

**City of Glendale
Commission on Persons with Disabilities
Glendale Main Library- 1st Floor Large Meeting Room
5959 W. Brown Street**

**Tuesday, January 21, 2014
6:00 p.m.**

AGENDA

I. Call to Order

II. Roll Call

III. Approval of Minutes – Regular Meeting, December 17, 2013

IV. Business from the Floor

Summary: If citizens wish to speak on a matter concerning the Commission on Persons with Disabilities that is not on the printed agenda, please complete a "Citizen Comment Card" located at the entrance of the room and provide it to the designated staff person prior to the beginning of the meeting. The Commission can only act on matters that are on the printed agenda, but may refer the matter to staff for follow-up. Once your name is called by the Commission Chairperson, please proceed to the podium, state your name and address for the record, and limit your comments to a period of five minutes or less.

V. Department Policy Regarding Service Animals- 15 minutes

Summary: The purpose of this agenda item is for discussion and approval of the Parks, Recreation and Library Service policy including guidelines and procedures to follow when interacting with individuals with disabilities being accompanied by a service animal.

Recommendation: For discussion and approval.

VI. Elsie McCarthy Sensory Garden– 45 minutes

Summary: The purpose of this item discussed at the December 17, 2013 meeting in regards to the Partners 'N Parks program for the Elsie McCarthy Sensory Garden. The items include additional tree selections and increased signage. Also for discussion by the Commission will be the upcoming Partners N' Parks event scheduled for Saturday, February 1, 2014.

Recommendation: For review and discussion.

VII. Review of the Commissions 2013-14 Work Plan

Summary: The purpose of this agenda item is for a mid-year review of the Commission's work plan for fiscal year 2013-14.

Recommendation: For information and discussion.

VIII. Staff Updates– 10 minutes

Summary: Staff will share information with the Commission on key activities since its last meeting. This will also include the sharing of information related to previous requests of the Commission.

Recommendation: For information and discussion.

IX. Commission Comments & Suggestions –15 minutes

Summary: This is an opportunity for the Commission to share any observations or comments it may have. Staff will follow-up as appropriate.

Recommendation: For information and discussion.

X. Adjournment

The next regular meeting will be February 17, 2014 at the Main Library 1st floor large meeting room, 5959 W. Brown Street.



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