Commission on Disability – 10 Things to Know

The Andover Commission on Disability (ACOD) is a commission of thirteen volunteers serving three-year terms and appointed by the Select Board to advocate on disability-related issues. The majority (7) of the commission members must have a disability or directly related to a person with disabilities.

**Mission**

Address Andover’s disability needs for the town and its residents, visitors and families

**Our Goals**

· We advise and assist town officials in in addressing the needs of people with disabilities & compliance with state and federal disability laws

· We advocate for the full integration and participation of people with disabilities in the town of Andover.

· We sponsor projects aimed at helping people with disabilities

· We provide information and referral to people with disabilities

 **Liaisons**

* + Select Board member
	+ Community Services Director, Town Staff Liaison and ACOD member
	+ Facilities Director and Town’s ADA Coordinator
	+ Council on Aging member
	+ Conservation Commission member
	+ DPW General Foreman and ACOD Member
	+ Student advocate connection to Andover High School

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