



Meeting Minutes - Draft

Committee for Persons with Disabilities

Wednesday, February 4, 2026

3:00 PM

City Hall City Council Chambers

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The Committee for Persons with Disabilities is hereby established for the purpose of carrying on a program to encourage, assist, and enable persons with disabilities to participate in the social and economic life of the city; to achieve maximum personal independence; to become gainfully employed; and to enjoy fully and use all public and private facilities available within the community. (Ord. No. 24364, § 1, 2-13-2001)

A. Call To Order

Chairperson Trevino called the meeting to order at 3:00 p.m.

B. Roll Call

Present: 5 - Michelle Jones, Alejandro Benavides, Wilson Goodrich, Aliza Long, and Imelda Trevino

Excused: 2 - Crystal Aguilar, and Sonya Durrwachter

C. Public Comment

No public comments.

D. Approval of Minutes and Action on Absences

1. [26-0159](#) Approval of the January 7, 2026 Regular Meeting Minutes

Attachments: [DRAFT CFPWD Minutes January 7 2026 V2](#)

Crystal Aguilar and Sonya Durrwachter's absences were approved as excused. Minutes were approved unanimously.

E. Presentations and Briefings

2. [26-0163](#) Presentation from Visit Corpus Christi on the "Wheel the World" initiative

Kathryn Hyatt gave a presentation on a new initiative that Visit Corpus Christi was

participating in called "Wheel the World."

F. Subcommittee Reports

3. [26-0160](#) Accessibility Subcommittee Report

Subcommittee did not meet.

4. [26-0161](#) Outreach, Advocacy, and Advisory Subcommittee Report

The subcommittee developed criteria for a proposed Employer Recognition Awards Program and advised staff to move forward with briefing Executive Leadership.

G. Staff Reports

5. [26-0162](#) Planning & Economic Development Department on Committee operations and administration, parking violations, Parks and Recreation events, 311 reporting, and other issues impacting the Committee.

Staff informed the committee on changes within the Planning & Economic Development department. Parking and 311 reports for December and January were given to the committee for their review. There were no Parks and Recreation department updates.

H. Unfinished Business

6. [24-1834](#) Resolution in support of accessible public service announcements for community members with visual loss, hearing loss, and limited English proficiency in Corpus Christi, Texas

Attachments: [CFPWD PSA Resolution Staff Comments 05.02.2025](#)
[Revised Resolution PSA 03.28.2025 revised draft 2](#)

The revised resolution was attached to the agenda packet for the committee's review. No further edits were requested, and staff was advised to move forward with obtaining staff comments on the resolution.

7. [25-0214](#) Review of Committee collateral

Attachments: [Trifold 1-9-25 Persons With Disabilities Inside](#)
[CFPWD Brochure Draft Feb-26 \(2\)](#)
[CFPWD Brochure Draft Feb-26 \(1\)](#)

A draft of the committee collateral with requested edits was attached to the agenda packet for the committee's review. The committee did not have request any further edits. Staff will bring back the final version to be voted on at the next meeting.

I. New Business for Discussion and Possible Action

8. [26-0164](#) 2026 Committee Member Application Review and Recommendations

The committee approved the recommendation of three re-appointments: Imelda Trevino, Aliza Long, and Sonya Durrwachter. The committee reviewed new applicant applications and approved recommending Alison Johnson and Liann Alfaro to City Council for their approval.

J. **Future Agenda Items**

The committee noted that they would talk about the budget at the next meeting.

K. **Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 4:02 p.m.