

Athens City Commission on Disabilities
August 21, 2024
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)

- July 2024

TREASURER'S REPORT

- Carolyn (3 min)

NEW BUSINESS

- Commission Commemoration and Athena Award (Carolyn and Michelle)
- Sensory Friendly Swim a Success!

OLD BUSINESS

- University Estates Report Back and Feedback

COMMITTEE REPORTS

- Executive Team (Ally, Carolyn, Davey, Dianne) (5 mins)
 - Met with Mayor and Lacey about Commission
 - Work on accessibility Uptown
 - Asked to be part of next project at Ridges
- Accessibility and Advocacy (Lisa/Ally) (10 mins)
 - Crosswalk discussion
 - Next meeting: September 13th at noon – City Building
- Outreach and Communications (Deb and Michelle) (10 mins)
 - Committee Report
 - Athena Award
 - Next meeting: September 10th at 5:30 City Building

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Paralympics Event - Athens - BW3 - Sept 6 at Noon.

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