

WESTLAND COMMITTEE ON DISABILITY CONCERNS
May 3, 2021
Regular Meeting Minutes

The Committee on Disability Concerns held a regular meeting on Monday, May 3, 2021, electronically via ZOOM. Meeting called to order by Chairperson Schuholz at 5:30 p.m.

Roll Call:

Present: Chairperson Ray Schuholz Committee members: Judy McKinney, Steve Smith. Others present: Human Resource Director, Stephani Field.

Agenda: Schuholz moved, McKinney seconded to approve the Regular Meeting Agenda. Motion Carried.

Approval Meeting Minutes: Smith motioned to deny minutes of September 21, 2020. No support. Motion fails.

McKinney moved, Schuholz seconded to approve the regular meeting minutes of September 21, 2020 as presented.

Roll Call Vote:

Schuholz – Yah

McKinney – Yah

Smith – Nay

Motion Carried.

New Business

1. Officer Kevin Yudt, Westland Police Department introduced himself and provided an update to the committee on current events involving the police department. Mentioned cards for individuals with disabilities. Officer Yudt shared his email address and phone number with the committee members.
2. Fire Chief James Morris introduced himself and provided an update to the committee on current events involving the fire department. Chief Morris shared his email address and phone number with the committee members.
3. McKinney motioned to hold next Committee on Disability Concerns meeting on July 19, 2021 @ 5:30 p.m.; Smith Supported.
Motion carried.
4. Schuholz motioned to add diversity to the committee, such as, blindness and vision impaired; hearing impaired; mobility impaired); McKinney seconded.
Motion carried.
5. Administrative Liaison to provide a copy of any previous annual reports on file to committee members. Moving forward annual reports will be worked on by committee and typed up to submit to the Mayor.

Unfinished Business

1. Kyle Mulligan, Parks Director – updated committee on Passport Grant and Michigan DNR Grant.

Correspondence

None at this time

Announcements

1. April was Autism Awareness Month
2. May is Mental Health Awareness Month

Board Comments:

1. Smith – Clarify on name of committee. Question on whether they are a committee, a commission or a board. Mixed message/confusing. Does OMA and Roberts Rules of Order apply to committee?
2. Schuholz – Commented on Mental Health Awareness Month.

Adjournment: McKinney moved, Schuholz seconded to adjourn the meeting at 6:45 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,



Stephani S. Field
Human Resource Director