

COMMISSION FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES MEETING

City Hall Annex, Conference Room C
999 Broad Street
Bridgeport, CT 06604

Date: Thursday, September 9, 2021
Time: 6:00 PM
Location: Zoom

MEMBERS PRESENT: Elliott Calderon (Chairperson), Jerome Roberts (Vice-Chairperson), Donald Donaldson (2nd Vice- Chairperson) & Brenda Dye (Secretary).

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT: Larry Robinson

LIAISON TO THE COMMISSION: Sha'Kenya Whittaker, ADA Clerical Assistant, NOT PRESENT

Chairperson, Elliott Calderon: Meeting to order at 6:10

21-0909-01: Motion to approve CPD Meeting Minutes dated August 10, 2021. Don 2nd, Jerome abstained, VOTED

DISCUSSIONS

- Elliott received no update on Aarons Way Anniversary Celebration, event on hold until further notice.
- Elliott sent letter to Rowena White, no response.
- Jerome suggested to send email and a copy of the letter noted 2nd request to Rowena White.
- Elliott shared that Sha'Kenya reached out to Tammy Papa, no significant info yet. Sha'Kenya agreed to check with Tammy again.
- Elliott agreed to communicate with the Danbury CPD to see if we could share ideas for CPD operation.

21-0909-02: Motion to adjourn at 6:58 PM. Don 2nd, VOTED, **UNANIMOUS**

Next Meeting October 14, 2021 – Time 6 PM – Location To be announced

Brenda Dye, Secretary

Elliott Calderon, Chairperson

Commission for People with Disabilities – Meeting September 9, 2021, No changes

Follow-up Items

1. Identification Badges for all Bridgeport Commissions expected by end of year 2018
2. Larry Robinson to share information at next meeting with the Commission that might be helpful as guide to use when introducing ourselves as Commissioners to the community
3. Handicap Rest Rooms and Handicap Parking - Lack of Handicap Rest Rooms and Handicap Parking at Beardsley Park – Angel DePara and Chairperson, Elliott
4. Develop plans to participate in HEALTH FAIR
5. Pledge of Allegiance at beginning of meeting