



WESTPORT CONNECTICUT

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Westport's Commission on People with Disabilities Regular Meeting

Thursday, November 21st, 2024

9am

AGENDA

*** REVISION 1, NOTE LOCATION CHANGE**

Pursuant to the Governor's Executive Order No. 7B, there is no physical location for this meeting. It will be held electronically.

To attend the Zoom meeting, go to:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86855527083?pwd=ZpOCKfdyzSdAAgQsn21XneJB2fvd9j.1>

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- 9 AM **Approval of Minutes from Thursday, October 17, 2024**
- 9:05 AM **Guest speaker: Kate Travis, [Ability Beyond](#) Services Director**

Founded more than 70 years ago, Ability Beyond has grown to provide services to more than 3,000 people with disabilities across Connecticut and New York. Their Mission is to discover, build and celebrate the ability in all people. Ability Beyond provides a variety of services that impact every facet of someone's life, from Day Programs, Group Homes and Supported Independent Living, Employment Training, Transition Services for young adults, Special Olympics, and so much more! And we are at the forefront of innovation and best practices that are recognized and modeled on state and national levels.

- 9:30 AM **Human Services Report**
- 9:40 AM **Commission Projects & Advocacy**
- Club 203 – A social program for individuals ages 18+
 - "Employment is for Everyone" (E4E)
 - Other Commissioner Updates or New Business

9:55 AM **Public Comment and other Announcements**

10:15 AM **Adjourn**

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