



**City of Newburyport**  
**Commission on Disabilities**  
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**Thursday, June 8, 2023**  
**5:30 pm**

5:30pm: Attendance and guest(s) introduction

Public Comment and New Business

- a.) Bartlet Mall Update:
  - a. Inclusive Playground fundraising, potential contribution by NCOD?
  - b. Question regarding grade of walkways and PROWAG/521/ADA compliance

Meeting Minutes Approval: *April 12, 2023 and May 11, 2023*

ADA Coordinator Update

City Council Update

Budget Update

Old Business:

- a.) Waterfront Stage ramp updates (DPS)
  - i. Chamber of Commerce Response to cost sharing request
- b.) DPS Current Projects correspondence (Kristen)
- c.) DEI Alliance updates (Sophie)
- d.) CODA Updates (Kristen)
- e.) Subcommittee updates:
  - i. Access Navigators website updates
    - a. Lisa/Omni
  - ii. Community Outreach and events
    - a. May CAM training – Sophie
      - 1. Future CAM trainings (September, not currently scheduled/registering)
    - b. Research Needed: Disability Awareness Training – still pending
    - c. Collaboration with SEPAC (Kristen) – none
  - iii. Physical materials from past NCOD meetings sorted and binders created
    - a. Debbie (materials from Kristen, March 2023)
  - iv. Website content (including revised Mission and Vision statements)
    - a. (Kristen/Sophie/Dennis – ongoing July 2023)
  - v. Scholarship fund/committee – tabled for discussion at start of FY2024 (July 2023 meeting)
  - vi. Social Media updates
  - vii. Other Special Projects

7:00pm: Meeting adjourns

*Next meeting: June 8, 2023 (5:30 to 7:00pm)*