



**REGULAR CALLED MEETING of the MAYOR'S COMMITTEE FOR PEOPLE WITH  
DISABILITIES**

**Friday, April 12, 2024 at 5:30pm**

**AUSTIN CITY HALL BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS ROOM #1101**

**301 WEST 2<sup>ND</sup> STREET**

**AUSTIN, TEXAS**

Some members of the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities may be participating by videoconference. The meeting may be viewed online at: <http://www.austintexas.gov/page/watch-atxn-live>

Public comment will be allowed in-person or remotely via 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 their comments. Registration no later than noon the day before the meeting is required for remote participation by telephone. To register to speak remotely, call or email Christi Vitela, 512-974-2792, [christi.vitela@austintexas.gov](mailto:christi.vitela@austintexas.gov).

**CURRENT COMMISSIONERS:**

Jonathan Franks, Chair  
Elisabeth Meyer, Vice Chair  
Lisa Chang  
Mickey Fetonte  
Adrienne Hogan

Jennifer Powell  
Lira Amari Ramírez  
Pete Salazar  
Elizabeth K Vassallo

**AGENDA**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL**

The first ten speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

1. Approve the minutes of the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities special called meeting on March 22, 2024.

**DISCUSSION ITEMS**

2. Presentation on the Equity-Based Preservation Plan by Cara Bertron, Program Manager II, Planning Department.
3. Discussion regarding zoning changes that affect group homes.
4. Review of the goals for the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities.
5. Discussion to determine working groups based on the goals of the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities.
6. Discussion of the feedback and results from the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities Town Hall meetings.

### **DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS**

7. Conduct officer elections for the Chair and Vice Chair.
8. Approve Jonathan Franks to represent the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities at the April 2024 Community Advancement Network (CAN) Meeting.

### **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.