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Meeting Minutes - Amended PARKING COUNCIL FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

Tuesday, November 18, 2014

5:00 PM

Room 108, City-County Building
(Parks conference room)
210 Martin Luther King, Jr., Blvd.

Please note: The Minutes were amended to reflect that Joseph Kunz was excused rather than absent.

Call to Order / Roll Call

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m.

Present: 4 - Gary A. Weber; Robert Van Kampen; Chris Hendrickson and Fayth E. Kail
Excused: 2 - Joanne Wagner and Joseph P. Kunz

1. Approval of Minutes - October 21, 2014

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Kail, to Approve the Minutes. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

2. Public Comment - None

3. Disclosures and Recusals - None

4. Kail and Weber to provide status of contact with Joe Schraven, Madison City Channel, regarding PSA.

Weber will contact Schraven to set up a time to meet and videotape loading and unloading.

5. Wagner to provide update on status of Dis/Vet spaces at South Madison Branch Library.

Wagner was not present to report. Weber and Van Kampen will review the site and report back at the next meeting.

6. [35865](#)

Discuss August 31 Wisconsin State Journal article provided by Joe Kunz and Bill Tangney and changes to state statute that allow members of a Disabled Parking Enforcement Council to issue citations. Bill Tangney to be present as a guest to speak on this issue.

Hendrickson asked if the City could employ members of a Disabled Parking Enforcement Council without paying them, and authorize them to write citations.

7. Discuss reinstatement of Disabled Parking Enforcement Council.

Kail said that she would like to see the group reinstated. Hendrickson asked what steps are needed to reinstate the Council. Weber said that a letter needs to be sent to the Mayor. Hendrickson said that the Chair should send the letter. Putnam will contact Wagner and ask her to draft this letter.

8. Discuss fine amount for parking violations where a vehicle displaying a valid dis/vet plate or hang tag is parked over an access aisle.

Kail asked that a representative from PD attends the next meeting to inform Council members of the fines issued for particular violations.

9. Discuss issue of snow being piled in Disabled stalls.

Putnam will determine the appropriate contact information for reporting a problem with snow piled in handicap spaces, and will share the contact information with members. Hendrickson asked that a list of appropriate agencies be prepared so they can be notified not to pile snow in disabled spaces. Hendrickson said that a letter should be sent out to the appropriate agencies/owners. This item will remain on future agendas.

10. [20218](#) Distribution list for Parking for Persons with Disabilities brochure

There are no new organizations to put on list at this time.

11. Other business for referral - None

12. Assignments

Weber and Van Kampen will check disabled parking spaces at South Towne library. Weber and Hendrickson will contact Joe Schraven to set up a meeting to videotape parking in access aisles. Putnam will notify Wagner that she is to draft a letter to the Mayor asking that the Disabled Parking Enforcement Council be reinstated. Putnam will request that a representative from MPD attend the next meeting to let the members know what fines are given for which violations. Putnam to find contacts to share with committee members for who should be called to report a problem with snow piled in handicap spaces, and contact those people to remind them not to pile snow in disabled spaces. Putnam will ask if City could hire Parking Council members as employees and authorize them to write citations.

Adjournment

A motion was made by Van Kampen, seconded by Weber, to Adjourn. The motion passed by voice vote/other. The meeting adjourned at 5:52 p.m.