

**Fairhaven Commission on Disability  
Meeting Minutes January 8, 2026  
Held at Town Hall, 40 Center St, Fairhaven, MA 02719**

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**Present:** Krystal Lunn (Chair), Pamela Roy, Eleanor Chew (secretary), Randy Durnigan, Kerri Cummins, Cara Viveros, Martha Reed (Staff Liaison) and Keith Silvia (Select Board Liaison)

**ZOOM:** Donna Maino Lavallo and Annemarie Chagnon

**Absent:** None

**Guests:** None

All votes were done by roll call vote.

**I. Call to Order:**

Krystal Lunn, chair, opened the meeting at 6:04 p.m.

**II. Approval of Minutes:**

A motion to approve the minutes of the December meeting was made by Pam and seconded by Kerri. The motion passed 6-1-1. Randy abstained as he did not receive the minutes. Annemarie will work on creating the document so Randy can read it.

**III. Treasurer's Report:**

Krystal reported that we have a balance of \$755.28 in our account from our budget of \$900.00 and \$90.00 in our gift account.

**IV. NEW BUSINESS:**

a. Annual Report: The motion was made by Eleanor and seconded by Kerri that we send the annual report to the Select Board with the changes discussed. The motion passed unanimously

b. Open Seat: Krystal said we have an open seat on the commission as Jen Cardoza has stepped down. Anyone interested should contact the Select Board

c. Handicapped Spots at Schools: Krystal said the HP signs are covered over at Hastings and that the circular driveway is blocked off at drop off and pick up. The PD said the principal said they are only for special events. Eleanor said she had been told those were the only spots into the building. Annemarie asked if the signs at the high school had been updated. A motion was made by Eleanor and seconded by Kerri that we send a letter to the School Committee addressing our concerns and that we cc: the Select Board and the Police Department in the letter. The motion passed unanimously,.

**V. Old Business**

a Neighborhood News: A motion was made by Pam and seconded by Kerri to have Eleanor write an article regarding handicapped parking. The motion passed unanimously.

b Social Media: Annemarie said she is looking for information to post and reminded us she would like to post our bios on Face Book as well.

c. Adult Accessible Bike: Annemarie is working on this.

d. Accessible Car Show: Krystal talked about hosting an accessible car show this spring. Eleanor asked what made it accessible as opposed to a regular car show. Krystal said it is a social activity. A motion was made by Eleanor and seconded by Pam to have Krystal, Pam and Annemarie look into this. Can we use the COA vans for transportation for this or other events? It passed unanimously.

e. North Fairhaven Marketplacc: Tabled until next month so members could check their availability for Saturdays.

**VI Public Comment** No public comment.

**VII. Questions/Comments From Board Members** Eleanor asked if we could do a goal setting session next month to plan activities for the summer. Donna said that Habitat For Humanity can provide wheelchair ramps if someone needs one and if anyone has a ramp they no longer need the ramp can be donated to Habitat For Humanity. Randy asked if we could post the opening on our Face Book page

**VIII Next Meeting Date** February 12, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.

**IX. Adjournment:** Adjourned at 6:37 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Eleanor Chew  
Secretary