

To: Members of the Accessibility Advisory Committee

From: Kathryn McLeod, Accessibility Coordinator

Meeting Date: February 4, 2015

Subject: Report AAC15-005

Presentation on the Identification, Removal, and Prevention of

Barriers in the 2014 Municipal Election

Purpose

A report to introduce a presentation by the City Clerk, on the identification, removal, and prevention of barriers in the 2014 Municipal Election.

Recommendation

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report AAC15-005 dated February 4, 2015, of the Accessibility Coordinator as follows:

That the presentation by the City Clerk, be received for information.

Budget and Financial Implications

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

Background

The **Municipal Elections Act** states that a Clerk who is responsible for conducting an election shall have regard to the needs of electors and candidates with disabilities. The presentation from City Clerk, John Kennedy, and the appended report to Committee of the Whole, outline the strategy implemented by the City to enhance accessibility through the identification, removal, and prevention of barriers for people with disabilities during the 2014 Municipal Election.

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Appendix A - Report CPCLK15-001 – Report on the Identification, Removal, and Prevention of Barriers in the 2014 Municipal Election