



The TOWN OF NORWOOD

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Commission on Disability Meeting
November 18, 2021
Minutes of Meeting

The meeting of the Commission on Disability was held at 4:00 pm on Thursday, November 18, 2021 virtually using GoToMeeting. Attending the meeting were Laura Duran, Sarah Quinn, and Marcy Rossi Michelle Sweeney. Also in attendance was Mike Rosen.

The meeting was called to order at 4:01 pm.

Agenda items for discussion were as follows:

1. Minutes from the 10/2121 meeting were reviewed. Ms. Quinn made a motion to approve, Ms. Rossi seconded the motion. The motion, through a rollcall, was approved unanimously
2. Mr. Rosen informed the COD that Ms. Breen would not be moving forward as a member of the Commission. Ms. Rossi was now an official member of the Commission.
3. The Commission discussed the COD website. Updates currently in place were reviewed and suggestions were made for additions to the site. These included categorizing the resources with context for ease of locating appropriate items, a general statement about the COD, a link to the talent bank site for those interested in joining the group and naming of the Town ADA coordinator (T Mazzucco).
4. A Needs Assessment Survey was discussed by the COD members. Mr. Rosen will be meeting with the Town survey vendor next week and will solicit recommendations for questions and format. COD members will send any question ideas to Ms. Duran.
5. Ms. Duran will be participating in an interview with NCM following the COD meeting. Ms. Sweeney offered to also be interviewed and will contact NCM staff to arrange.
6. Other business discussed included potential future invitees to participate in COD meetings. Suggestions included NHA, SEPAC, Director of Student Services, and members of the Town's disabled community.

At 4:45 pm, Ms. Sweeney made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Ms. Duran seconded the motion. The motion, through a rollcall, was approved unanimously.

Michelle Sweeney, Clerk