



**Lafayette City-Parish President's Awareness
Committee for Citizens with Disabilities**

Monday, February 4, 2013
Meeting Minutes

Board Members Present: Donna Andrus, Deborah Aymond, Kenneth Carmouche, Lynette Fontenot, Mark Guillory, Donielle Watkins
Guests in Attendance: Stephen Davenport, Zelie Guidry, Michelle Dewey
Staff in Attendance: Carlee Alm-LaBar, Lou Anna Angelle

1. Donielle Watkins called the meeting to order.

2. Donielle Watkins introduced the guest speaker, Stephen Davenport – Bayou Technology Group.

Bayou Technology group offers home automation, surveillance, home theater, video distribution, whole house audio, pool/spa control, motorized shades, lights, door locks and thermostats managed from your iPad or smart phone. Stephen Davenport provided the group with a demonstration, and it was noted the equipment is very user friendly. There was a discussion regarding agencies that may assist disabled individuals in purchasing this equipment. The starter package cost approximately \$1,199.00.

Stephen Davenport provided the committee with his contact information: 225-341-2733 or stephen.davenport@bayoutechology.com

3. Minutes

- The November minutes were reviewed and accepted. Mark Guillory made the motion and Donielle Watkins seconded, all in favor.

4. Correspondence

- None to report

5. Old Business/New Business

- Carlee Alm-Labar is working with LUS on the Hurricane Handbook.
- Donielle Watkins informed the committee that she and Carlee are working on accessibility in buildings, and will be focusing on buildings prior to them being built.

The next meeting of the President's Awareness Committee for Citizens with Disabilities is scheduled for Monday, March 11, 2013 at 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. in the Council Briefing Room on the first floor of City Hall.