

## Agenda for Tuesday, April 6, 2010 (6:00pm) Commission on Disabilities:

### 1) Welcome,

Introductions: new member John Mulligan, visiting consultant, Jeff Dougan, Massachusetts Office on Disability. Intro to agenda. Additions?

### 2) Minutes from March

3) Follow-up reports on actions taken since last meeting. Update schedule for March/April.

- March 8 report from DCR inquiry (ADA Day 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)
- March 16 (Tuesday) submission due for Council on Aging Newsletter
- **April 6 (Tuesday) QCOD 6:00PM meeting**
- **April 20 (Tuesday) 2:00PM QCOD Outreach Event @ Kennedy Senior Center**
- **May 4 (Tuesday) QCOD 6:00PM meeting**
- **May 13 (Thursday) Cambridge Commission for Persons with Disabilities, 5:30PM, 51 Inman St. 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Cambridge, MA 02139 617-349-6297**

Please consider classes at QATV so that we can put out some good, informative shows. I need to make appointments with each of you for interviews and photos in order to put together general information show and introduction to QCOD. I'd like to start work on this project as soon as possible. Also helpful might be photos of persons with disabilities engaged in activities of daily living.

4) Consultation with Jeff Dougan, Massachusetts Office on Disability, featuring:

\*\*5) Discussion of new bylaws, Article 2: Purpose; Article 4: Members.

6) Letter written to Mayor Koch requesting guidelines and procedures for fundraising.

7) Beach wheelchairs are available at Wollaston Beach during the summer. The DCR website also says we have other adaptive sports equipment—i.e. ice hockey sleds! How do we track this stuff down and promote its use?

9) Next meeting May 4 @ 6pm. I have called Quincy Solicitor James Timmins and requested a copy of Quincy's ADA Self-assessment and Transition Plan. I am hoping to have Mayor Koch and a planning team present to discuss Quincy's ADA compliance.