



## BARNSTABLE DISABILITY COMMISSION

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Barnstable Disability Commission  
Minutes  
May 15, 2024  
via Zoom from 10 am to 12 pm

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

**Members present:** Paul Logan; Chair, Linda McKinney, Michael Hersey, Warren Rutherford, John Lundborn, Sheila Mulcahy, Lori Gillen, and Tammy Cunningham, Assistant Director of HR and ADA Coordinator.

**Others Present:** None

**Members Excused:** Michael Hersey and Patty Ericson – Taylor

**Public Comment:** None.

**Minutes of April 17, 2024** – Warren Rutherford moved to approve, John Lundborn seconded. (7 ayes and 1 abstain, Sheil Mulcahy)

**Two Way Main Street project** – Warren Rutherford shared with the Commission that he had spoken with Elizabeth Jenkins, Director of Planning and Development, and James Kupfer, Assistant Director of Planning and Development, about the project. He asked that they reach out to Tammy Cunningham to discuss matters relating to accessibility. Construction on the project will begin in 2025 and end approximately the winter of 2026.

A brief discussion was held on the proposed elimination of streets and new street directions.

**Financial Report** - \$49,474.50 current balance.

**Update on Common Victualler's License Ordinance** – No updates.

**ADA Self Evaluation & Transition plan** – Tammy Cunningham will be contacting DPW to discuss how best to coordinate and update the work being done on the transition plan.

**Report from Posters Subcommittee** – John Lundborn reported a draft will be coming soon.

**Report from Scholarships Sub Committee** – Linda McKinney stated from Sturgis she has received the name of student who has been selected as the intended scholarship recipient. Her name is Lily Blanco of Barnstable. Linda will send Tammy the recipient information. Linda McKinney made a motion to approve awarding Lily Blanco a scholarship in the amount of \$2000, Sheila Mulcahy seconded. Unanimous.

**Reports from Mass. AAB Variance Request subcommittee/DPW Review Subcommittee** – No report.

**Keyes Beach – Access update -** Last month John Gleason, Director of Recreation, attended the meeting to discuss Keyes Beach. Patty Ericson – Taylor and John Gleason were going to be meeting at Keyes Beach. John will be looking into having a mobi – mat placed at Keyes Beach. Discussion continued to next month.

**BDC Awareness Publicity Project (CCRTA Event/Fairs/Shows)** – There is an event focused on Veterans to be held at Cape Cod Resort which draws a large attendance. It was suggested the BDC attend this meeting. It is believed a table at this event is free. More information forthcoming. It is held around the beginning of September. John Lundborn moved to approve attending this event, Linda McKinney seconded. Unanimous.

**Matters not reasonably anticipated by the Chair –**

Due to Juneteenth falling on the date of the next Barnstable Disability Commission meeting the next meeting has been rescheduled to Monday, June 17<sup>th</sup> from 10 am to 12 pm.

Paul Logan asked the Commission if they had seen the email from CORD about reviewing of a website and a screen reader. Lori Gillen said she will review and report back to them.

Motion to adjourn by Warran Rutherford at 11:58 am, Tammy Cunningham seconded. Unanimous.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Tammy L. Cunningham*

**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).**