



# COMMITTEE ON PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES



## VIRTUAL **JANUARY** MEETING

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 19 | 7 P.M. - 9 P.M.

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## **AGENDA** MEET & GREET LEADERS OF PIONEERING DISABILITY CIVIL RIGHTS GROUPS

### Mike Schweinsburg

President, 504 Democratic Club

The 504 Democratic Club is a political club focusing on disability rights, primarily a coalition of Democrats who accept persons affiliated with other parties as members. Together, the 504 Club works toward inclusion of people with disabilities in the political and social fabric of society. Members hail from all five boroughs and neighboring counties. The club includes a richly diverse group of people with disabilities, renowned disability rights activists, public officials, friends, family, and allies who support the concepts set forth in Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, and the ADA Amendments Act of 2008.

### Elisabeth Axel

President & CEO, Art Beyond Sight (ABS)

Art Beyond Sight (ABS) was founded in 1987 as Art Education for the Blind. ABS' original mission was to make cultural institutions inclusive of people who are blind and visually impaired. Its mission was revised in 2013 to support access to the arts in all cultural institutions for people with any physical, cognitive, or mental health condition. ABS supports disabled people being active, creative, and powerful participants in the arts and society. It utilizes the arts to both build a strong disability community, and to educate non-disabled allies about disability culture.

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