

Disability Awareness Starts Here (DASH) Board Meeting Minutes

Date: Tuesday, December 5, 2023, Noon, Zoom.

Attendees: John Frasca, Nancy Villagran Pat Teal, Sara Peck

Absent: Marion Huxtable, Miranda Nash, Jack McCreary

Guests: Michele Gransgaard, Henry Amick

Additions:
None

Minutes:
Minutes from the November 7, 2023, meeting; unanimously approved.

Treasurer's Report:

Regular Account: \$3,544.12. Emergency Account: closed, the remaining balance of \$27.77 was transferred to the regular account. Unanimously approved.

Communication Updates:

- DASH emails- John reported no relevant email.
- Phone calls- Pat reported that no phone calls were received. Pat updated the group on relevant phone numbers for communication.
- Mail at Chimacum Post Office- Sara reported no relevant mail.
- Website: The website was updated.

Discussion re: Meeting Minutes Taker, 2024

Sara Peck is stepping down as taker of the minutes but will remain on the Board. DASH is looking for a new Secretary for 2024.

Discussion re: County Library Bookmobile

Discussion ensued on the County Library Bookmobile.

Debrief re: Volunteer Fair, Chimacum

NEST requested an evaluation for an automatic door.

Discussion re: Approach to Advocacy

Discussion ensued on DASH's approach to advocacy,

Discussion re: Lawrence and Tyler Bus Stop

Steve King would like to meet in person next month. Pat will follow up about the meeting location.

Updates:

Updates were made on the following:

- City: Discussion ensued on the pool and golf course, and the round-a-bout initiatives. DASH can include the Parks and Recreation department for accessibility matters.
- Transit Advisory Group:
- The Land Trust: DASH members will visit the new trail when the weather is better. Pavilion: An ADA accessible pavilion was built at the end of the ADA train. A great article in the Leader, November 22, 2023.
- ACAC: Next meeting, January 22, noon by Zoom
- Council For the Blind: Next meeting, January 26, noon at the Roadhouse.

The meeting concluded at 1:22 PM

Next Meeting: January 2, 2023