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UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY OF ILLINOIS

United Cerebral Palsy of Illinois (UCPI) is the statewide advocacy entity which speaks for the needs for all children and adults with cerebral palsy and similar disabilities. The disability is generally caused by permanent brain damage before or during birth or other developmental periods which affects the motor skills of the individual throughout his or her life. A percentage of those with cerebral palsy will also have intellectual and cognitive challenges in addition to their motor disabilities.

The Mission statement of UCPI is : To positively affect the quality of life for persons with cerebral palsy and others with severe disabilities and multiple service needs to minimize its effects.

The goals of the association are:

1. To assure the rights and entitlements of persons with disabilities
2. To equip and enable individuals with cerebral palsy and other severe disabilities to attain the fullest possible employment, productivity, and participation in the integrated community.
3. To support the freedom of choice by assuring multiple options in daily living.
4. To provide a continuity of quality human services.
5. To improve living conditions in all circumstances.
6. To present factual material for the awareness and understanding of all segments of the public.
7. To involve persons with cerebral palsy and also others with severe disabilities in decision making processes affecting their lives.
8. To mobilize the human and financial resources to accomplish the above.



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OFFICERS (Term 2005-2007)

Bob Leach President
Bill Kienzle Vice President
Alan Goldberg Treasurer
Dan Hecht Assistant Treasurer
Sharon Hale Secretary
John Leber Past President

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Executive Bob Leach
Finance Alan Goldberg
Nominating John Leber
Independent Living JoAnn Bayer
Family Advocacy, Policy & Training Ida Gene Mahle
Governmental/ Legislative Activities Kevin Kehoe
Communications & Education Sue Walter

AFFILIATE REPRESENTATIVES (Term 2005 - 2007)

UCP OF GREATER CHICAGO

Alan Goldberg
Paul Dulle

UCP OF LAND OF LINCOLN

Bill Kienzle
Saul Morse

UCP OF SOUTHERN

Erica Downen
Sharon Hale

UCP OF WILL COUNTY

Sam Mancuso

DIRECTORS AT LARGE

TERM ENDING 7/1/06

Dan Hecht
Ida Gene Mahle

TERM ENDING 7/1/07

Kathy Conour
John Leber
Kevin Kehoe
Bob Leach

TERM ENDING 7/1/08

JoAnn Bayer
Sue Walter

Executive Director:

Don Moss

Staff:

Alice Foss, Associate Director
Susan Jennings, Special Projects

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REVENUE:

Dues from Affiliate Members	\$ 10,952
Interest Income	\$ 6
Distribution Income	\$ 11,014
Donations	\$ 9,595
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 31,567

EXPENSES:

Contractual Services	\$ 36,000
Telecommunications	\$ 2,306
Internet Website	\$ 2,368
Postage	\$ 2,760
Accounting	\$ 440
Bank Fees	\$ 208
Board Meeting Expenses	\$ 282
Dues & Membership Fees	\$ 1,980
Property Insurance	\$ 150
Directors & Officers Insurance	\$ 796
Distribution Expense	\$ 13,901
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 61,191

BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 2005-2006

August 27, 2005	Illinois Council on Developmental Disabilities	Springfield, IL	9:30 am
November 19, 2005	Illinois Council on Developmental Disabilities	Springfield, IL	9:00 am
March 25, 2006	Illinois Council on Developmental Disabilities	Springfield, IL	9:00 am
June 3, 2006	Illinois Council on Developmental Disabilities	Springfield, IL	10:00 am

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JULY 2005- JUNE 2006 PROGRAMS & SERVICES

Public Education

Public awareness through education and public Policy development demonstrate to the community at large the challenges and possibilities faced by persons with disabilities. UCP of Illinois actively participates in public education through public policy development and community events. UCP of Illinois participated by having a booth at the Springfield, IL ADA Rally and also co-sponsored the Get Out the Vote Campaign for people with disabilities.

Expanding Opportunities Through Technology

We have continued to expand our reach in this technological age, by updating our web site for UCP of Illinois. Today the web site contains information on our mission, our Board of Directors, public policy, and how to contact us or our Affiliates.

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