



# City of Madison

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## Meeting Minutes - Approved COMMISSION ON PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

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Thursday, October 28, 2010

5:00 PM

215 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. Rm. 260  
(Madison Municipal Building)

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### CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL

Meeting was called to order with Randy Black, Chair, presiding at 5:07 pm.

**Present:** 8 -

Sarah Barber; Jason T. Glozier; Randy G. Black; Lorry Bond; Nola J. Contrucci; Christian T. Moran; Kory S. Tabor and Gregory B. Banks

**Absent:** 2 -

Pamela Erlanger and Ken W. Pritchard

**Excused:** 3 -

Mark Clear; Earl G. Bailey and William J. Tangney

**Late:** Ald. Clear arrived at 5:32 pm

Pam Erlanger arrived at 5:41 pm

**Guest:** Adriana Peguero, Assistant City Attorney

Crystal DuPont, High Speed Rail Project Manager, DOT

Steve Holzhauer, Eppstein Uhen Architect, DOT

Chris Petykowski, City Engineering

**Staff:** Lucía Nuñez, Director of the Department of Civil Rights

Chrissy Thiele, Clerk Typist

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Barber made a motion, seconded by Bond, to approve the minutes. Motion was adopted by voice vote/other.

### PUBLIC COMMENT

No comment was made.

A motion was made to move to Item 3, Report from the Department of Civil Rights.

3. [15340](#) Report from the Department of Civil Rights
- For information only. No action required. Lucía Nuñez, Director, Department of Civil Rights: Actions taken since the last meeting. 10 minutes
- Nuñez reported the following:**
- The EOC Ordinance amendments were passed by Common Council, which included the additional protected classes of Citizenship Status, Gender Identity, and Genetic Identity.
  - Board of Estimates will look at the budget amendments Monday Nov. 1st and Common Council will deliberate on budget Nov. 16th, 17th, and 18th.
- Nuñez allowed Barber to provide an update of the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Humanitarian Award Committee to the Commission:
- Deadline to get the word out and supply applications for nominations is coming soon.
  - The award will be given out mid January.
  - Has discussed as to whether or not to continue the young adult award.
- A motion was made to move to Item 2, Draft Ordinance on Accessible Housing.**
2. [15991](#) Draft Ordinance on Accessible Housing
- Attachments:** [HousingDraft10-28-2010.doc](#)
- Peguero discussed the following with the commission:
- The necessity for having a higher dollar amount as defined in “City Financial Assistance” and the state’s definition of “multi-family dwelling”.
  - State law pre-empts the City Ordinance.
  - The State’s law prohibiting the city from enforcing more restrictive standards for multifamily dwellings.
  - If there would be a way to go beyond the six story limit.
- A motion was made to move to Item 1, ADA Considerations for the High Speed Rail/Madison Rail Station.**
1. [20266](#) ADA Considerations for the High Speed Rail/Madison Rail Station
- Attachments:** [ADA Factsheet.pdf](#)  
[Overview.pdf](#)
- DuPont and Holzhauser discussed the following with the commission:
- The goal of the rail system.
  - The planning status of the stations for the high-speed rail from Madison to Milwaukee.
  - ADA requirements for train stations.
  - The design for the Madison train station and the accommodations available for people with disabilities (e.g. signage, elevators, etc.).
  - The accessibility of the rail cars.

**Ald. Clear arrived at 5:32 pm.**

**Erlanger arrived at 5:41 pm.**

**Present:** 10 -

Mark Clear; Sarah Barber; Jason T. Glozier; Pamela Erlanger; Randy G. Black; Lorry Bond; Nola J. Contrucci; Christian T. Moran; Kory S. Tabor and Gregory B. Banks

**Absent:** 1 -

Ken W. Pritchard

**Excused:** 2 -

Earl G. Bailey and William J. Tangney

4. [13520](#) Report from the Chairperson of the Commission on People with Disabilities
- For information only. No action required. Randy Black : Actions taken since the last meeting. (3 minutes)
- Black had nothing to report.**
5. [14714](#) Report from the Common Council
- For information only. No action required. Alder Clear: Actions taken since the last meeting. (3 minutes)
- Ald. Clear reported the following:**
- **The Snow Removal Ordinance CPD discussed at a previous meeting was met with strong objection, so a budget amendment was created for 2011 to hire more staff in the Street's division to strictly clear the bus stops.**
6. [15341](#) Report from the Parking Council for People with Disabilities
- For information only. No action required. Bill Tangney: Actions taken since the last meeting. (3 minutes)
- Tangney was not present, so no report was made.**
7. [18852](#) Report from the ADA Transit Subcommittee
- For information only. No action required. Lorry Bond: Actions taken since the last meeting. (3 minutes)
- Bond reported the following:**
- **Discussed with Fitchburg Transportation Project Engineer the expansion and sharing of public transportation with the City of Madison.**
  - **Mark Jones, President of Abby Vans, won the Paratransit contract with the City of Madison, previously held by Badger Cab.**
8. [10782](#) Future Agenda Items
- **Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Humanitarian Awards Commission Report**
  - **Voting Accessibility at polls and equipment**
9. [10783](#) Announcement of Community Events
- For information only; no action required.
- No announcements were made.**

**ADJOURNMENT**

**Ald. Clear made a motion, seconded by Contrucci, to adjourn. Motion was adopted by voice vote/other. Meeting adjourned at 6:26 pm.**