



## BARNSTABLE DISABILITY COMMISSION

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Barnstable Disability Commission  
Minutes  
April 20, 2022  
via Zoom from 10 am to 12 pm

Meeting called to order at 10:00 a.m.

**Members present:** Paul Logan: Chair, Sheila Mulcahy; Vice Chair, Linda McKinney, Jerilyn DiCostanzo, Mike Hersey, Paula Breagy, and Brian Freeman.

**Others Present:** Paul Hebert, Town Councilor Liaison, and Tammy Cunningham, Asst. HR Director and staff liaison.

Members Absent: Warren Rutherford, John Lunbdorn, and Paula Breagy.

**Public Comment: None**

**Approval of the minutes of March 16, 2022** – Brian Freeman moved to approve, Michael Hersey seconded. Unanimous

**Financial report** – Current balance is \$48,344.43.

Tammy Cunningham informed that BDC that Structures & Grounds would soon be ordering the handicap portable restrooms to be located at Loop Beach, Covell's Beach, and Gary Brown boat ramp. Brian Freeman made a motion to provide funding for the handicap accessible portable restrooms at the locations listed above from Memorial day through Labor Day, Michael Hersey seconded. Tammy will send an email to Joe Marshall, Division Supervisor, Structures & Grounds, and Paul Logan advising that the portable restroom should have a 60" turn radius for wheelchair use.

**MOD Grant update** – Tammy Cunningham stated she would be following back up with Elizabeth Jenkins to check in on the status of the matter.

**Report from the posters sub-committee** – Brian Freeman stated he has a few mock ups to share and will re-send the posters to the Commission for viewing and comment.

**Report from Scholarships sub-committee** – Linda McKinney provided an update on the status of scholarships. Brian Freeman will contact Sturgis to find out the status.

**Barnstable Adult Community Center Office Hours** – The schedule is as follows:

April – Pual Logan  
May – Brian Freeman  
June – John Lundborn

*TOB Closed Captioning update* – No business.

*Report from MA AAB Variance Request sub-committee/DPW Sub Committee* –

The Commission reviewed the variance request on behalf of Nautilus Marina, 339 West Bay Road in Osterville. The variance request is seeking relief from the need to install a lift to the viewing platform of a vessel to be housed on the property.

After much discussion, Brian Freeman made a motion to not support the variance request, as written, Sheila Mulcahy seconded. Unanimous.

Paul Logan will notify the Mass. Architectural Access Board to advise of the Commission's decision.

Report from the DPW Review Subcommittee/TOB projects – No business.

Matters not reasonably anticipated by the Chair –

Councilor Hebert will be following up on the pending matters with Willow Street Tavern and Morning Glory Café.

Councilor Hebert stated he discussed with Mark Ells, Town Manager, the lack of railings in the balcony section at the Knight Auditorium located at Barnstable High School. The matter will be addressed.

Next Disability Commission meeting will be held on May 18, 2022 at 10 am.

John Lundborn moved to adjourn, Michael Hersey seconded. Meeting adjourned at 11:12 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Tammy L. Cunningham*

**The objective of the Barnstable Disability Commission  
is to advise and guide the Town of Barnstable and the general public regarding  
issues of accessibility in accordance with the American's With Disabilities Act (ADA).**