

**Houston Commission on Disabilities  
Meeting of the Commission  
June 8, 2017 – 4:00 PM—6:00 PM**

**Metropolitan Multiservice Center  
1475 West Gray Street  
Houston, Texas 77019**

**Meeting Agenda**

- I. Call to Order and Introductory Remarks (Richard Petty, Commission Chair)
- II. Roll Call (Eddie Jessie, Commission Vice Chair)
- III. Review and Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting (Lesa Jackson, Secretary)
- IV. Public Comments (Eddie Jessie, Commission Vice Chair presiding; each member of the public wishing to speak will sign the speaker sheet provided; names will be called from the sheet; each speaker will have a maximum of 3 minutes to speak)
- V. Wheelchair Accessible Ordinance on Vehicles for Hire, Kathryn Bruning, ARA's Assistant Director of Regulatory Permitting
- VI. MOPD Director's Report to the HCOD (Maria Town, Director, Mayor's Office for People with Disabilities and Amanda Boyd, Office Clerk, Mayor's Office for People with Disabilities)
- VII. Committee Updates
  - Marketing (Frankie Sims, Chair)
  - Emergency Preparedness (Shelly Townsend, Chair)
  - HARP (Eddie Jessie, Chair)
  - Employment (Benigno Aceves, Chair)
  - Disability-Related Issues in Public Education – (Karen Cunningham, Chair)
  - Parks & Accessibility (Tina Williams, Chair)
  - Metro/Transportation/Parking (Tina Williams, Chair)
  - Housing & Tenancy Issues (Lesa Jackson Lazard, Chair)
  - Police Response to Persons with Disabilities (Emmanuel Arizona Eziashi, Chair)
- VIII. Metropolitan MSC Update (Chuck French / Hannah Walker)
- IX. ADA Update (Matt Russell, COH ADA Coordinator)
- X. Commissioners Comments
- XI. Adjourn