COMMISSION FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES MEETING

City Hall Annex, Conference Room C 999 Broad Street Bridgeport, CT 06604

Date: Thursday, December 08, 2022 Time: 6:00 PM Location: Zoom

MEMBERS PRESENT: Elliott Calderon (Chairperson), Jerome Roberts (Vice-Chairperson), Don Donaldson (2nd Vice Chairperson) and Brenda Dye (Secretary)

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT: Larry Robinson

LIAISON TO THE COMMISSION: Larry Robinson, Not Present

Chairperson called the meeting to order at 6:07 PM.

22-1208-01: Motion to approve CPD Meeting Minutes dated November 10, 2022 with changes to item 22-1110-02 (delete the word again) and (change the word still to being). Don, Jerome 2nd, VOTED, **1 ABSTAIN**

CHANGES 22-1110-02: Motion to table the Park Ramp Project report, due to Don being unavailable. E-mail was received from Don today (Nov. 10, 2022) at 12:16 PM referring to updates. Elliott, Jerome 2nd, VOTED, **UNANIMOUS**

DISCUSSIONS

- 1. **Elliott**: Per conversation with Larry, he is expecting to be appointed as the ADA Coordinator for the City of Bridgeport. Announcement expected to be made in the month of December.
- 2. **Elliott**: He spoke with the manager at Bow Tie Movie Theater who agreed to donate 50 bags of popcorn for CPD Movie Night. CPD to confirm event plans, including date and get back to Bow Tie manager.
- 3. **Don, Park Ramp Project update**: Updates per E-mail dated Nov. 10, 2022 (attach E-mail to Minutes). Funding to be determined.
- 4. **Jerome**: He is uncertain how to proceed with CPD Movie Night. We have yet to receive official notice of receiving the \$500 grant for year 2022. Question if a new request for \$500 grant for the new year 2023 can be submitted in addition, for a total of \$1,000. Jerome to contact Ms. Green to clarify funds.
- 5. **Jerome**: CPD letter head, business cards and badges have been open items for years. CPD minutes noted consistently back to 2018. Also, CPD information pamphlets are needed. Elliott to research.

Next Scheduled Meeting: January 12, 2023 - Time 6:00 PM

Brenda Dye, Secretary

Elliott Calderon, Chairperson

Follow-up Items

1. Identification Badges for all Bridgeport Commission members expected by end of year 2018