



**REGULAR MEETING of the
MAYOR'S COMMITTEE FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES**
Friday, September 8, 2023, 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Austin City Hall, Board & Commission Room, Room 1101
301 W 2nd Street, Austin, Texas 78701

Some members of the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities may be participating by videoconference. Public comment will be allowed in-person or remotely by telephone. Speakers may only register to speak on an item once, either in-person or remotely, and will be allowed up to three minutes to provide comments. Registration no later than noon the day before the meeting is required for remote participation. To register, email the board liaison at Jacquelyn.Alexander@austintexas.gov

The meeting may be viewed online at:
<http://www.austintexas.gov/page/watch-atxn-live>

CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS:

Jonathan Franks, Chair	Pete Salazar
Elisabeth Meyer, Vice Chair	Kristen Vassallo
Donna Betts	Vacant
Micheal Fetonte	Vacant
Jennifer Powell	Vacant
Lira Ramirez	

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Approval of the minutes from the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities July 14, 2023, regular meeting.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

2. Discussion and updates on the Joint Inclusion Committee (JIC). (Jeremy Garza)
3. Presentation from Yariel Diaz and Michele Lee on Cruise autonomous rideshare operations and the upcoming Origin Mobility Vehicle.

DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

4. Discussion and possible action to establish a working group to review music venues and entertainment venues in Austin for improvements for people with disabilities.
5. Discussion and possible action to establish a working group to discuss safety and accessibility for people with Disabilities on Austin's public transportation system.
6. Discussion and possible action on appointing a new member to the Project Connect Community Advisory Committee (CAC).

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

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For more information on the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities, please contact the Office of Civil Rights at (512) 974-3251.