

COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES MINUTES

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2023, 5:30 P.M.
PUBLIC COMMENT IN PERSON/TELEPHONE
ART PICK COUNCIL CHAMBER
3900 MAIN STREET

PRESENT: Chair John Krick, Vice Chair Tola Perkins, and Commissioners Albert

Davis, Tedra Trimm, Gilbert Lee, Shelly Dunston, and Sandy Tarmo

ABSENT: Commissioner Ryan Nelson

STAFF PRESENT: Jessica Spiking

Chair Krick convened the meeting at 5:33 p.m.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

There was no one wishing to address the commission.

PRESENTATION FROM SPECIAL TRANSPORTATION DIVISION ON THE PROPOSED FARE INCREASE FOR TRANSPORTATION SERVICES PROVIDED FOR SENIORS AND RESIDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Following discussion and without formal motion, the Commission received and ordered filed the presentation from Special Transportation Division on the proposed fare increase for transportation services provided for seniors and residents with disabilities. The Commissioners voiced unanimous support for the fare increase.

CONSENT CALENDAR

Following discussion, it was moved by Commissioner Tarmo and seconded by Commissioner Lee to approve the Consent Calendar as presented below affirming the action appropriate to the item. The motion carried with Commissioner Nelson absent and Commissioner Trimm abstaining.

MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting of July 20, 2023, were approved as presented.

COMMUNICATIONS

UPDATES ON CONFERENCES, SEMINARS AND REGIONAL MEETINGS ATTENDED BY COMMISSIONERS



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Chair Krick spoke on a benefit concert that he attended that was for an autism group in the City of Los Angeles. They also offer virtual programs and Chair Krick is interested in exploring the possibility of participating in some of these meetings.

ITEMS FOR FUTURE COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION

Commissioner Tarmo expressed interest in the Commission on Disabilities participating in the annual health fair on October 4, 2023, at the Janet Goeske Center.

Commissioner Tarmo spoke on Commission outreach and participation at local events.

Commissioner Davis also spoke on future outreach opportunities as well as attending local events.

Staff member Jessica Spiking spoke about updating existing outreach items such as the Commission on Disabilities Brochure.

Commissioner Lee requested that Gable Farms give a presentation at a future Commission meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jessica Spiking

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