

Commission on Disability
Meeting Minutes – September 15th, 2021 6:30 pm

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Topic: Commission on Disability

Time: Sep 15, 2021, 06:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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1. CALL TO ORDER: Chairman Richard Flach called the meeting to order at 6:40 pm., those present were Mr. Flach, Ms. Bachetti, Mr. Hollenbeck, Ms. Flynn, and Mr. Cobb.
2. Mr. Flach called for a vote to approve the minutes for the May 19th and June 30th, 2021 meetings by roll call vote; Mr. Flach, aye, Mr. Hollenbeck, aye, Ms. Bachetti, aye, Ms. Flynn, aye, Mr. Cob, not present for vote. Minutes were approved.
3. Ms. Bachetti outlined her findings on Emergency Preparedness Training offered by the Massachusetts Office on Disability. The training g can accommodate up to 45 people and comes with a bag containing everything needed to be prepared in the event of an emergency...! Ms. Flynn presented her list of terms used to refer to those with disabilities which are derogatory and should be stricken from our lexicon. She will continue to for a plan to present this material as a guide for anyone, but specifically for town officials and school training aids
9. The next meeting of the COD was scheduled for November 3rd, 2021 at 6:30pm.
10. Eileen Mooney was present for Citizen Speak Time.
11. The meeting was adjourned

/s/ Richard Flach, Chairperson