

To: Members of the Accessibility Advisory Committee

From: Kathryn McLeod, Accessibility Coordinator

Meeting Date: April 1, 2015

Subject: Report AAC15-012

Built Environment Sub-Committee Report

Purpose

A report to provide information to the Accessibility Advisory Committee (AAC) regarding the meeting of the Built Environment Sub-Committee held on March 5, 2015.

Recommendation

That the Accessibility Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report AAC15-012, dated April 1, 2015 of the Accessibility Coordinator as follows:

That Report AAC15-012 with respect to the meeting of the Built Environment Sub-Committee be received for information.

Budget and Financial Implications

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

Background

The role of the Built Environment Sub Committee is to oversee the City of Peterborough's Access Fund, review the Access Plan, and examine re-zoning and site plan applications. The Committee reviews and makes recommendations that promote compliance with AODA legislation regarding barrier-free access in existing facilities owned, leased, or operated by the City of Peterborough. In addition, the Committee monitors legislation related to the Ontario Building Code, City of Peterborough Access Guidelines, and the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act.

The Built Environment Sub-Committee generally meets once every two months. Andrea Dodsworth, Chair of the Committee, will provide a verbal update to the AAC on the meeting of March 5, 2015, and projects pursued by the Sub-Committee between meetings.

There is a standing agenda for the Committee as follows:

- Business Arising
- Accessibility Reviews
- Access Fund
- New business

The next meeting of the Built Environment Sub-Committee is scheduled for May 7, 2015.

Submitted by,

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