

**Acton Commission on Disability
Minutes
June 11, 2009**

Members Present: Janet Feasel, Lisa Franklin, Joy Kohout, Gordon Lagrow and Brenda Viola.
Guest: Mathias Rosenfeld, representative of WAVE.

Meeting was called to order at 7: 20 pm.

May Minutes were reviewed and accepted with corrections.

OLD BUSINESS

South Acton Train Station: The South Acton Train Station Advisory Committee will present their two platform design at the June 23rd Town Meeting. This design eliminates the unreasonable 600 foot long ramp system of the MBTA's proposed Alternative Design #3. The two platform design incorporates elevators and several smaller accessible ramps, a more reasonable alternative.

The KOTB Puppets: Eileen Sullivan wants to add the puppets into the 3rd grade curriculum. She is still trying to identify students who will perform with the puppets.

Town Website: Members agreed to have their names posted on the COD website.

COD Charter: Accepted and approved that the COD Charter be decreased to 7 members with 3 members as a quorum.

NEW BUSINESS

Summer Meetings: All agreed to meeting in July and August, noting some members' vacation plans.

Transportation: Project proposed for a "Transportation Guide". This guide would be formatted as a brochure and included on our town website. The information in the guide would include a description of the different kinds of transportation available to PWD residing in Acton. Fran Ossman will be talking with TAC about this idea.

Special Presentation by Mathias Rosenfeld on WAVE.

Mathias shared the design proposal for the West Acton Village development project. The design include many accessible features in the refurbished historical buildings, the new buildings, parking areas, redesigned playground, main street parking, and sidewalks, etc. The design is in its preliminary stages. We expressed our desire to remain in contact to ensure accessibility issues.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:55 pm
Respectfully submitted,
Brenda Viola, Secretary