

# **Facility Accessibility Design Subcommittee**

# of the Mississauga Accessibility Advisory Committee

Date: Time: Location:	June 28, 2021 1:30 PM Online Video Conference	
Members	Clement Lowe	Citizen Member (Chair)

Carol-Ann Chafe Steven Viera Asim Zaidi Naz Husain Citizen Member (Chai Citizen Member Citizen Member Citizen Member ex-officio

#### **Staff Present**

Dan Sadler, Supervisor Accessibility Janette Campbell, Accessibility Specialist Taghreed Alz, Accessibility Coordinator - Intern Amina Menkad, Planner Sharleen Bayovo, Planner Randy Jamieson, Project manager Parks Program Michael Ferreira, Project Leader Sr. Capital Projects Amr Merdan, Urban Designer Virginia Kalapaca, Project Leader, Park Development Martha Cameron, Legislative Coordinator Dayna Obaseki, Legislative Coordinator

# 1. CALL TO ORDER - 1:32 PM

#### 2. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

#### 2.1 Port Credit West Harbour Parks

- Randy Jamieson, Project Manager Parks Program
- Ian Dance, Dillon Consulting
- Shahrzad Nezafati, Dillon Consulting

Mr. Jamieson and consultants from Dillon Consulting presented on the Port Credit West Harbour Parks design proposal. The Subcommittee Members provided their comments in regards to accessibility concerns with ramps, location of waste receptacles, seating areas, and accessible washroom facilities.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

- 1. That the presentation regarding Port Credit West Habour Parks to the Facility Accessibility Design Subcommittee on June 28, 2021, be received.
- 2. That subject to the comments on the presentation, the Facility Accessibility Design Subcommittee is satisfied with the initiatives that Dillon Consulting and the City are undertaking with respect to the Port Credit West Harbour Parks.

Received (C. Chafe)

## 2.2 Mississauga Official Plan Review

- Amina Menkad, Planner
- Sharlene Bayovo, Planner

Ms. Menkad presented an overview of the Mississauga Official Plan ten-year review, which is inclusive of transportation, environmental and cultural assets as well as community infrastructure.

The Subcommittee expressed the need for increased housing choices with low environmental impact. Subcommittee Members discussed the accessibility impact of increased secondary housing units, which may cause crowding on sidewalks and roadways, increased garbage receptacles and how it will impede snow removal.

Naz Husain, Citizen Member (ex-officio) suggested an Accessibility forum for the City of Mississauga and Region of Peel to discuss overcrowded housing concerns.

Clement Lowe, Chair expressed concern with increased development around Square One and the impact on traffic congestion.

DIRECTION: Accessibility Staff to follow up with the Mississauga Official Plan Review Planners and have them report back to a future AAC meeting with an accessibility focus.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

- 1. That the presentation regarding Mississauga Official Plan Review to the Facility Accessibility Design Subcommittee on June 28, 2021, be received.
- 2. That subject to the comments on the presentation, the Facility Accessibility Design Subcommittee is satisfied with the initiatives that the City is undertaking with respect to the review of the Mississauga Official Plan.
- 3. That the Mississauga Official Plan Review be presented to a future Accessibility Advisory Committee meeting in 2022 for further review.

Received (C. Chafe)

## 2.3 Malton Community Hub

• Michael Ferreira, Project Leader Sr. Capital Projects

Michael Ferreira, Project Leader Sr. Capital Projects presented on the Malton Community Hub by providing an overview of the renovations to the interior and exterior of the building. Mr. Ferreira stated that the renovations include the replacement of the front entrance doors with double sliding entry doors, and a gentle rise ramp leading to the front entrance, as well as an accessible customer service station with wheelchair access point. Other renovations include an accessible kitchen, barrier free washrooms with turning radius and guardrail support requirements on both first and second floor washrooms, open spaces and generous walkways, textile changes to distinguish entryways, a universal washroom with shower, change table and call button are available to the public.

Subcommittee Members commended staff on the Malton Community Hub accessible renovations and inquired if accessible washrooms and lunchroom would be available in the employee area. Subcommittee Members also requested that elevators have sight and sound features.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

- 1. That the presentation regarding Malton Community Hub to the Facility Accessibility Design Subcommittee on June 28, 2021, be received.
- 2. That subject to the comments on the presentation, the Facility Accessibility Design Subcommittee is satisfied with the initiatives that The City are undertaking with respect to the renovations to the Malton Community Hub.

Received (C. Chafe)

- 2.4 Living Arts Centre Entrance Renovation
  - Dan Sadler, Supervisor Accessibility

Dan Sadler, Supervisor Accessibility provided an update on the Living Arts Entrance renovation and advised the Subcommittee that all entry doors would be replaced with double sliding doors, exit signs will be installed, interior vestibule doors will be removed, and improvements will be made to lighting.

## RECOMMENDATION

- 1. That the presentation regarding the Living Arts Centre Entrance Renovation to the Facility Accessibility Design Subcommittee on June 28, 2021, be received.
- 2. That subject to the comments on the presentation, the Facility Accessibility Design Subcommittee is satisfied with the initiatives that The City are undertaking with respect to the Living Arts Centre Entrance Renovation.

Received (C. Chafe)

# 3. PROJECT UPDATES - Nil

## 4. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

September 27, 2021 - Location to be determined

# 5. ADJOURNMENT - 3:37 P.M.