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Barnstable Disability Commission
Minutes
May 16, 2018
Hyannis Youth & Community Center
141 Bassett Lane Hyannis, MA 02601

Meeting called to order at 10:00 a.m.

*Members present:* Merrill Blum, Chair; Linda McKinney; Sarah Nicholson, Paula Breagy, Denis Briand, Marc Brunco; and Tammy Cunningham.

Guests: Steve Spillane, CORD; and Paula George of Cape Cod Regional Transit Authority.

Members excused: Sheila Mulcahy, Vice Chair; Sabrina Kane; and Paul Logan.

**Presentation by Paula George of CCRTA:** Paula George presented to the BDC an overview of all of the services offered by CCRTA to include their services for those with challenges surrounding accessibility and all other impairments.

**Approval of the minutes of 4/22/18** – Sarah Nicholson moved to approve as amended, Denis Briand seconded. Unanimous

**Approval of the finance report** – Linda McKinney moved to approve, Denis Briand seconded. Unanimous.

**Dining Guide** – Discussion to be held next month.

**Scholarships** – Linda McKinney stated she has received 5 names from the schools. Linda will forward the names to Tammy Cunningham for submittal to finance for processing.

**Barnstable Business Guide** – Sarah Nicholson stated she was reviewing the new Town of Barnstable business website and guide. She is suggesting information relative to the importance of access for all and disabilities.

*Update from Handicap Parking & Signage sub* - **committee** – Discussion to be held next month.

Awards Discussion – Discussion to be held on another date.

*Miscellaneous* – Paula Breagy stated the large parking lot located on North Street behind Purtitan and other area Main Street businesses is in disrepair. She stated the surfaces are very uneven and could be dangerous. It was suggested that she contact the Hyannis Main Street Chamber of Commerce since the parking lot is for more than one business.

Meeting adjourned at 11:55 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Tammy L. Cunningham

The mission of the Barnstable Disability Commission is to advise and guide the Town of Barnstable and the general public regarding issues of accessibility in accordance with the American's With Disabilities Act (ADA)