



City of Danbury Commission for Persons with disAbilities
155 Deer Hill Avenue, Danbury, CT 06810

Monthly Meeting Minutes
June 13, 2023 - 6:30pm
Meeting remotely due to the COVID-19 Pandemic

Attendance: John Gentile (Chairman), Rose Marie Bouclier, John Neumuller, Quentin Huges

Excused: Frank Reed, Fran Ryan Jeff Doyle,

Guests: Isabel Domber

- John Gentile: Welcome & Introduction: 6:45PM, 06/13/23
- Review and Acceptance: Motion to Accept Minutes 05/09/23, John N., Marie B., 2nd Rose Marie B., All Yes
- Phone Log: Call from resident asked if we can help about getting eviction notice. Communicated with the Senior Center and referred to Corp. Council to request Legal Aide assistance.
- Old Business, Announcements, Updates:
 - 1) Commissioners Updates – Jeff D., Fran R. Frank R. and Fran R., Excused
 - 2) Update on COVID restrictions – We will continue to hold Zoom meetings, will address in Sept. to address procedure on setting up a Hybrid meeting.
- Seeking One Regular & Three alternates: No interest to date of meeting
- Social media report: **Jeff Doyle to Report –Facebook** Facebook.com/DanburyC4PWD Follows: 825 (as of 3/14/2023) **Twitter** Twitter.com/DanburyC4PWD 353 followers (as of 6/9/2020) No new update as Jeff D not in attendance
- Handicap Parking Update – John N., Jeff D. Discussion on that we have made some progress on the issue by getting the attention of the Deputy Chief Sturdivant.
- On Demand Transportation: Not discussed at this meeting
 - o Kept as an open item
- New Business: Had trouble loading Zomm so no recording for this meeting.
- Open Discussion: Chris Calabro stepped down as Director of WeChar last month – seems that WeCHAR is disbanding they are meeting at Chucks Steak House on June 22, 2023.
- Next Meeting: June 13, 2023
Entertain a motion to Adjourn, John N., Motion, Rose Marie, 2nd , All Yes. Adjourn 7:18 PM.

We work to put the "A" in ability - the Commission has many goals including focusing on the Abilities of those with disAbilities. The Commission was established to advise the Mayor and the Common Council of the needs of persons with disAbilities within the community with relation to housing, economics, employment, transportation, health, recreation and other matters. The Commission was formed by Sec. 2-56.13 of the City of Danbury Code of Ordinances. The City of Danbury Commission for Persons with disAbilities meets on the second Tuesday of each month, at Danbury City Hall, at 6:30pm. We do not meet in July and August.