



**Commission on People with Disabilities
Wednesday, October 12, 2022
6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.**

**Dr. Seth Morgan, Chair
Trish Gallalee, Vice-Chair**

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6:00 Call to Order & Approval of September 2022 Meeting Minutes, Welcome New Members
Patricia Gallalee, Vice Chair

6:10 Presentation of Slate of Officers and Election – David Rice and Eric Cole, Nominating Committee

6:20 Employment Initiatives for Promoting the Hiring People with Disabilities
Beth Lash, Regional Director, Division of Rehabilitation Services
Linda Hoyt, Employment Specialist, Autism Hiring Program, Howard County Autism Society
Cynthia Grissom, Director Business Solutions, WorkSource Montgomery, Inc.
Darryl Gorman, Senior Advisor, Office of Human Resources, Montgomery County Government

6:50 Sensory Trail at Fairview Urban Park, Silver Spring Perspectives and Comments
Bob Green, ADA Design & Construction Project Manager II, M-NCPPC, Montgomery Parks, Park Development Division

7:10 Chair and Vice-Chair Update

7:15 Updates – New information

7:25 Community Speaks – Public invited to make comments, 2 minute limit, time permitting. For profit companies who want to speak should contact the Commission in advance. Public participants generally are not invited to speak during presentations and time is set aside at the end of the meeting to allow the public to speak. This policy will be strictly enforced moving forward.

7:30 Adjourn

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