

Athens City Commission on Disabilities
April 15, 2020
Video Conference
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

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INTRODUCTIONS (10 mins)

- Check in about physical distancing, personal needs

APPROVAL OF MINUTES (5 mins)

- February 2020 minutes
- March meeting cancelled due to coronavirus

TREASURER'S REPORT

- Carolyn (1 min)
 - o Reminder for committees to send in any budgets requests to her for full commission vote

NEW BUSINESS

- Community Needs and possible ways to address
 - o Senior population
 - o ACBDD individuals
 - o Others in Community
 - Additional Needs that may be serviced by ACCD
 - Using Social Media to spread information
- Secretary Position for Executive Committee
 - o Nomination for Secretary – Dianne Bouvier
 - o Vote to accept nomination

OLD BUSINESS:

- ADA 30th year anniversary events and Disability Awareness Month (5 minutes)
 - o Haben Girma an Temple Grandin recaps
 - o Everything else is postponed
 - o Think about ways to promote ADA through social media, other methods in committee.
- Committee meetings
 - o How to do this during physical distancing
 - o Accommodations to consider

COMMITTEE REPORTS

- Executive (Noah and Carolyn) (5 mins)
 - Worked on getting remote work set for this meeting, considered possible new members.
 - OSILC notes and next steps

- Accessibility and Mobility (Davey/Noah/Rob/Dianne) (5 mins)
 - Meeting regularly with city planners to look through city plans
 - Conversations with David Riggs, Code Enforcement
 - Setting up video conference for 5-14-20 for Remote Walk and Roll assessment

- Communications (Meet after this is done) (0 mins)

- Education & Events (Carolyn and Berry) (5 mins)
 - Calling all artists, Oral History project
 - HR 214 Resolution
 - Next meeting TBA
 - Letter to the Editor and news outreach

- Advocacy (Meet after this is done) (0 mins)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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