



**Commission on Disability
MINUTES
Regular Meeting**

**Commission on Disability
Wednesday September 7, 2022 6:00 PM**

Pursuant to Government Code Section 54953(e) and the state declared emergency, this meeting of the Commission on Disability will be conducted exclusively through teleconference and Zoom videoconference. The COVID-19 state of emergency continues to directly impact the ability of the members to meet safely in person and presents imminent risks to the health of attendees. Therefore, no physical meeting location will be available.

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Topic: Commission on Disability

Time: Sep 7, 2022 06:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

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A. PRELIMINARY BUSINESS

- 1) Call to Order by Vice Chair Helen Walsh 6:10pm**
- 2) Roll Call by Secretary – Walsh: Present, Singer: Present, Freeman: Absent.**
- 3) Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda. (Up to 3 minutes per speaker) 3 speakers**
- 4) Walsh: Motion to table the Approval of Draft Action Minutes of July 6, 2022* Singer: Aye**

5) **Walsh: Motion to table the Approval of Draft Action Minutes of August 3, 2022* Singer: Aye**

6) **Staff Update**

- **Chat – Only to be use as a disability accommodation tool**
- **Reminder – Last Commission meeting is in November. If the Commission needs additional meetings, the Commission has to draft an action item to City Council.**
- **Draft of Elevator Ordinance Item submitted to Rent Board**
- **Submitted FY2022-2023 COD workplan**
- **Joe Enke to serve as substitute secretary for the October meeting**

**Approval and Order of Agenda
(Walsh: aye, Singer: aye)**

A. ACTION ITEMS

NONE

**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 8pm.

B. DISCUSSION ITEMS

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- 1. Inclusive Disaster Registry (Walsh) –
Received information from a board member of Easy
Does It and comments from the public**
- 2. Accessibility of Voicemail System – Tentative City
I.T. staff representative in November**

**Concerns expressed by Walsh include: disability
access of voicemail system and difficulties in finding
information on City's website.**

- 3. Increasing Public Participation in the COD –
Secretary provided updates on Zoom Toll Free
numbers and video recording of meetings**
- 4. Berkeley Bike Plan – Tabled for October, Freeman
will present****

5. Data, Outreach, & Access to Persons with Disabilities in City of Berkeley Programs and Services

Walsh shared concerns on Echo Lake Camp ADA Issues, will be meeting Parks, Recreation and Waterfront staff.

Announcements

C. INFORMATION ITEMS AND SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

D. COMMUNICATIONS

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

Walsh proposes to invite IKE Smart City to discuss kiosks

E. ADJOURNMENT: 7:18 pm (Singer/Walsh) Singer: aye, Walsh, aye

Agenda Posted: TBD

- * Indicates written material included in packet.
- ** Indicates material to be delivered at meeting.
- *** Indicates material previously mailed.

A complete agenda packet is available for public review on the web at:

https://www.cityofberkeley.info/Clerk/Commissions/Commissions_Commission_on_Disability_Homepage.aspx

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