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TACOMA AREA COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES AGENDA

THURSDAY, APRIL 13TH, 2017 – 4:00-5:45 PM
TACID Center – 6315 South 19th Street, Tacoma, WA

WELCOME

- 4:00 Call to Order
- 4:02 Adoption of Agenda
- 4:03 Acceptance of the Minutes

PUBLIC COMMENT

- 4:05 Public Comment

REPORTS

- 4:10 Liaison Report – Office of Equity & Human Rights – Lucas Smiraldo

Welcome New Commissioners

- Lori Allison
- Wandaya Terry
- James Williams
- Anthony Caldwell

Necessity of New Location and Time

- 2nd Fridays – Fleet Operations Conference Center, 3639 S. Pine, Tacoma, WA 98409

COD Members: Todd Holloway, Chair; Roxanne Miles, Vice Chair; Lori Allison, Luke Byram, Anthony Caldwell, Sheryl Ellis, JoAnn Fritsche, Krystal Monteros, Devin Myers, Wandaya Terry, James Williams

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Benefits: Better Technology and Connectivity
Time for Tech Set Up and Take Down, High End Projector (CART)
More Space for wheelchair access
Time Can be Reserved in Advance for Committee Meeting
Disabled Parking Immediately in Front
Situated Along Major Mall -Area Bus Lines
More Time for Liaison to Interact with Commissioners

4:25 Advancing Issues on the Work Plan

Develop a relationship with OEHR to improve commission effectiveness and influence, creating best practices

- *#3 COD composed of people with different kinds of disabilities*
Progress: New Commissioner Appointments
- *#4 Full acknowledgement of COD as OEHR w/strengths*
Progress: Due Diligence to Pass Closed Captioning Ordinance
- *#9 Best Practices*
 - ✓ *Progress: Closed Captioning Initiative*
 - ✓ *Including Pierce Transit as Sitting Partner*
 - ✓ *OEHR Internship Program for Disabled Participants*
- *Update of ADA Transition Plan*
Progress: In Process

BUSINESS

4:50 Transition Plan Update – Sandy Davis

4:55 Review of Closed Captioning Presentation for Community Vitality & Public Safety Committee – Lucas with action report on behalf of Joy St. Germain

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COMMITTEE/LIAISON REPORT

5:15 City of Destiny Applications (Vote for Nominees) – Krystal Monteros
Accessible Taxi – Krystal Monteros

CLOSING

5:25 Agenda Building

- May
- June

5:30 Good of the Order/Announcements /Impact Stories/Poem

5:45 Meeting Adjourned

COMING MEETINGS

Projects:

| City-Led Project Liaisons | Commission Projects |
|---|---|
| Emergency Mgt – Todd Holloway | Accessible Taxi – Krystal Monteros |
| Public Works – Roxanne Miles | |
| Employment – Sheryl Ellis | |
| IT/Website – Luke Byram | |
| City Events Commission/CEC – Krystal Monteros | Committees |
| Anti-Stigma Campaign – JoAnne Fritsche | Closed Captioning in Public Establishments – Devon Myers |

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