



City of
Peterborough

To: Members of the Accessibility Advisory Committee

From: Sadie Norrad, Accessibility and Communication Specialist

Meeting Date: October 3, 2018

Subject: Report AAC18-040
International Day of Persons with Disabilities 2018

Purpose

A report to seek input from the Accessibility Advisory Committee on the 2018 International Day of Persons with Disabilities celebration.

Recommendation

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee (AAC) approve the recommendation outlined in Report AAC18-040 dated October 3, 2018, of the Accessibility and Communication Specialist as follows:

That the AAC provide input on the 2018 International Day of Persons with Disabilities celebration.

Budget and Financial Implications

There are no budgetary or financial implications associated with the recommendation.

Background

International Day of Persons with Disabilities is marked around the world annually on December 3. The event promotes awareness and mobilizes support for critical issues pertaining to the inclusion of persons with disabilities in society and development.

In 2017, the Accessibility Office, Peterborough Transit and the Peterborough Youth Commission hosted an event to celebrate International Day of Persons with Disabilities at the Transit Terminal.

As part of the event, the “How to Ride Peterborough Transit” video was released. The video highlighted how to ride Peterborough Transit including proper bus etiquette. The video is available one line at www.peterborough.ca/Living/City_Services/Transportation/Transit.htm.

The Accessibility Office is seeking input on the 2018 International Day of Persons with Disabilities celebration.

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