



BARNSTABLE DISABILITY COMMISSION

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Barnstable Disability Commission
Minutes
January 18, 2023
via Zoom from 10 am to 12 pm

Meeting called to order at 10:00 a.m.

Members present: Paul Logan; Chair, John Lundborn, Michael Hersey, Lori Gillen, Christopher Bartley, Warren Rutherford, Linda McKinney, and Jerilyn DiCostanzo.

Others Present: Peter Bertling, Parking Manager/Transportation Coordinator and Tammy Cunningham, ADA Coordinator and Asst. Director of HR.

Members Excused: Sheila Mulcahy, Vice Chair, and Paula Breagy.

Public Comment: None.

Approval of the minutes of December 21, 2023 – Christopher Bartley asked that his name be written as Christopher Bartley (4 ayes – 1 Nay (Chris Bartley), and 2 Abstain (Mike Hersey and Linda McKinney))

Financial Report – Current balance is \$ 42,217.97. A discussion was held on the continuation of funding the accessible portable restrooms and the large amount of money associated with funding the units. It was proposed that Structures & Grounds be contacted to discuss amendments to the arrangement including no longer funding the units. The hope is that permanent solutions are being proposed for each of the locations.

MOD Update – Nothing new to report.

Report from Posters Subcommittee – John Lundborn provided a brief update on the status.

Report from Scholarships Sub Committee – Linda McKinney provided a brief update on the status of scholarships.

Discussion on Common Victuallers Licenses/Proposal to Town Council – Paul Logan provided an update that the initial memo for modification to the licensure regulations was sent on November 7th and then again on December 21, 2022. The Commission voiced frustration and disappointment over the lack of response to the matter.

Reports from Mass AAB Variance Request Subcommittee/DPW Reviews/TOB Projects – No variances to report. Peter Bertling provided a brief update on the status of parking related matters in town. He commented that individuals continue to park in the access aisles or cross hatches which is not permitted.

Paul Logan gave a brief update on the status of the Committee formed by the Architectural Access Board to review the regulations and provide proposed comments.

Other Business: None.

Warren Rutherford moved to adjourn at 11:38, Linda McKinney seconded.

Respectfully Submitted,

Tammy L. Cunningham

**The objective of the Barnstable Disability Commission
is to advise and guide the Town of Barnstable and the general public regarding
issues of accessibility in accordance with the American's With Disabilities Act (ADA).**