



# City of Madison

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## Meeting Minutes - Approved DISABILITY RIGHTS COMMISSION

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Thursday, May 24, 2018

5:00 PM

210 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd.  
Room 354, City County Building

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### CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL

Meeting was called to order at 5:04 pm, Jeffery Buhrandt presiding.

Staff: Jason Glozier and Renee Frederick

**Present:** 11 - Mark Clear; Betty Hicks; Bella A. Sobah; Pamela Erlanger; Annika M. Konrad; Eric A. Koch; Kurt Siegel; Kristen E. Luppino; Jeffrey S. Buhrandt; Kory S. Macy and Chan M. Stroman

**Excused:** 1 - Jane Earl

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion to approve the minutes was made by Koch, seconded by Stroman.

The motion passed by voice vote/other

### PUBLIC COMMENT

None

### DISCLOSURES AND RECUSALS

None

### NEW BUSINESS

1. [48232](#) Access Madison: Accessibility Campaign

**Attachments:** [180524 Access Madison .docx](#)  
[AccessAbility](#)  
[ADA.gov Fact Sheet 4 Tax Incentives](#)  
[IRS.gov Tax Benefits for Businesses](#)

Glozier introduced a tentative timeline for the Access Madison Accessibility Campaign, as well as the AMAC introduction letter. Commissioners discussed potential partners and desired outcomes (education, structural and attitudinal changes)

### DISCUSSION ITEMS

2. 51762

Chair Buhrandt announces he will step down as Chairperson at the end of 2018. Glozier asked the Commission for nominations for the roles of Chair and Vice Chair. Buhrandt nominated Sobah for Vice Chair. No other nominations were offered. Sobah's nomination for Vice Chair passed by voice vote/other. Erlanger nominated Buhrandt for President. No other nominations were offered. Buhrandt's nomination for Chair passed by voice vote/other.

## REPORTS

3. [13520](#) Report from the Chairperson of the Disability Rights Commission

**Buhrandt expressed enthusiasm for the Access Madison Accessibility Campaign.**

4. [15340](#) Report from the Department of Civil Rights

**Glozier spoke of staffing levels at the Department of Civil Rights; the Parks Department is proceeding with the barrier-free playground at Elver Park; Metro is postponing plans to cut services in order to balance their budget, the Equity Analysis is continuing; the Madison Municipal Building is on schedule and a tour should be scheduled for September/October.**

5. [24056](#) Report from the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Humanitarian Award Commission

**None**

6. [33823](#) Report from the Employment Issues Work Group

**Work group is in recess**

7. [45844](#) Report from the Accessible Housing Strategy Work Group

**Work group is in recess**

8. [10782](#) Future Agenda Items

**Sylvee Tour  
Metro changes - include DHS perspective on IRIS and Family Care  
Audible Signals  
Dwarfism Disability**

## ADJOURNMENT

**A movement to adjourn was made by Koch and seconded by Seigel. Meeting was adjourned at 5:54 pm**