**Tacoma area Commission on Disabilities**

AGENDA

Friday, June 8,2017 – 4:00-5:45 PM

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6315 S. 19th, Tacoma, WA 98466

WELCOME

4:00 Call to Order /Brief Check In—One Word

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

City of Destiny Awards:

* STAR Center

TACoD - nominee/winners recognition.

Support the award ceremony in place of our June 9th meeting.

4:25 Advancing Issues on the Work Plan

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

* *Closed Captioning Initiative Scheduled for May 27th with City Council Community Vitality and Safety Committee*
* *Pierce Transit is now a Sitting Partner*
* *OEHR Internship Program for Disabled Participants*
* *Lucas and Ann have now received training on how to use the COD website*
* *OEHR secured conference phone for COD meetings for CART services*
* *New COD site linked to computer network and projection screen*
* *OEHR purchased new sound system and cordless mic for hearing accommodations*

Monitor Strategic Plan and foster social equity for persons with disabilities, including employment, housing and more mental health services

* *OEHR is forwarding Equity Capacity Grant Workshop Invite to Commissioners--$5,000 to $20,000 grants available*

Support the completion and implementation of the ADA Transition Plan

* *Update of 2017 ADA Transition Update Now on Website*

BUSINESS

4:40 Closed Captioning Presentation for Community Vitality & Public Safety Committee – Scheduled for May 27, 2017

5:05 Awareness of the City and County Homeless crisis

Committee/Liaison Report

5:15 Accessible Taxi and County partner – Krystal Monteros

Closing

5:25 Agenda Building

* + June (City of Destiny Awards with Commissioners?)
  + July (Speaker recommendations?)

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

5:45 Meeting Adjourned

# Coming Meetings

Projects:

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