



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

Friday, July 12, 2024 at 5:30pm

AUSTIN CITY HALL BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS ROOM #1101

301 WEST 2ND 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.

CURRENT COMMISSIONERS:

Elisabeth Meyer, Chair
Jonathan Franks, Vice Chair
Gabriel Arellano
Lisa Chang
Mickey Fetonte

Adrienne Hogan
Jennifer Powell
Pete Salazar
Kristen 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 regular meeting on June 14, 2024.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

2. Introduction of new District 10 Commissioner, Gabriel Arellano.

3. Update by Chair Elisabeth Meyer on accessibility and inclusivity in Texas state parks.
4. Discuss and gather feedback on the Community Council Report, Building a Person Centered Community to provide to the Community Advancement Network.

DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

5. Approve Jonathan Franks to provide feedback on behalf of the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities to the Community Advancement Network for their Community Council Report, Building a Person Centered Community.
6. Approve the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities annual report.

WORKING GROUP/COMMITTEE UPDATES

7. Update from the Joint Inclusion Committee (JIC) on the upcoming JIC Budget Town Halls in October.
8. Update from the Joint Inclusion Committee (JIC) on the upcoming City budget presentations on the finalized 24-25 budget.
9. Update from the Joint Inclusion Committee (JIC) on a presentation by the City Demographer.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

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