

Windsor Human Relations Commission

Minutes of Meeting

12/13/06

In Attendance: Frank Stewart, Nellie Mason-Holmes, Yvonne Mitto, Max Kuziak, Richard Knickerbocker, Bill Warner-Prouty, Joyce Armstrong, Evelyn Smith, Also, Town Liaison, Diane McDougald and Linda Rickard, guest from Commission for the Aging and Handicapped.

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:10p.m.

- Public comments: None
- Approval of Minutes: Minutes were accepted as written
- Committee Reports: None
- Old Business:
 - Review of community presentations resulting from Forum on Community Inclusion for Windsor Citizens with Disabilities
 - Evelyn is the only one who has done one to date – First Church of Windsor. They are including this topic in their newsletter now.
 - Evelyn has also had discussions with Boy Scouts in Windsor. They are interested in a presentation for parents and children. Matthew Glad from our Forum panel has agreed to co-present with Evelyn.
 - Other people report that they have had delays due to illness or the group postponing the date
 - Max will present to the Grace Episcopal Church, where he is a member, in January.
 - Yvonne didn't understand that she was supposed to be contacting the school PTAs for the purpose of setting up presentations and will not be able to do this or do any presentations. She will share information with Bill Warner-Prouty and he will make contact to see if he can arrange to do a presentation for a joint meeting of PTA's.
 - Frank will speak with the Democratic Town Committee to see if he can do a presentation for them. He will also check with the ROMEO group from the senior center to see if they'd be interested in a lunch time presentation (they meet for breakfast).
 - Nellie will arrange a presentation with the Wilson Deerfield Advisory Committee. Diane will assist her with this. She can not set up anything with WACA because they disbanded.
 - Joyce Armstrong tried to set up a presentation with the Chamber of Commerce. They only have presentations from groups that sponsor meetings. These are either breakfast or after-hours meetings, where food is served. Information is briefly

will draft a resolution supporting use of the cathedral for graduations by public schools to be reviewed and voted on at our next meeting.

- Evelyn brought up an article by Stan Simpson from the Hartford Courant. She reported that Carolyn Cartland from Windsor was elected head of the CT Council on Disabilities.

The next Windsor Human Relation Committee meeting will be on Wednesday, January 11, 2006 in the Ludlow Room at Windsor Town Hall at 7:00p.m.

Adjournment was called at 8:40p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Joyce Armstrong
Vice Chair