



The Mayor's Council for People with Disabilities

2101 O'Neil Avenue, Cheyenne, WY 82001

Monthly Meeting January 11, 2024, 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. – Room 104 and Zoom

Attendance: Patti Riesland, Kristy Richardson, Julie Tucker, Michelle Woerner, Shane Paul, Jared Dixon, Lisa Nowotney

Absent: Lori Brand, Laurie Johnson, Marsha Dial, Heather Hirsch, Carol Behrend, Ann Clement

Council Liaison: Pete Laybourn

ASL Interpreter: Trevor Nowotney

Establish quorum: yes quorum met – 7 members present

Call to Order 11:34 a.m.

Approval of Minutes: November and December minutes approved unanimously

Discussion and Reports:

Shane Paul (Treasurer):

- Bank balance \$9,900.94 in our 2 accounts

Kristy Richardson (Secretary):

- Conflict of interest form will be sent out, fillable online, needs to be returned by next meeting
- Goals will review for any changes and additions
- Bylaws – no changes proposed, bylaws remain in effect as approved in January 2023

Patti Riesland (Chair):

- MCPD will not be participating in Superday this year, we lost our access to dunk tank and DJ services. We will explore other options for events for us to attend
- We will be planning a Safety Summit for later this year
- Capitol Avenue – walk audit will be scheduled
- City is doing a special analysis of the municipal building for ADA issues
- Currently trying to set up presentations with evening and noon Rotary clubs

Pete Laybourn (Council Liaison):

- 74 blocks of downtown spreadsheets to be developed detailing the conditions of the sidewalks, curbs and ADA ramps
- Sculptures in downtown were privately funded, but the sidewalks are in disrepair
- Police submitted a report about the parking downtown, are considering getting an app to charge and monitor parking
- Reed Avenue – its been 7 years that the City has set up a tax to benefit this area

Julie Tucker (Quality of Life Chair)

- Airport – passenger bridge has been delivered waiting on training for staff
- Legislature – topics: property taxes, public utilities, elections, meeting access and EMS

Next meetings:

- February 8 regular meeting, February 1 Executive board meeting

Adjourn: 12:31 pm