



# Minutes for Governor's Commission on Disabilities Election Assistance Committee

**Wednesday February 27, 2008 @ 9:00 – 10:00 AM**

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<b>Attendees:</b>	Rory Carmody, Arthur Plitt, Susan Silva, Kate Bowden, Robert Pires		
<b>Excused:</b>	Miguel Nunez, Regina Connor, Michelle Hayes, Robert Rapoza		
<b>Absent:</b>	Casey Gartland, Steven Florio, Lorna Ricci, Leo Canuel, Jan Ruggerio, James deBoer		
<b>----- Agenda Topics -----</b>			
<b>Call to Order and Acceptance of the Minutes</b>	<b>Rory Carmody</b>	<b>5 min.</b>	
Introductions:			
<b>Action Items:</b>	<b>Discussion Leader:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	
<b>1. HAVA Grant 08</b>	Harvey Salvas		
HS reported that Grant for 08 (\$100,000.00) was applied for by deadline of 02/15/08			
<b>2. Polling Places</b>	Harvey Salvas		
1. HS reported that 8 new polling locations were inspected for the primary. Committee requested that a random check of polling locations be made during primary with preference to those that had previous problems.			
<b>3. HAVA Grant</b>	Harvey Salvas		
1. Request from City of Pawtucket for new accessible door in Smithfield Ave. Fire Station (\$5,000.00) Motion to approve RC second by SS Vote: unanimous Committee requested letter to Town of Westerly regarding grant for lift to be acted upon by 07/01/08 or grant will be with drawn.			
<b>2. Update on Voting Video</b>	Christine Rancourt		
CR updated status of Voting Video captioning.			
Next meeting will be on:	March 26, 2008	Starting at: 9:00 AM	
<b>Adjournment:</b>	Chairperson adjourned the meeting at 10:00 AM		
<b>Observers:</b>			
<b>Resource persons:</b>	Harvey Salvas, Christine Rancourt		