



# Accessibility Advisory Committee

Meeting Agenda  
January 8th, 2024 | 5:00pm  
VIRTUAL ONLY

Invited Attendees
T.LaRiviere, D.Antaya-Moore, Z.Weeks, D.Akanpentiba-Achura, B.Belsek, C.Brenneis, M.Dancsok, C.Sneedon, P.Rzechowka, D.Rudolph, M.Vautour, I.Stefaniuk-Gaudet, P.Kocon, S.Mason, K.Ewig Council Reps: Clr. K.Tang, Clr. J.Wright Staff: A.Szafranski, H.Craig Guests: D.Shaw, Premiers Council; R.Popplestone, Office of Provincial Advocate, S.Mason, Voice of Albertans with Disabilities

## 1.0 Introductions and Welcome

2.0 Review	TIME / LENGTH	Assigned to:
2.1 Agenda Review/Approval	5:05pm	T.LaRiviere
2.2 Review/Approval of Previous Minutes <a href="#">AAC November Minutes</a> December Meeting - only attendance was taken	5:07pm	T.LaRiviere
2.3 Indigenous Land Acknowledgement	5:09pm	

3.0 New Business	TIME / LENGTH	Assigned to:
3.1 Panel Discussion: Connecting with other advisory/advocacy organizations. 5 to 10 minutes per organization to introduce	5:10pm to 5:30pm	
3.2 General Questions Provided in Advance: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. What do you consider to be your successes in moving toward provincial legislation?</li> <li>2. What are the key barriers to making provincial legislation a reality in AB? How are you working to address these barriers?</li> <li>3. How would provincial legislation support and/or accelerate moving your other priority/focus areas forward?</li> <li>4. While each organization has a slightly different mandate, what are your thoughts on how we can use our collective energy and influence to advance legislation or other agenda items?</li> </ul>	5:30pm to 6:00pm  Approx 3 minutes maximum per answer	

3.3 General Q&A from AAC Members	6:00pm to 6:20pm	

4.0 Standing Items	TIME / LENGTH	
4.1 Council Advisor Updates		Clr. Tang/Clr.Wright
4.2 Chair Updates		T. LaRiviere
4.3 Community Engagement Sub Committee Update		Z.Weeks
4.4 Policy Subcommittee Update		D.Antaya-Moore
4.5 Administration Update: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Vehicle for Hire Newsletter</li> <li>2. AAC Member Survey</li> <li>3. Bus Based Mass Transit Opportunity</li> <li>4. AAC Recruitment</li> </ul>		A.Szafranski

5.0 Other Reports	TIME / LENGTH	
5.1 Edmonton Transit Service Advisory Board Update		
5.2		

6.0 Upcoming Items
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. January 15th - Updating Affordable Housing Strategy</li> <li>2. January 16th - Comingling of DATS/On Demand Report</li> <li>3. January 30th - EXPO Centre (Capital Project of interest)</li> <li>4. February 26th - Dogs Off Leash</li> <li>5. February 26th - Mental Health &amp; Addiction in Edmonton</li> <li>6. February 27th - Licenses for E-scooters &amp; E-Bikes</li> <li>7. March 5th - AAC Presents Annual Report and Work Plans</li> <li>8. March 18th - Safe &amp; Inclusive Public Spaces</li> <li>9. March 18th - ASsisted Snow Clearing Program Pilot Project - Stakeholder feedback</li> </ul>

Next Meetings		
Date: February 12th, 2024	Time 5:00pm to 7:00pm	Location Heritage Room @ City Hall