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Meeting of the ADA Commission

Minutes

Tuesday, April 11, 2023, 7:00 pm,
Cullen Room of the Maynard Public Library.

Attending: Elijah Tucker , Brion Berghaus , Denise Shea, and DC Chris Troiano.

1. Call to order: Elijah called the meeting to order at 7:22

2. Public Comment: No public present for comment

3. Reports

a. Chair's Report: Elijah heard from Greg Johnson that the governor has extended the online meetings through March 31, 2024.

He got an email from Bill Nemser that the Mass DOT and Mass Mobility are doing a community transit grant program. He wants to know if we want to help apply for a shuttle stop at the co-op. Elijah will be asking for further information about what is being asked and for what purpose—it was unclear.

b. Member's Report

Chris reported that Babico's put their patio on top of the old handicapped parking spot. Bobby, the owner of Babico's, will repaint the new spot and Justin DeMarco will put a handicapped sign in.

At the old Coolidge School, the current spot isn't ADA compliant, therefore it will be left as is. The new owners of the Coolidge building intend to add more spaces once his building is renovated. They are planning to invest around \$34,000 for improvements to the playground and for making it more ADA compliant.

Justin forwarded Chris all the documentation regarding the ADA Improvement grant. We will use it as a template for the

next time we apply. Chris will keep in touch with Justin DeMarco to stay on top of any changes to the application that may arise.

4. Consent Agenda (Commission may vote)

a. Review Minutes of March 7, 2023

Elijah made a motion to approve the meeting minutes of Mar 7, 2023 . Brion seconded the motion. Roll call vote: all were in favor.

5. ADA Matters

a. Handicapped spot to be painted blue: As noted in Chris Troiano's member report, Babico's will paint their spot and the Coolidge spot is noncompliant, so won't be getting paint.

b. Alumni Field Accessible Parking: Brion hasn't sent the letter we drafted yet, but will soon.

c. Crosswalk Pips: We drafted a response to a letter that Elijah received from a Mr. Fox, who was concerned with the condition of the pips.

6. Other Matters Properly Brought Before the Board (Commission may vote) (subject to additions): there were no other matters

7. Next meeting: May 9, 2023, 7:00pm, the Cullen Room of the Maynard Public Library.

8. Adjourn: Denise made a motion to adjourn. All were in favor. The meeting adjourned at 8:21.