

Athens City Commission on Disabilities
June 21, 2023
Athens Community Center Room A (or via Zoom with ADA request)
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER (Davey)

ESTABLISH QUORUM (Dianne)

PURPOSE: The Athens City Commission on Disabilities is a committee of city government whose commitment is to provide a means for the concerns of people with disabilities to be heard; to advocate for public policy change; to provide expertise to the community on disabilities; and to tell the community about the strengths and limitations of people with disabilities, as well as how the community can help them improve their quality of life, thereby ensuring equality of opportunity and full participation in community life for everyone.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES (Davey) (3 mins)

- May 2023

TREASURER'S REPORT

- Carolyn (1 min)
 - o Budget Report

NEW BUSINESS

- Walk, Talk and Roll Review (Davey – 10 minutes)
 - o June 9th 11:30 am to 1 pm.
- Upcoming Street and Sidewalk Work (Ally – 10 mins)
 - o Proposing two tiered sidewalks, talking crosswalks
- Welcome New Commission Member Michelle Hahn

OLD BUSINESS:

- City Grant for Accessibility for buildings and businesses (Annah – 10 mins)
 - o Grant application voting and applications update

COMMITTEE REPORTS

-- Executive Team (Ally, Carolyn, Davey, Dianne) (5 mins)

- Work on WTR

-- Accessibility and Advocacy (Dianne/Ally) (10 mins)

- EPW visiting next meeting
- Walk Talk and Roll planning
- Next meeting: July 14th at noon – City Building

-- Outreach and Communications (Carolyn) (10 mins)

- WTR promotion, Athena Promotion Schedule
- Next meeting TBD

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Blind Boys of Alabama, Wednesday, September 13, 2023, 7:30 P.M at Templeton-Blackburn.

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