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Meeting Agenda - Final

Committee for Persons with Disabilities

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City Secretary

Wednesday, October 7, 2026

3:00 PM

City Hall City Council Chambers

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The Committee for Persons with Disabilities is hereby established for the purpose of carrying on a program to encourage, assist, and enable persons with disabilities to participate in the social and economic life of the city; to achieve maximum personal independence; to become gainfully employed; and to enjoy fully and use all public and private facilities available within the community. (Ord. No. 24364, § 1, 2-13-2001)

A. Call To Order

B. Roll Call

Imelda Trevino – Chairperson
Michelle Jones – Vice Chairperson
Dr. Sonya Durrwachter - Secretary
Olga Barrera
Alejandro Benavides
Wilson Goodrich
Alison Johnson
Aliza Huerta

C. Public Comment

Members of the audience will be provided an opportunity to speak at the Committee meeting. A recording is made at these meetings. When addressing the Committee, please give your name and the City and State in which you live, and state your point as briefly as possible. Each speaker is limited to no more than three (3) minutes. If you wish to provide Public Comment at the meeting, please sign in with staff near the dais and indicate if you are speaking during the Public Comment section or if you would like to speak at the time an item is considered. Members of the public are allowed to speak at the Public Comment section and/or when items are considered but speakers are only allowed to speak on a specific topic once.

Please be advised that the Open Meetings Act prohibits the board members from responding to or discussing your comments at length. The law only authorizes them to do the following:

- 1) *Make a statement of factual information;*
- 2) *Recite an existing policy in response to the inquiry; or*
- 3) *Advise the citizen that this subject will be placed on an agenda at a later date.*

D. Approval of Minutes and Action on Absences

1. [26-1545](#) Motion to approve the minutes of the September 2, 2026, regular meeting.
Attachments: [2026-09-02 MeetingMinutes DRAFT](#)
2. [26-1546](#) Possible action on members' requests for excusal of absence from the September 2, 2026, regular meeting.
Attachments: [Attendance as of 2026-09-02](#)

E. Committee Reports

1. [26-1547](#) Report from the Outreach, Advocacy and Advisory Subcommittee
2. [26-1548](#) Report from the Accessibility Subcommittee

F. Staff Reports

5. [26-1549](#) Update on Committee operations and administration including end-of-year reporting; monthly reports on parking violations and 311 calls.
Attachments: [311 Call Report 2026 Sept](#)
6. [26-1551](#) Discussion and possible action on employer recognition program
Attachments: [CFPWD Memo to CM 02.05.26](#)
7. [26-1550](#) Opportunity for Texans with disabilities and their families to participate in a statewide study called "Raising Texas Voices"
Attachments: [Research Study Flyer](#)

G. Future Agenda Items

H. Adjournment