



**Commission on Disability  
DRAFT MINUTES  
Special Meeting**

**Commission on Disability  
Wednesday January 12, 2021 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.***

**Public Works Engineering is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.**

**Topic: Commission on Disability Special Meeting  
Time: Jan 12, 2022 06:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)**

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## **A. PRELIMINARY BUSINESS**

- Call to Order by Chair Freeman**
- Roll Call by Secretary**
- Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda.  
(Up to 3 minutes per speaker)**
- Approval of Draft Action Minutes of December, 8  
2021\* (Freeman/Singer Freeman aye, Singer aye,  
Walsh aye,)**

- **Staff Update**
  - Chat
  - ADA Transition Plan Survey
- **Approval and Order of Agenda (Walsh/Freeman, Freeman aye, Singer aye, Walsh aye,)**

## **B. ACTION ITEMS**

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

- **Elevator Ordinance**

Proposed Action: Create a subcommittee on the elevator ordinance revisions (Freeman/Walsh, Freeman aye, Singer aye, Walsh aye,)

Make Helen head of subcommittee (Freeman/Walsh, Freeman aye, Singer aye, Walsh aye,)

Reconvene next Wednesday at 6pm  
(Freeman/Singer, Freeman aye, Singer aye, Walsh aye,)

Adjourn 6:52 pm due to conflicting meeting in zoom account (Freeman/Singer, Freeman aye, Singer aye, Walsh aye,)

- **Meeting Schedule**

Proposed action: Set meeting schedule of first Wednesday for 2022

- **Elections**

Proposed Action: Elect Chair and Vice Chair

- Action Item: To Review Letter To Council Requesting Appointing Commissioners To Commission On Disability.

Proposed Action: Approve letter from the Commission on Disability requesting the appointment of members to the commission to address vacancies.

**Commission will take a 5 minute break around 8pm.**

**C. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

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- **Housing Element Update\*\*\***
- **Elevator Ordinance Revisions Update \*\*\***
- **Easy Does IT**

## Announcements

- **INFORMATION ITEMS AND SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS**
- **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.**


**\*\*\* Indicates material previously mailed.**

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

**[https://www.cityofberkeley.info/Clerk/Commissions/Commission Commission on Disability Homepage.aspx](https://www.cityofberkeley.info/Clerk/Commissions/Commission%20on%20Disability%20Homepage.aspx)**

**Available also at the main library, and Public Works, Engineering Division, 1947 Center Street, 4th Floor.**

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