

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER  
DISABILITY COMMISSION

MEETING MINUTES- 10/11/2017

Meeting called to order @ 2 pm.

Members present: Mr. Frim, Mr. Goldsmith, and Ms. Rocha

Minutes from 9/13/2017 meeting reviewed, approved and seconded.

Recap of Community Access Monitor Training- Handouts from David

- Mass rules and regulations for buildings.

Discussion Open House Meeting

- Came to decision to coordinate among ourselves to bring in snacks- bake or platters from BJ's, see from Anna or Leslie about other vendors willing to help.
- Decision to push back date of Open House that we originally discussed to better prepare- flyers, refreshments, and being able to advertise. Not enough time from now until then to fully plan, possibly after Christmas/New Years.
- Advertising/Community- Post on various Bridgewater Facebook pages, send out invites to people we think would like to be in attendance or to stop by, public in general.
- Drafted first copy of written invite for officials and departments.
  - Our purpose and goals.
  - Introduce ourselves.
  - TBD: time, date, place

Plan to print out pamphlets or obtain pamphlets to pass out to people in attendance.

- Massachusetts Clients Assistance Program CAP
- Disability Benefits FAQ
- Disability Employment Information Guide
- Interacting with People with Disabilities
- MOD Overview

NEXT MEETING: 11/8/2017 @ 2pm.

Topics for next meeting:

- David to get ahold of Steven Solari on building codes and standards to possibly come speak with us more in-depth.
- Come up with our goals and purpose to put into letter.
- Try and invite someone from Boston MOD.
- Establish a true date for the Open House, finalize the letter to send out, make a flyer and have it approved by all members.

Meeting adjourned @ 3pm.