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Commission on Disability

AGENDA

RECEIVED
By City Clerk at 4:15 pm, Apr 08, 2026

Meeting Date: April 13, 2026
Location: Zoom
Time: 6:00 pm

This meeting will be a Virtual meeting that will take place via Zoom. To view and participate go to <https://newtonma-gov.zoom.us/j/89453119954> or dial +13092053325,,89453119954#

1. Introductions
2. Roberts Rules and Zoom Etiquette Reminder
3. Minutes
4. Parking Application – Need address and request detail
5. Discussion on Housing Advocacy Priorities and creation of Housing Research Subcommittee
6. Vote to send letter of support Newton Center Plaza Design to Parks and Recreation
7. Co-Chairs Corner:
 - a. Visit to Cooper Center to review new door openers
 - b. Programming at the Cooper Center – Accessible Architecture Series and MBTA Accessibility & Assistance
 - c. Jini Fairley receives Sheila Mondshein Award for Outstanding Leadership in Promoting Fair Housing event on April 23rd @ 2:00pm at Newton City Hall
 - d. Report on Finance Committee discussion for Walker and Proctor Street Accessible Improvements
 - e. Recruiting Speakers for Newton Theater Company's Monologue Project in May

NEXT MEETING DATE: May 11, 2026

The location of this meeting is accessible, and reasonable accommodation will be provided to persons with disabilities who require assistance. If you need a reasonable accommodation, please contact the city of Newton's ADA Coordinator at least two business days in advance of the meeting: ADACoordinator@newtonma.gov or (617) 796-1253. The city's TTY/TDD direct line is: 617-796-1089. For the Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS), please dial 711

