



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
JONATHAN F. MITCHELL, MAYOR

May 4, 2022

City Council President Ian Abreu and
Honorable Members of the City Council
133 William Street
New Bedford, MA 02740

Dear Council President Abreu and Honorable Members of the City Council:

I am submitting for your approval the **RE-APPOINTMENT** of Cynthia Wallquist, 3598 Acushnet Avenue, New Bedford, MA as the Executive Director of the Commission for Citizens with Disabilities. This term will expire in April 2025.

Attached is Ms. Wallquist's attendance at board meetings from 2015 to present.

Sincerely,


Jonathan F. Mitchell
Mayor

JFM/sds
attachment

cc: Ms. Wallquist

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Jan	✓	No Meeting	No meeting	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Feb	No Meeting	✓	✓	✓	✓	No Meeting	✓	✓
March	✓	✓	No meeting	Absent/flight was delayed	No Meeting	No Meeting	✓	✓
April	No Meeting	No Meeting	✓	✓	✓	No Meeting	✓	✓
May	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	No Meeting*	✓	✓
June	✓	✓	✓	✓	Excused/Sick	Annual Meeting Proxy votes Only* - ratified in December	✓	✓
July	No Meeting	✓	No meeting	No meeting	No Meeting	No Meeting*	No Meeting	✓
Aug	✓	No Meeting	No meeting	No meeting	No Meeting	No Meeting*	No Meeting	✓
Sept	✓	✓	✓	No meeting	✓	No Meeting*	No Meeting	✓
Oct	No Meeting	No Meeting	✓	✓	No Meeting	No Meeting*	✓	✓
Nov	✓	✓	✓	No meeting	✓	No Meeting*	✓	✓
Dec	No Meeting	No Meeting	No meeting	✓	(Exec. Only - no full quorum) Excused (husband's surgery)	✓	✓	✓

* The Commission was unable to conduct business due to vacancies that resulted in falling below the State ordinance that requires 5 of the 9 members to identify as persons with a disability.

Commission for Citizens with Disabilities
Cynthia Wallquist.