



**Stow Commission on Inclusion
March 23, 2022 Meeting
5:15 pm Stow City Hall Council Chambers**

Members Present: Kellie Dziemianzuk, Chairperson
Jason Dresden, Vice Chairperson
Bruce Bach
Jennifer McCormick
Tricia Streharsky
Dr. Pamela J. Wind

Members Absent: Jason Gates
Mary Bernadette Moxley

Others Present: Mayor John Pribonic
David Licate, Councilman At Large
Elizabeth Kinsella

Call to Order

The meeting called to order at 5:18 in the Council Chambers at Stow City Hall.

Review and Approve Minutes

Pamela Wind made a motion to approve the minutes from the February 23, 2022 meeting and Tricia Streharsky seconded the motion to approve the minutes, upon voice vote the motion passed.

Update on See the Able not the Label

Monday April 4th is the kick-off for this program at Holy Family School at 1:30 pm. Ms. Frank, Holy Family Principal has invited the Commission to attend.

The Hearts of Music will kick this program off. They will have a short musical presentation and have audience participation for a song or two.

Kellie asked if the Stow Sentry would cover this event. Teresa will contact Marsha McKenna to see if she could send a reporter on April 4, 2022.

Kellie would like to send thank you notes to everyone that participated in this event from both the Commission on Inclusion and Holy Family.

4th of July Parade

The Commission discussed the 4th of July parade and several asked the Mayor if there is a possibility of a quiet zone at the beginning of the parade. Mayor stated that would almost be impossible as the fire trucks and engines are so loud that they are heard from blocks away.

Another idea is to see if the Library still has the noise cancelling headphones, which some individuals could use.

Mayor stated he would like to see the Commission in the parade and everyone was in agreement they would like to participate in this event.

Team up to Clean Up

After a discussion, the Commission has tentatively decided to be part of this program on August 27th. They will make a final decision at the next meeting.

Adopt-a-Spot

The Commission would like to take part again in the Adopt-a-Spot on Saturday, May 28, 2022. Last year the Commission had the area at City Hall outside the main doors. Plants may be picked up from 8 am 1pm.

Stow Play day and Community Picnic June 25, 2022

The Commission would like to take part in the Community Day Picnic with a craft of some sort.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held on **Wednesday April 27, 2022 in Council Chambers at Stow City Hall at 5:15 pm.**

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 6:15 pm