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**Commission for Persons with Disabilities
Bristol, CT 06010**

**Meeting Agenda
September 11, 2024**

7:00 PM – City Hall, 3rd Floor Meeting Room 3-1 and Virtual Format

Our Mission

To promote inclusion and improve the quality of life for people in Bristol with a disability, by providing a network of partnerships with local resources that foster self-sufficiency, dignity, and respect.

Reasonable Accommodation Statement

The Bristol Commission for Persons with Disabilities is committed to equal access to, and participation in, all meetings and Commission-sponsored programs and events. Individuals who require an accommodation in order to fully participate, including physical access, communication assistance, or other special need, should contact Daniel A. Micari at damicari@yahoo.com, at least seven business days prior to the scheduled meeting, program, or event.

Present:

Absent:

Call to order

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Minutes: June 12, 2024

Presentation: Thomas DeNoto, City of Bristol Assessor
Topic: Tax and Relief Programs for the Disabled

New/Current Business

*Tentative speakers for October and beyond

*Review of the Commission's presence at the Rockwell Park Festival (August 17)
and the farmers' market (August 31)

Old Business

*Lesson on American Sign Language

Correspondence

*From Chairman Micari to Sen. Henri Martin:

Dear Senator Martin, on behalf of the Bristol Commission for Persons with Disabilities, I thank you for your interesting and informative presentation at last evening's Commission meeting. The numerous bill updates and reflections on the legislative process, provided important background and understanding of the day to day work of our elected state representatives. Your response to questions also added to a very interactive process for all.

Sincerely,
Dan Micari, Chair
Bristol Commission for Persons with Disabilities

*From Chairman Micari to Mark Voight:

Dear Mr. Voight, On behalf of the Bristol Commission for Persons with Disabilities, I thank you for presenting and discussing the customized design work that you offer, to assist individuals to achieve independence and maximize the use of their adaptive equipment. As we discussed at the meeting, your services and information details will be included as a link on the Commission's web page.

Sincerely,

*Dan Micari, Chair
Bristol Commission for Persons with Disabilities*

Public Participation

Motion to adjourn: **Meeting adjourned:**
Next meeting: October 9, 2024 at 7:00 PM
 City Hall, 3rd Floor Meeting Room 3-1
Presentation: Kevin McCauley, Democratic Registrar of Voters
 Jolene Lusitani, Republican Registrar of Voters
 Topic: Accessible voting

Submitted by,
Andrew Collins, Secretary

Join Zoom Meeting

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