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# Meeting Minutes - Draft COMMISSION ON PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

Thursday, January 26, 2012

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 by Committee Chair, Randy Black at 5:00 p.m. Due to technical difficulties the interpretation service was not available at this time.

Present: 8 -

Mark Clear; Jason T. Glozier; Pamela Erlanger; Randy G. Black; Nola J. Contrucci; Christian T. Moran; Kory S. Tabor and William J. Tangney

Staff: Ariel Ford, Equal Opportunities Division Manager; E. Pamela Givens, Dept. of Civil Rights, Clerk II; Juliet Sanders, City of Madison Information Technology

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

October 27, 2011: http://legistar.cityofmadison.com/calendar/#current

A motion was made by Clear, seconded by Glozier, to approve the minutes from the October 27, 2011 meeting. The motion passed by voice vote.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

#### **DISCLOSURES AND RECUSALS**

Black disclosed that he works for the University of WI - Madison, Registars Office.

1. 24686 Presentation on Dane County Emergency Management Plans of Accommodations at Emergency Shelters

Presented by Michael Steinhauer, Dane County Emergency Management Special Populations Planner

Steinhauer discussed how the Dane Co. Emergency Management will coordinate with other city agencies to assists those who are disabled in case of an emergency. This would include, but is not limited to, coordinating with the agencies that provide care to make certain that their medical and physical needs are met, by providing food, shelter, and various medical equipment as needed. Also, with the help of the Dane County Humane Society, shelter would be provided for those residents who have pets.

2. 24684 Vote for liaison to ADA Transit Subcommittee

A motion was made by Erlanger, seconded by Contrucci, to approve William Tangney as the representative. The motion passed by voice vote.

3. 23798 Discussion of UW-Madison Removal of Free Disabled Parking Spaces

Attachments: Campus Connection\_ UW-Madison phasing out most free handicap parking s

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Copies of the draft letter, written by Glozier, were provided to the Commission. The commissioners were pleased with the letter and made a few minor grammatical changes.

Suggestions were made as to individuals and organizations who should recieve a copy of the letter. These included, but were not limited to, the Mayor and Chancelor's offices, the UW-Madison Transportation Department; and Chairs of the City of Madison-UW Liaison Committees.

A motion was made by Tangney, seconded by Tabor, to have staff send the letter. The motion passed by voice vote.

4. 13520 Report from the Chairperson of the Commission on People with Disabilities

For information only. No action required. Actions taken since the last meeting. (3 minutes)

Black reported that the new voting law requires voters to have a valid ID. If anyone have any questions, they should be directed to the City Clerk's Office.

5. <u>15340</u> 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)

None

6. <u>14714</u> Report from the Common Council

For information only. No action required. Actions taken since the last meeting. (3 minutes)

Alder Clear reported that on December 13, 2012 the Common Council passed the Accessible Housing Resolution.

Clear reported the Jeffrey Clay Erlanger Civility in Public Discourse Award was awarded to former CPD Commission member, Alice Fike.

7. 15341 Report from the Parking Council for People with Disabilities

For information only. No action required. Actions taken since the last meeting. (3 minutes)

For information only. No action required.

Tangney reported that the fine for fraudulent use of a disabled license tag was increased from \$200 to \$500 per offense.

8. 24056 Report from the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Humanitarian Award Commission

For information only. No action required. Actions taken since the last meeting. (3 minutes)

Moran reported that the award was given at the Martin Luther King's Annual Humanitarian celebration on January 15, 2012. Connie Ferris-Bailey of Operation Fresh Start was the adult recipient of the award and Ashleigh Hubert was the recipient of the youth award.

Moran reminded commissioners that nominations can be made throughout the year.

9. <u>10782</u> Future Agenda Items

February - Red Cross Presentation (staff should follow-up and confirm this)

February/March - Interim Streets Superintendant, Chris Kelly, discussion on Snow Removal Procedures; develop a list of volunteers who would be willing to do snow removal for Madison residents with disabilities.

Safety Issues for disabled passengers on Handicapped Transit Busses.

Check with Lucia regarding ongoing list of future agenda items for discusssion.

### 10. <u>10783</u>

**Announcement of Community Events** 

For information only; no action required.

Clear reminded the commissioners that the February 21st election will be the first election that voters must have a valid form of ID in order to register and vote.

Ford reminded commissioners that, anyone needing information or training on Voter ID should contact the City Clerk's office at (608) 266-1803 and they would be happy to do any training.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made by Clear, seconded by Tangney, to adjourn at 6:25 p.m. The motion passed by voice vote.

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