# Accessibility Advisory Committee City of Peterborough February 3, 2016 Draft Minutes Not Approved



### Minutes of a Meeting of the Accessibility Advisory Committee held on February 3, 2016 in the Doris Room.

The meeting of the Accessibility Advisory Committee was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Councillor Riel, Chair in the Doris Room, City Hall.

#### Present:

Andrea Dodsworth
Councillor Riel, Chair
Janet Ali
Warren Northcott
Don Parnell
Erica Richmond
Peter Michielsen

Regrets: Andrea Walsh Amanda Motyer

#### Staff:

Mark Buffone, Accessibility Compliance Coordinator Patricia Reed, Accessibility and Communication Specialist Kendra Sedgwick, Committee Coordinator

### Minutes - January 6, 2016

Moved by Janet Ali

That the minutes of the Accessibility Advisory Committee held on January 6, 2016 be approved.

"CARRIED"

#### **Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest**

There were no disclosures of Pecuniary Interest.

#### **Consent Agenda**

Moved by Peter Michielsen

That items 7, 8 and 9 be approved as part of the Consent Agenda.

"CARRIED"

Accessibility and Communication Specialist Report AAC16-008
Built Environment Sub-Committee Report

Moved by Peter Michielsen

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report AAC16-008 dated February 3, 2016 of the Accessibility and Communication Specialist as follows:

That Report AAC16-008 with respect to the meeting of the Built Environment Sub-Committee be received for information.

"CARRIED"

Accessibility and Communication Specialist Report AAC16-009 Transportation Sub-Committee Report

Moved by Peter Michielsen

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report AAC16-009, dated February 3, 2016, of the Accessibility and Communication Specialist as follows:

That Report AAC16-009 with respect to the meeting of the Transportation Sub-Committee be received for information.

Accessibility and Communication Specialist Accessibility Compliance Coordinator Report AAC16-011 Accessibility Office Report

Moved by Peter Michielsen

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report AAC16-011 dated February 3, 2016, of the Accessibility and Communication Specialist and the Accessibility Compliance Coordinator as follows:

That Report AAC16-011 with respect to the current work of the Accessibility Office be received for information.

"CARRIED"

## Accessibility and Communication Specialist Report AAC16-013 Community Care

Wendy Love, Board of Directors, Community Care, provided an overview of Community Care programs.

Moved by Warren Northcott

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report AAC16-013 dated February 3, 2016, of the Accessibility and Communication Specialist as follows:

That the presentation by the Community Care Peterborough Speaker Bureau Member be received for information.

Accessibility and Communication Specialist Report AAC16-010 Vacancy – Built Environment Sub-Committee

Moved by Erica Richmond

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee approve the recommendations outlined in Report AAC16-010 dated February 3, 2016 of the Accessibility and Communication Specialist as follows:

- a) That the presentation by the Accessibility and Communication Specialist be received for information;
- b) That the AAC provide direction to the Accessibility Office regarding recruitment.

"CARRIED"

Accessibility and Communication Specialist Accessibility Compliance Coordinator Report AAC16-007 Access Fund Guidelines

Moved by Andrea Dodsworth

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee (AAC) approve the recommendations outlined in Report AAC16-007 dated February 3, 2016 of the Accessibility and Communication Specialist as follows:

- a) That the AAC become the approval level for the distribution of funds from the Access Fund;
- b) That the Access Fund Request Form (Appendices A and B) be amended to allow Sub-Committees of the AAC to provide written comment to the AAC where applicable;
- c) That the AAC update the Access Fund Guidelines (Appendix C);
- d) That the AAC provide input regarding promotion of the Access Fund to City staff by the Sub-Committees and the Accessibility Office.

### Accessibility and Communication Specialist Report AAC16-012 Accessibility Training Session

Moved by Don Parnell

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee (AAC) approve the recommendations outlined in Report AAC16-012 dated February 3, 2016 of the Accessibility and Communication Specialist as follows:

- a) That the AAC provide input regarding topics to be discussed at an upcoming Accessibility Training Session;
- b) That 2 or 3 members volunteer to give a 5 minute presentation during the Accessibility Training Session highlighting the importance of an accessible City of Peterborough.

"CARRIED"

#### Other Business

Nomination packages are available on the City's website or in the Clerk's office. The deadline for submissions is March 4, 2016.

The Committee congratulated the City on The Walk Friendly Community Award received from Walk Friendly Ontario.

### **Next Meeting**

The Chair indicated that the next Committee meeting will be held on March 2, 2016.

### **Adjournment**

Moved by Peter Michielsen

That this meeting of the Accessibility Advisory Committee adjourn at 5:03 p.m.

Kendra Sedgwick Committee Coordinator

Councillor Riel Chair