

Commission on People with Disabilities Wednesday, January 8, 2025 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Tonya Gilchrist, Chair Jamila Michael-Sobratti, Vice-Chair

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- 6:00 Call to Order & Approval of December 2024 Meeting Minutes Tonya Gilchrist, Chair
- 6:10 Prince Georges County Universal Housing Bill CB-085-2024: Challenges and Possible Incentives for Montgomery County to Establish Same Legislation Sarah Reddinger, Vice President of Housing & Community Strategies, Habitat for Humanity Metro Maryland https://princegeorgescountymd.legistar.com/LegislationDetail.aspx?ID=6862707&GUID=CD9AA9D2-6E0C-4B84-B1A4-A9AE47F33A8E&Options=ID|Text|&Search=CB-085-2024
- **6:45 Update on Wheelchair Accessible Vehicles as Taxicabs** Walton Harris, Program Manager, Taxicab Regulation Unit, Montgomery County Department of Transportation
- 7:00 Chair and Vice-Chair Updates

Topics for Next Meeting Discussion and Next Steps for Designated Bike Lanes - Sidewalks and Floating Bus Stops, Accessible Parking

- 7:10 Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Commission (IDDC) John Whittle, Commissioner and Liaison to IDDC
- 7:15 Updates Ex-Officio Members, Updates Commission Members
- 7:25 Community Speaks Public invited to make comments, 2-minute limit, time permitting. For profit companies who want to speak should contact the Commission in advance. Public participants generally are not invited to speak during presentations and time is set aside at the end of the meeting to allow the public to speak. This policy will be strictly enforced moving forward.
- 7:30 Adjourn

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