



Commission on Disability  
AGENDA  
Regular Meeting

**Commission on Disability**  
**1947 Center St.**  
**Multipurpose Room**  
**Berkeley, CA 94704**

**Wednesday**  
**2/05/2019**  
**6:00 PM**

**A. PRELIMINARY BUSINESS**

- 1) Call to Order by Chair Ghenis
- 2) Roll Call by Secretary
- 3) Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda. (Up to 3 minutes per speaker)
- 4) Approval of Draft Action Minutes of January 8 2020.\*
- 5) Staff Update.
  - Stair Center Complaint
- 6) Approval and Order of Agenda

**B. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS**

The public may speak at the beginning of any item.  
(Comments may be limited to 3 minutes per speaker)

**Commission will take a 5 minute break around 7:30 pm**

**1. Meeting logistics and related concerns.**

Clarify that all concerns have been addressed; note if there are any ongoing barriers, and what barriers are; progress as needed. (5 minutes / Ghenis)

**2. Census Presentation (20 minutes)**

**3. Elections**

**4. BART Advisory Appointment**

**5. Elevator Ordinance.** \*\* Discussion and update. (20 minutes/COD)

**6. New Construction and Renovations – Accessibility Guidelines and Regulations\*\* (10 minutes/ Ghenis)**

Develop comprehensive framework for accessibility in new construction and/or renovations. Discussion of Council item.

**7. Announcements**

**C. INFORMATION ITEMS AND SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS**

**D. COMMUNICATIONS**

## **1. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS (from adopted work plan, referrals, etc.)**

**TBD**

### **E. ADJOURNMENT: no later than 9:00pm**

Agenda Posted: TBD

- \* Indicates written material included in packet.
- \*\* Indicates material to be delivered at meeting.
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Commission on Disability  
Draft MINUTES  
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**Wednesday**  
**1/08/2019**  
**6:00 PM**

**A. PRELIMINARY BUSINESS**

- 1) Call to Order by Chair Ghenis @6:05
- 2) Roll Call by Secretary: Ramirez: LOA, Leeder: LOA, Present: Ghenis, Singer, Smith, Walsh, Absent: None
- 3) Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda. (Up to 3 minutes per speaker) David Peattie, Berkeley Disaster Preparedness Neighborhood Network, [dave@bdpnnetwork.org](mailto:dave@bdpnnetwork.org) wants more input from PWD, and event on 1/30 discussing alternative power options
- 4) Approval of Draft Action Minutes of November 6, 2019.\* (Singer/Smith, all ayes)
- 5) Staff Update.
- 6) Approval and Order of Agenda (Singer/Smith approved with early break and end times as

meetings now start at 6pm)

## **B. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS**

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### **1. Meeting logistics and related concerns.**

Clarify that all concerns have been addressed; note if there are any ongoing barriers, and what barriers are; progress as needed. (5 minutes / Ghenis)

### **2. T1 Presentation. (20 minutes)**

### **3. Wildfires and Power Outages (5 min)**

**4. Service Animals Welcome. \*(Discussion.10 minutes)**  
(Motion to approve, Walsh/Singer, all ayes)

### **5. Access Line Item in Council Templates.\*\***

Discussion and update. (5 minutes/COD)

Motion to approve, (Walsh/Singer, all ayes)

**6. Elevator Ordinance. \*\*Discussion and update. (20 minutes/COD)**

Discussion.

### **7. New Construction and Renovations – Accessibility**

**Guidelines and Regulations\*\*** (10 minutes/ Ghenis)  
Develop comprehensive framework for accessibility in new construction and/or renovations. Discussion of Council item.

Item postponed.

## **8. Announcements**

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### **D. COMMUNICATIONS**

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