

MUNICIPAL ACCESSIBILITY PLAN

Section 1: Municipal Jurisdiction(s) participating in this plan

Municipality: Marmora and Lake

Address: P.O. Box 459, 12 Bursthall Street, Marmora

Key Contact: Frank Mills

Population: 4000

Municipal Highlights: Small Urban Municipality

Section 2: Other Organizations & Agencies Participating in this plan

Organization-Agency: None

Address:

Description:

Section 3: Consultation Activities

Consultation has occurred with local citizens.

In preparation of a municipal accessibility plan, each municipality is required to consult with people with disabilities or use their AAC for advice and recommendations.

Municipalities are not restricted to this minimum requirement and may want to consult more broadly with all sectors of their community. Consultation activities undertaken to prepare the plan may be reported using the following subheadings.

Target Group

The general public with disabilities.

Activities and Conveyor

Activities could be, for example, focus groups organized by a disability coalition and facilitated by AAC members, the draft plan reviewed for comments and recommendations as submitted by working group etc.

Time period activity occurred

January 2004 to December 2006

Summary of Information Collected through Consultation

Information was requested but none received.

Section 4: Plan Development Working Group

The body co-ordinating to accessibility plan is identified below and is an individual working group.

The following chart lists the accessibility advisory committee.

| Working Group Member | Municipality/Agency | Department Represented | Contact Telephone /TTY & email |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Frank Mills | Marmora & Lake | | (613) 472-2629 phone (613) 472-5330 fax |
| Linda Bracken | Marmora & Lake | | (613) 472-2629 phone (613) 472-5330 fax |
| A. Fluke | Resident | | |
| To be chosen | Resident | | |

Section 4: Plan Development Working Group

This is a revision of the plan created for Marmora and Lake.

Methods Used to Identify Barriers

Barriers identified

The following chart summarizes the barriers identified.

| Barrier and Type | Strategy for Removal/prevention | Status |
|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Parking | Designated sites | Ongoing |
| Drop off/Loading zones | Designated sites | Ongoing |
| Walkways/Ramps | Install on existing buildings | Nickles Pharmacy completed |
| Entrances/Lobbies/Hallways | Ensure 34-36" | |
| | Power opening | Considering less |

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| | lighting/signage | Expensive alternatives |
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| Elevators | Where Needing/signed/maintained | Overhauled Memorial Bldg elevator Dec 2006 |
| Phones | Wheel chair accessible site | |
| Washrooms | | |
| Sidewalks/Park Trails | Are accessible | Trail through Memorial Park is fully accessible |

Section 6: Operational Review

This section reports the review activities necessary to identify barriers in the current operations of the organizations that are participating in this plan. This information should be organized according to department using the following sub-headings.

Organization: Marmora & Lake

Department

The following department and activities take place within the municipality Roads, fire, waste, arena, library, health.

Review Date

Full review will be done in 2007.

Review Methodologies

The following reviews have taken place: office sites reviewed, building plans reviewed, client questionnaire. An ad was placed in the Marmora Herald in 2004, asking for a ratepayer representative to assist in identifying barriers to access. Another ad has been placed in the Marmora Shield in December 2006 asking for committee members.

Status

7: Decision-Making Review

The decision making processes are to be reviewed by the AAC, council, a by-law will be passed, is to be organized and kept in each department and available to the public.

Review Date

The original review took place in February 2004. A second review occurred in 2006. A comprehensive review will take place in 2007.

Rationale for Planned Review

The MAP will be reviewed yearly.

Review Methodologies

The following will be reviewed: by-laws review, policy review, facilities and site reviews.

Status

The status of the yearly review will be indicated using the following.

Completed: if review is completed provide the dates completed.

Ongoing: If the review is still underway, provide a summary of the progress and an assessment if the review is within the time frames set.

Planned: 2004 – Ongoing.

List of Barriers Identified

Use the chart provided below any new barriers identified by the review.

| Barrier | Barrier Type | Strategies for removal or Prevention |
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8. Targets and Actions

All newly identified barriers will be corrected within one year.

All new non-residential construction sidewalks and trails will be studied to determine requirements for accessibility.