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Community Initiative

Minutes*

Tuesday October 2, 2018 Meeting, Disabled Services Conference Room C

Members Present: Barbara Brown, Dan O'Connor, Natalie Alden, Karen Prewitt, Walter Johnson, Ray Pringle. Lisa Parlapiano

Disabled Services Staff Present: Kevin McDaniel, Kara Tucker, Laura Davis

In Attendance: The Chair called the meeting to order at 1:15 p.m.

Barbara Brown provided an update on site visits at the Jacksonville Public Library. Ms. Brown stated that the concern was that the library opens so late, it may be difficult to schedule a site visit. Ms. Brown asked that Kevin McDaniel coordinate with Chris Eaton to schedule a site visit date and time.

Ms. Brown stated that she wanted to visit the library to see if they were wheelchair accessible because a complaint was made at the last symposium about the accessibility of the doors in the bathroom – the doors swing in instead of out or vice versa is what was reported to her.

Dan O'Connor asked for an update on the Division Anniversary. Kara Tucker provided an update on proclamations and venue selection.

Kevin McDaniel asked all members that could attend to plan on participating in the Executive Committee on Monday October 15th at 10 a.m. as the committee will be discussing accessible playgrounds and park facilities and current plans in development.

Dan O'Connor asked that the Arboretum be reviewed for accessibility, he thought that a nature trail may be something to look at in future parks.

Laura Davis asked for a count for Dinner with Bill on October 19th at 7 p.m. Natalie Alden, Dan O'Connor, Walter Johnson, Karen Prewitt (tentative), Barbara Brown, and Lisa Parlapiano are currently registered to go.

Kevin provided an update on the White Cane Contest, rules were sent out on Friday.

Meeting adjourned at 1:50 p.m.



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