

**City of Pekin**  
**Mayor's Advisory Committee for People with**  
**Disabilities**  
**Minutes**  
**May 12, 2016; 4:00 pm**

Attending:     Committee members - Roy Davis, Perry Martin & Ray Gordon  
                  City of Pekin staff – Brett Olson, Mike Guerra, Ty Whitford & Pamela  
                  Anderson  
                  Other guests – Joe Alexander (CityLink) and Nick Maggioncalda  
                  (Tazewell County Health Department)

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- I. Welcome and introductions
- II. Approval of minutes (no quorum)
  - A. 2014 - September
  - B. 2015 – February, June and August
  - C. 2016 – January, March
- III. Old business
  - A. Wellness Day at Pekin Community High School – 6<sup>th</sup> annual event for this City of Pekin Committee; along with several other local/regional organizations, to share disability awareness with almost 1,400 Pekin Community High School students; Life Goes On was our theme again this year; special thank you to Committee member P. Martin for coordinating with Brendan Quinn from Bloomington to attend/participate with us at this event. Committee members participating – Libby Holbrook, Leia Stewart and Perry Martin – thank you!
  - B. Bridges out of Poverty – 28 attendees at the April 25<sup>th</sup> Day 1 workshop; future meeting – ism's video repeat
  - C. City of Pekin ADA Transition plan – Mike Guerra & Brett Olson provided information to this point and moving forward
  - D. CityLink follow up needed; P. Anderson will attend Traffic Safety Committee to discuss signage and enforcement efforts for no turn on red for 14<sup>th</sup> and Broadway intersection
- IV. New business
  - A. Open discussion on moving forward for the current fiscal year (May 1, 2016 to April 30, 2017)

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V. Correspondence / around the table / public comments

- A. N. Maggioncalda from the Tazewell County Health Department shared with the group that May is Functional needs disability month. During the month of May the Illinois Department of Public Health will observe functional needs preparedness.

The Office of Preparedness and Response (OPR) is committed to providing preparedness awareness to IDPH employees, all of their partners, and the public.

Being prepared for disasters and emergencies is vital for all individuals, but it is event more critical for people with functional needs. Support health and safety for yourself and others by following the emergency preparedness recommendations in the presentation from OPR. His e-mail will be forwarded to group.

VI. Adjourn