

**MINUTES
OF
CITY OF WHARTON
MAYOR'S COMMITTEE ON PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES
CALLED REGULAR MEETING
Wednesday, April 12, 2023
8:00 a.m.**

Chairperson Cheryl Lavergne declared a Called Meeting duly open for the transaction of business at 8:06 a.m.

Committee Members Present: Chairperson Cheryl Lavergne, Vice-Chairperson Adraylle Watson, Secretary Marilyn Sebesta, and Committee Member Johnnie Gonzales;

Committee Members Absent: Committee Member Faye Evans

Visitors: Angela Bruce and Delia Gonzales

Staff Members present were: Building Official Claudia R. Velasquez and Shaniah Fisher, Assistant to Building Official.

The first item on the agenda was to review and consider the reading of the minutes for meeting held Wednesday, March 8, 2023. Chairperson Cheryl Lavergne, moved to accept minutes as presented. Committee Member Johnnie Gonzales seconded the motion.

The second item on the agenda was to discuss and review February's financial report. No action taken.

The third item on the agenda was to review and discuss 2023 Projects. A commitment made amongst committee to start and complete projects for 2023.

A) Advocacy:

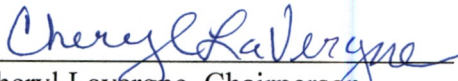
1. ADA Parking & Signage: No action taken
- 2 Handicap Ramp Assistance:
\$1,000 donated towards 1805 Hendon handicap ramp to Habitat for Humanity.
Funds being held until Habitat for Humanity is able to obtain remainder of funds

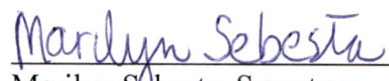
B) Community:

1. Accessible Park Bench & Table for Croom Park II. Quotes provided to the committee. Committee member Johnnie Gonzales motioned to accept Terra Bound quote for the amount of \$2048.00 which includes ADA picnic table and bench. \$900.00 will be donated towards the cost of ADA picnic table and bench from private party. Vice Chair Person Adraylle Watson seconded the motion. Quote renewal will be requested and represented to Committee in May.

2. 2nd Annual Fundraiser scheduled for March 23rd. Committee discussed tickets sells and funds acquired from fund raiser. No action taken
3. Wharton County Youth Fair Special Friends Day scheduled for March 29th. No action taken.
4. Halloween Party scheduled for October 26th, 2023. No action taken.

The fourth item on the agenda was adjournment. Farmers Market, ADA Park bench and table, WCYF Special Friends Day, Halloween Dance. Committee Member Johnnie Gonzales. Secretary Marilyn Sebesta seconded the motion. All voted in favor meeting adjourned at 8:43 a.m.


Cheryl Lavergne, Chairperson


Marilyn Sebesta, Secretary