

CITY OF REVERE - COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES

Meeting Agenda - March 11, 2025 @ 6:00 PM

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Meeting Will Broadcast Live Via Zoom, Revere TV & Revere TV YouTube Channel Please click the link below to join the webinar

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Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call of Members

Item #1: Motion to Approve the Meeting Minutes from February 11, 2025

Item #2: Updates/Next Steps from February 11, 2025 Meeting

- Updates from Pauline & Annmarie regarding the calendar for future monthly guest speakers.
- Update regarding the letter sent to Representative Turco regarding Revere Beach crossing safety.
- Update to Music Therapy Program/collaboration with Revere Parks and Recreation Department (Item #3 on the Agenda)

Item #3: Discussion regarding the Community Music Center of Boston Proposal.

Item #4: CODA (Commissions on Disabilities Alliance) – Meeting Wednesday, March 5, 2025

- DPC (Disability Policy Consortium) mentioned that they have released their 2025 Advocacy Agenda, which can be found on their website
- DPC mentioned that CCA (Commonwealth Care Alliance) has faced challenging financial challenges. The disability community relies heavily on this agency, so DPC has asked the State to take them into Receivership.
- DPC mentioned they are evaluating how they will support advocacy with their state and local partners on the Federal level.
- The Newburyport COD gave an update on the program; they will implement Project Lifesaver.
 Their police department will begin training soon

Item #5: Commission Members' Late Informational Items

Item #6: Residents' concerns/issues

Item #7: Next Steps:

Item #8: Reminder -

The Commission on Disabilities office number is 781-286-8267. Residents can also call Revere 311 directly and speak to their staff Monday through Friday. They will answer most questions, but if they cannot or if you want to talk to our department directly, ask to be transferred to the Disability office. Please leave a detailed message, and someone will get back to you soon.

As always, don't hesitate to contact us if you want something discussed or added to our monthly meeting agenda. You can also let us know if you want to discuss any concerns. The Commission is here to help and assist all the disabled residents and families of Revere.

Motion to Adjourn:

Next Meeting: (Via Zoom) will be on Tuesday, April 8th, 2025 at 6:00 PM

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