

# **Town of Newmarket**

## **Minutes**

# **Accessibility Advisory Committee**

Date: Thursday, September 19, 2019

Time: 10:30 AM

Location: Council Chambers

Municipal Offices 395 Mulock Drive

Newmarket, ON L3Y 4X7

Members Present: Steve Foglia, Chair

Jeffrey Fabian
Patricia Monteath
Lawrence Raifman
Councillor Simon

M. De Benedictis, Inclusion Base Director

Members Absent: Linda Jones

Faye Longhurst Richard Wilson

Staff Present: K. Saini, Deputy Town Clerk

P. McIntosh, Recreation Programmer - Seniors & Special Needs

J. Grossi, Legislative Coordinator A. Walkom, Legislative Coordinator

The meeting was called to order at 10:31 AM. Steve Foglia in the Chair.

1. Additions & Corrections to the Agenda

None.

2. Declarations of Pecuniary Interest

None.

## 3. Presentations & Deputations

None.

#### 4. Approval of Minutes

# 4.1 Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes of August 15, 2019

Moved by: Patricia Monteath

Seconded by: Councillor Simon

1. That the Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes of August 15, 2019 be received.

Carried

#### 5. Items

#### 5.1 Multi-Year Accessibility Plan Update

The Legislative Coordinator provided a presentation to the Accessibility Advisory Committee outlining the Multi-Year Accessibility Plan for the Town of Newmarket. He provided a summary of the document and asked for the Members to provide feedback before presenting the draft plan to Council.

The Members provided feedback to Staff on various sections and projects in the Multi-Year Accessibility Plan.

Moved by: Patricia Monteath

Seconded by: Jeffrey Fabian

1. That the Accessibility Advisory Committee endorse the draft Multi-Year Accessibility Plan, as amended.

**Carried** 

#### 5.2 Old Town Hall Accessibility Audit Update

The Legislative Coordinator provided an update on behalf of the Project Consultant, Facility Maintenance. She outlined the completed items from

the Old Town Hall audit and items that are subject to future budget considerations.

#### 5.3 Main Street Accessibility

The Members of the Accessibility Advisory Committee discussed the accessibility of the downtown area and asked for a meeting with the Main Street District Business Improvement Area Board of Management Chair to identify potential improvements.

#### 5.4 Upper Canada Mall Accessible Washroom Project Update

The Accessibility Advisory Committee Chair provided the Members with an overview of the newly completed Upper Canada Mall Accessible Washroom and provided project details.

The Members discussed retrofitting Town of Newmarket facilities with accessible components.

#### 6. New Business

#### 6.1 Accessible Washrooms

The Members discussed accessible washrooms at various Town of Newmarket facilities and queried Staff regarding potential accessible improvements.

## 7. Adjournment

Moved by: Councillor Simon

Seconded by: Patricia Monteath

1. That the meeting be adjourned at 11:23 PM.

Carried	
Steven Foglia, Chair	

Date