



City of Madison

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Meeting Minutes - Approved DISABILITY RIGHTS COMMISSION

*Consider: Who benefits? Who is burdened?
Who does not have a voice at the table?
How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?*

Thursday, August 22, 2024

5:00 PM

Virtual Meeting

The City of Madison is holding the Disability Rights Commission meeting virtually to help protect our community from the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic.

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CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL

Meeting was called to order at 5:02pm, Wiley presiding.

Present: 9 - Jael Currie; Melissa A. Madole; Joseph A. Frost; Nicki Vander Meulen; Kristen E. Luppino Witzling; Casey Edmonds-Estes; Kathleen M. Callen; Nakia S. Wiley and Lynn A. Olson

Absent: 2 - Paris Echoles and Phillip A. Morgan

Excused: 1 - Larry D. Love

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Meulen, seconded by Callen, to Approve the Minutes from August 8, 2024. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

PUBLIC COMMENT

1. [84595](#) Public Comment (August 2024)

There was no public comment.

DISCLOSURES AND RECUSALS

There were no disclosures and recusals.

NEW BUSINESS

2. [84859](#) Parks and Open Space Plan

Attachments: [Park and Open Space Plan](#)

Freiwald gave a presentation.

3. [84860](#) Practices for an Inclusive Meeting

Attachments: [Practices for an Inclusive Meeting](#)

Hoyt gave a presentation.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

4. [81696](#) Disability Access and Equity Plan

Hoyt gave an update.

5. [67538](#) Accessible Madison Updates
- a. Beyond Compliance Subcommittee Report
 - b. Transportation Commission Liaison Report
 - c. Madison Lakeway Liaison Report
 - d. Week Without Driving Liaison Report

Madole and Beloungy gave an update.

6. [80509](#) Future Topics City of Madison

Hoyt gave an update.

REPORTS

7. [62729](#) Report from the Common Council

Alder Currie gave an update.

8. [15340](#) Report from the Department of Civil Rights
- Hoyt gave an update.
9. [24056](#) Report from the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Humanitarian Award Commission
- There was no update.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Muelen, seconded by Madole, to Adjourn. The motion passed by voice/other. The meeting was adjourned at 6:18 pm.