

**Mt. Lebanon Equal Opportunity Board**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**February 10, 2020 - Room C**

- **Call Meeting to Order**

Roll Call:

**Attendees:**

Kristin Meier, Co-Chair  
Mary Beth Waine  
Corinne Vipperman  
Leeanne Foster, Commissioner  
Bonnie Cross, Staff Liaison

**Absent:**

Josephine Posti  
Jennifer Eck, Chairperson

- **Approval of January, 2020 Minutes.** Kristen motioned to approve the January, 2020 minutes. Mary Beth seconded and all members in attendance approved.
- **ACHIEVA Presentation.** Nancy McMillan, MSW, Benefits Counseling Specialist from ACHIEVA presented information regarding the ACHIEVA Family Trust. She explained the it was started in the 1950s by parents who had children with disabilities. Nancy explained how ACHIEVA assists persons with disabilities in a number of ways:
  - Coordination with OVR
  - Employment services
  - Medicare and Medicaid services
  - Social Security and Supplemental Social Security benefits
  - And a host of others

ACHIEVA advises and helps connect individuals with various services that could benefit them. The organization also counsels and refers family members regarding these services.

- **Panel Event – Finalize Plans.** Bonnie suggested to the Board members that date of the event was too near to be able to realistically advertise it, and that it might not go off well. She suggested that it would be a good idea to have Laura Lilley, the Public Information Officer, come in to discuss planning the event, timelines, and marketing.
- **Vibrant Uptown Representative** – No update.
- **Adjournment.** Corrine motioned to adjourn the meeting and was seconded by Kristen and unanimously approved by the members present.