



**State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
Commission on the Deaf and Hard of Hearing**

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**Rhode Island Commission on the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
Thursday, April 27, 2006
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

Commissioners Attending: J. Daniels, E. Rawlings, L. Sack, T. Zellner, R. Cooper, J. Ronan, J. Tolento and J. Desmarais-Valdez

Commissioners Absent: P. Thompson, S. Goldenberg and K. Blue

Public: Bruce Bucci

Staff Attending: S. Florio (Exec. Director)

Communication Accommodations: ASL Interpretation

The meeting was called to order at 4:47 p.m. by the Chair Travis Zellner, in Dept. of Administration Building, Providence, RI.

There was discussion among commissioners on the design/layout of the Rhode Island Commission on the Deaf and Hard of Hearing exhibition display.

John Tolento motioned to allow the executive director to modify the design/layout design per commissioners' requirements –

- 1) Logo and State seal to be moved to the top.
- 2) Symbols to be moved to the bottom.
- 3) Layout of "Rhode Island Commission on the Deaf and Hard of Hearing" to be moved to the center.
- 4) Under "Rhode Island Commission on the Deaf and Hard of Hearing" 3 pictures are to be put in. One picture with a hearing aid, one picture of an implant and one picture of an assistive device 'FM'.
- 5) Omit some pictures at bottom as called out and input some new picture of Senior Citizens and diversity.

Motion 2nd by Jeannie D.

All in favor except for Joanne D. and Jeannie D. to whom have abstained.

Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Travis Zellner
Chairperson