

**MAYOR'S TASK FORCE ON PERSON'S WITH DISABILITIES  
DECEMBER 19, 2005**

**PLACE:** Janice & Gary Podesto Impact Teen Center  
725 North El Dorado Street

**DATE/TIME:** December 19, 2005  
10:00 a.m.

**ATTENDEES:**

Don Aguillard, Art Gomez, Jim Kruse, Fabrizio Sasso, Kathy Tomura, Debra Furtado, Jennifer Wimberly

**OPENING COMMENTS:**

- The Meeting was called to order by Chairman Don Aguillard at 10:07 a.m.
- Roll call
- Each new member gave a self introduction

**OPEN DISCUSSION:**

Subcommittee submission overviews

- Education, Employment and Outreach Committee  
Co-chairs – Art Gomez and Ron Magno
  - Questions/possible amendments to submission
    - Second line of summary - ~~Explain to~~ **Create awareness to employers of** the advantages of hiring people with disabilities.
    - Third line of summary – Work with Equal Opportunity Program, esp. when new employers apply for permits. What are we going to do?
    - Last line of summary – Obtain data regarding current employment of persons with disabilities in the City of Stockton. What is the relevance of this? CSC currently does this.
- Transportation and Mobility Committee  
Co-chairs – Art Gomez and Jennifer Wimberly
  - County and City Dial a Ride – Get Annual Reports from COG, RTD and City if available.
  - Questions/possible amendments to submission
    - First bullet point of summary – **Assist the Public Works Department** maintain oversight of the ~~Public Works Agency's~~ curb ramp, street and sidewalk, traffic calming and disabled parking zone programs **by evaluation of quarterly reports.**

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- Second bullet point of summary – ~~Maintain~~ Monitoring of San Joaquin County's ADA and the City's own Dial a Ride programs **by evaluation of quarterly reports.**
  
- Youth Development and Outreach Services Committee  
Co-chairs – Don Aguillard and Lisa Cooper
  - Get a representative from the Sports Commission and Parks and Recreation Department to speak at a meeting.
  - Questions/possible amendments to submission
    - First bullet point of summary – Facilitate the process of disabled youth applying to the Youth Activity Council, and ~~develop a~~ **support the** Youth Leadership Forum.
    - Third bullet point of summary – Do outreach ~~to~~ **with** other commissions (Commission on Aging, Youth Commission, and ~~Cultural~~ **Stockton** Arts Commission).
  
- Housing Committee  
Co-chairs – Dwight Williams and George Lewis
  - George was unable to attend meeting.
  - Talk with the building department and cross-reference with what we are doing.
  - Find out the guidelines.
  - Speak with Deputy Building Official and Community Development Director. Possible have them speak at an upcoming meeting.
  - Speak with Councilmember Bestolarides regarding the Affordable Housing Ad Hoc.
  - Questions/possible amendments to submission
    - Forth bullet point of summary – Oversight of pertinent aspects of the ADA Transition Plan Project, including the upcoming citywide sidewalk condition survey. Property owner is responsible for improvements in front of their home.

**New Business**

- Next meeting we will review the full reports.
- Jennifer Wimberly from San Joaquin RTD passed out information from her company. This information is available by request; please contact Nicole Mamorno at 937-7850.

**ADJOURN:**

Meeting adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

**NEXT MEETING:**

The next Task Force Meeting has been scheduled for January 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. \*Due to the observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, this meeting has been rescheduled for January 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00 a.m.

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