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COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES

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Salem Commission on Disabilities
May 16, 2017 - 4:30PM
Salem Access TV, 285 Derby Street, Salem, MA

COMMISSION STATEMENT

The Salem Commission on Disabilities is committed to making Salem a better place to work and live for people with disabilities. The Commission also strives to make Salem a more accessible place to visit for people living with all kinds of disabilities. Our mission is to raise awareness, educate, and provide informational resources about various disability issues. Two of the ways we do so are by providing educational information in the monthly meetings broadcasted on the local cable network, SATV Channel 22, and providing a daily audible column to help maximize the pedestrian commuter's safety. The Commission supports a strong relationship with City government, its constituents and the Salem business community, including the museums and other tourist attractions.

AGENDA

- 1) **Introductions and welcome**
- 2) **Old Business:**
 - 1) Update on audible crossing signals; Lisa Cammarata
 - 2) Subcommittees and members, clarification; group
 - 3) Councillor Famico's initiative; group
 - 4) Accessible picnic table placement; group
- 3) **New Business:**
 - 1) MOD grant update and application, Lisa Cammarata & Debra Lobsitz
 - 2) Subcommittee reports
 - Project funding**
 - By-Laws and updates**
 - Pedestrian safety**
 - Social media**
- 4) **Next meeting:**

June 20, 2017, 4:30PM, location to be determined, possibly at Salem State University
- 5) **Adjournment**

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