



City of
Peterborough

TO: Members of the Accessibility Advisory Committee

FROM: Phyllis Hodder, Accessibility Coordinator

MEETING DATE: January 8, 2014

SUBJECT: Report AAC14-004
AAC Priority List

Purpose

A report to provide information to the Accessibility Advisory Committee (AAC) regarding the priority list that was prepared by the AAC at the meeting held on September 4, 2013.

Recommendation

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report AAC14-004, dated January 8, 2014, of the Accessibility Coordinator as follows:

That Report AAC14-004 with respect to the AAC Priority List be received for information and follow up discussion.

Budget and Financial Implications

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

Background

The Accessibility Advisory Committee continues to meet their mandate outlined in the *Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005* by reviewing municipal policies, programs and services and the identification, removal or prevention of barriers faced by people with disabilities.

In May of 2013, the AAC was asked to review the City of Peterborough Multi-year Plan and consider developing a list of priorities for the AAC. This list will assist the Committee in determining a clear objective in promoting accessibility for the City of Peterborough and their residents.

At the June 5, 2013 Accessibility Advisory Committee meeting, a list of goals and objectives was created. At the September Committee meeting the list was reviewed in order to prioritize the goals and objectives of the Committee.

Below is the prioritized list the AAC has compiled.

Recommendation	Low Priority	Medium Priority	High Priority	Sub- Committee Responsibility	AODA City Responsibility
Sidewalk Both Sides/Bikes			•		
Sidewalk Maintenance				•	
Snow Removal Sidewalks				•	
Recycling Bins on Sidewalks				•	
Transportation/Handivan				•	
Maintenance of Streetlights				•	
Information/Communication AODA					•
AODA Training					•
Compliance AODA/ WCAG					•
Recruitment AODA/Employment					•
Promote Additional Staffing					•
Process Access Fund				•	
Home owners tax break/CPP	•				
Public Education/promoting City				•	
Public Meeting/promoting City				•	
International Day Disabilities			•		
Accountability with City	•				

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