Department of Human Services



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Commission on People with Disabilities Regular Meeting

AGENDA REVISION #1

<u>Thursday, July 20, 2023</u> <u>9 AM</u> Westport Town Hall Room 201

9:00 AM Approval of Minutes from Thursday, June 15th 2023

9:05 AM Tom Tarrant, Westport Resident and Managing Director of Marketing Communications at Jefferies and founding member of JefAbilities will speak about the recent Disability IN National Conference <u>Click here</u> to see Tom and his firm, Jefferies, video on disability employment, inclusion, and opportunity.

9: 25 AM Human Services Report

- July 26th Marks the 33rd Anniversary of the signing of the Americans with Disabilities Act
- Speaker Agenda
- Save the Date: November 15^{th,} 2023, at the Westport Library for the WESTPORT TOGETHER ANNUAL NETWORKING BREAKFAST with Journalist and Author Jennifer Wallace (<u>https://www.jenniferbwallace.com/</u>) She has a book coming out in August called "Never Enough" that looks at achievement culture through the lens of mattering.

9:45 AM Commission Projects & Advocacy Report/Planning

- Setting the agenda for the 23-24 Fiscal Year
 - Affordable & Special Needs Housing
 - Social Recreational Opportunities:
 - Club 203 A social program for individuals ages 18+
 - Summer opportunities
 - "Employment is for Everyone" (E4E)
 - Transportation opportunities
 - Legislative Advocacy opportunities
- 9:50 AM Public Comment and Other Announcements

10:00 AM Adjourn

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