

Meeting Minutes



Employment Committee (formerly the Employment / Economic Opportunities Committee)

Thursday September 29, 2005 9-10:30 AM

Governor's Commission on Disabilities

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Attendees:

Vicki Ferrara, Dimity Peter, Bill Nieranowski, Arthur Plitt

Excused:

Linda Milner, Judi Drew, Pat Ryherd, Jim Pitassi, Kathy Partington

Agenda topics

9:00 AM

Call to Order

Vickie Ferrara, Chair

Discussion: Call to order at 9: AM.

MOTION: Accepted the minutes of the previous meeting, as mailed/corrected

9:05 AM

Update on the ADA Grant

Christine Rancourt

- CR will follow up with Monica Dzialo and Author Plitt regarding mentoring day.
- CR will follow up with Chris Botts regarding a publicity release for mentoring day.
- CR will follow up with Paul Harden regarding Bank of America.
- VF will continue to work on the social security administration speaker and she will ask for Pat Veahy from Services for the Blind to help with a presentation on work incentives.
- CR will ask Cox Communication representative for a volunteer in the Westerly area to help film the Able Too ...television programs.
- DP will compose a note to ADA coordinators at the RI colleges/universities about the availability of between \$200 and \$300 each to put on a program for students with disabilities by the end of 2005.

10:20 AM Other Business

Vicki Ferrara

Discussion: Next meeting 11/17/05. 9:15-10:45.

MOTION: To Adjourn.

Resource Persons: Christine Rancourt

Adjournment at: 10:30 AM