissioner Callen, seconded by Commissioner Edmonds-Estes, to Approve the Minutes from February 26, 2026. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

**Public Comment**

1. [92469](#) Public Comment (March 2026)

There was no public comment.

**Disclosures and Recusals**

There were no disclosures and recusals.

**New Business**

2. [92470](#) Pedestrian Safety - Traffic Engineering

Yang Tao and team gave presentation and took questions.

3. [92471](#) Pedestrian Safety Recommendations

Tom Mohr gave an update and took questions.

Commissioner Olson walked through draft ideas/recommendations with members input.

**Reports**

4. [62729](#) Report from the Common Council

A motion was made by Commissioner Callen, to hold over Reports until the next meeting to focus on the topic at hand, seconded by Commissioner Luppino Witzling. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Report tabled.

5. [88395](#) Transportation Commission Liaison

A motion was made by Commissioner Callen, to hold over Reports until the next meeting to focus on the topic at hand, seconded by Commissioner Luppino Witzling. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Report tabled.

6. [89242](#) Housing Committee Liaison

A motion was made by Commissioner Callen, to hold over Reports until the next meeting to focus on the topic at hand, seconded by Commissioner Luppino Witzling. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Report tabled.

7. [88396](#) Beyond Compliance Subcommittee Liaison

**A motion was made by Commissioner Callen, to hold over Reports until the next meeting to focus on the topic at hand, seconded by Commissioner Luppino Witzling. The motion passed by voice vote/other.**

**Report tabled.**

8. [90872](#) Emergency Planning

**A motion was made by Commissioner Callen, to hold over Reports until the next meeting to focus on the topic at hand, seconded by Commissioner Luppino Witzling. The motion passed by voice vote/other.**

**Report tabled.**

9. [15340](#) Report from the Department of Civil Rights

**A motion was made by Commissioner Callen, to hold over Reports until the next meeting to focus on the topic at hand, seconded by Commissioner Luppino Witzling. The motion passed by voice vote/other.**

**Report tabled.**

10. [24056](#) Report from the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Humanitarian Award Commission

**A motion was made by Commissioner Callen, to hold over Reports until the next meeting to focus on the topic at hand, seconded by Commissioner Luppino Witzling. The motion passed by voice vote/other.**

**Report tabled.**

#### **Other**

11. [80509](#) Future Topics City of Madison

**A motion was made by Commissioner Callen, to hold over Reports until the next meeting to focus on the topic at hand, seconded by Commissioner Luppino Witzling. The motion passed by voice vote/other.**

#### **Adjournment**

**A motion was made by Commissioner Luppino Witzling, seconded by Commissioner Edmonds Estes, to Adjourn. The motion passed by voice/other. The meeting was adjourned at 7:04 pm.**