

**DRAFT**

**Disability Awareness Starts Here (DASH)  
Board Meeting Minutes**

**Date:** Tuesday, November 7, 2023, Noon, Zoom.

**Attendees:** John Frasca, Nancy Villagran, Jack McCreary, Pat Teal, Sara Peck, Henry Amick

**Absent:** Marion Huxtable, Miranda Nash,

**Guests:** Nicole Gauthier, Amy Hall, Michele Gransgaard, Patrick Johnson, Amanda (Farmers Market), Margaret Lee, Laura Parsons, Richard Tucker, Anna McEnery

**Additions:**

There were none.

**Minutes:**

Minutes from the October 2, 2023, meeting; unanimously approved.

**Treasurer's Report:**

Regular Account: \$3,516.35. Emergency Account: \$27.77.

**Communication Updates:**

- DASH emails- John reported one relevant email.
- Phone calls- Pat reported that no phone calls were received.
- Mail at Chimacum Post Office- Sara reported no relevant mail.

**Discussion re:** Mental Health Video, Stigma Reduction Project

Patrick Johnson led the discussion on this project. This project addresses accessibility for those with mental illness with a focus to reduce the stigma associated with mental health. The following links were provided for materials and information on the Stigma Reduction Project:

- <https://www.instagram.com/stigmafreejeffersoncounty/>
- <https://www.instagram.com/stigmafreejeffersoncounty/>
- <https://namijeffcowa.org/>
- <https://www.facebook.com/people/Stigma-Free-Jefferson-County/100095433250793/>

**Discussion re:** Lawrence and Tyler Bus Stop

A request was made to move the Jefferson Transit 11A Lawrence & Taylor stop to the corner of Lawrence and Tyler. Discussion ensued on parking, public process, and safety. This topic will be on the agenda at the December DASH meeting.

**Discussion re:** Volunteer Fair, Chimacum

Details were finalized in preparation for the upcoming volunteer fair.

**Updates:**

Updates were made on the following:

- City: Discovery Road Project, Roundabout project on East Sims Way.
- **County:**
- ACAC: Voting of funds to the Governors Committee
- Council For the Blind: Members and the need for more.
- Transit Advisory Group:

The meeting concluded at 1:23 PM

**Next Meeting:** December 5, 2023