

TO: Members of the Accessibility Advisory Committee

FROM: Phyllis Hodder, Accessibility Coordinator

**MEETING DATE:** June 5, 2013

SUBJECT: Report AAC13-013

**Review Process for Facility Rentals** 

## **PURPOSE**

A report requesting that the Accessibility Advisory Committee (AAC) discuss The City of Peterborough's current process when a not-for-profit agency requests a reduced fee for facility rentals.

## RECOMMENDATION

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee approves the recommendation outlined in Report AAC13-013 dated June 5, 2013, of the Accessibility Coordinator as follows:

That Report AAC13-013 be received for information.

## **BUDGET AND FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

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

## **BACKGROUND**

In accordance with the **Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2001** (ODA) and the **Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005** (AODA) the AAC is responsible to advise and assist Council and staff in promoting and facilitating accessible City goods, services and facilities.

At the AAC meeting held on May 1, 2013, a discussion took place on the subject of not-for-profit agencies who work with people with disabilities receiving a discounted rate on facility rentals. By-law 12-170 User Fees was reviewed. The AAC requested additional information on the current process of the reduction or waiving of user fees for City of Peterborough facilities.

The City of Peterborough is committed to ensuring that it provides goods, services and facilities to the community in accordance with the principles of dignity, independence, integration and equal opportunity and that this goal is inclusive of citizens with disabilities.

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