



**MAYOR'S COMMITTEE FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES
REGULAR CALLED MEETING
MINUTES
Friday, August 9, 2024**

The Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities convened in a regular called meeting on Friday, August 9, 2024, at City Hall, 301 W 2nd St Austin, Texas.

Chair Meyer called the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities Meeting to order at 5:55 p.m.

Commissioners in Attendance:

Elisabeth Meyer, Chair
Conor Kelly

Commissioners in Attendance Remotely:

Jonathan Franks, Vice Chair
Lisa Chang
Jennifer Powell
Kristen Vassallo

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Approve the minutes of the Mayor's Committee for People with Disabilities regular meeting on July 12, 2024.

The minutes from the meeting of 07/12/2024 were approved on Commissioner Vassallo's motion, Vice Chair Frank's second on a 6-0 vote. Commissioner Hogan was off the dais. Commissioners Arellano, Fetonte, Hogan and Salazar were absent.

STAFF BRIEFING

2. Presentation by Angela Baucom, Food and Climate Program Coordinator, Office of Sustainability, on the Austin/Travis County Food Plan and next steps on the path to adoption.

Presentation given by Angela Baucom, Food and Climate Program Coordinator, Office of Sustainability.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

3. Review of the Mayor’s Committee for People with Disabilities website.

Chair Meyer presented.

4. Discussion on plans for 2024 Disability Awareness month including a possible proclamation and awards.

Discussed.

5. Discussion on Disability Employment and Entrepreneur Awards.

Postponed.

6. Discussion on Disability Pride and Disability Awareness in 2025.

Postponed.

7. Discussion on the 2022 Disability Quality of Life Study.

Postponed.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Austin Police Department Office of Community Liaison – October

Equity Based Preservation Plan – September and possibly October

Joint Inclusion Committee updates – September (Meyer, Powell)

Human Resources presentation and discussion – September (Kelly, Chang)

Chair Meyer adjourned the meeting at 6:49 p.m. without objection.