

Town of Arnprior

Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting

Date: Wednesday, December 1, 2021 Time: 7:00 p.m. Location: Via Electronic Participation

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Land Acknowledgement Statement
- 4. Adoption of Agenda (Additions/ Deletions)
- 5. Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest
- 6. Adoption of Minutes of Previous Meeting(s)
 - a) October 6, 2021 (Page 1-3)
- 7. Presentations/ Delegations
 - a) Downtown Patio Pilot (Page 4-11)
 - b) Nick Smith Centre Parking Lot Paving Project Update (Page 12-25)
 - c) Waterfront Master Plan (Page 26-46)
- 8. Matters Tabled/ Deferred/ Unfinished Business
- 9. Staff Reports
 - a) Draft 2021 Annual Accessibility Status Report (Page 47-57)
- 10. New Business

11. Adjournment

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Minutes of Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting October 6, 2021 7:00 PM Electronic Participation – Via Zoom

Committee and Staff Attendance

Committee Members Present:

Chair Lynn Grinstead Dave Furgoch, Committee Member France Guillemette, Committee Member Linda Buttle, Committee Member

Committee Members Absent: Kathleen Bender, Committee Member

Town Staff Present: Kaila Zamojski, Deputy Clerk

1. Call to Order

Chair Lynn Grinstead called the Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee meeting to order at 7:00 PM and welcomed those present.

2. Roll Call

The roll was called, with all Members of the Committee being present, except Kathleen Bender.

3. Land Acknowledgement Statement

Chair Lynn Grinstead asked everyone to take a moment to acknowledge and show respect for the Indigenous Peoples as traditional stewards of the land we operate on, by stating:

I would like to begin by acknowledging that the land on which we work and gather is the traditional unceded territory of the Anishinaabe People. This Algonquin Nation have lived on this land for thousands of years, long before the arrival of the European settlers, and we are grateful to have the opportunity to be present in this territory.

4. Adoption of Agenda

Resolution No. 004-21 Moved by David Furgoch Seconded by Linda Buttle **Be It Resolved That** the agenda for the Amprior Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting of dated Wednesday, October 6, 2021, be adopted.

Resolution Carried

5. Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest

None

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6. Adoption of Minutes of Previous Meeting(s)

Resolution No. 005-21 Moved by Linda Buttle Seconded by David Furgoch That the Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee approve of the minutes listed under item no. 6(a) on the Agenda (Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee – June 2, 2021).

Resolution Carried

7. Presentations/ Delegations

a) Draft 2021 Accessibility Plan Status Report – Deputy Clerk

The Deputy Clerk provided an overview of the presentation and responded to questions.

Discussion ensued among Committee Members, with the following being a summary of the comments received:

- The Deputy Clerk and Chair provided a brief description of what a Mobi-Mat is, for Committee Members after the question was posed.
- 8. Matters Tabled/ Deferred/ Unfinished Business None

9. Staff Reports

None

10.New Business

Chair Lynn Grinstead noted that this area of the meeting, is a good time to bring anything forward that you feel the Town is not already addressing. We are always looking for your feedback.

Committee Member France Guillemette noted her interest in having the opportunity to provide feedback on the accessibility of any new and redeveloped playgrounds/ play structures. France provided information on various playgrounds that she has visited in other provinces, noting that some had bases or accessible pathways that lead to the accessible features only, and also had sand, so that kids could play in the sand as well. She noted, for example there would be an accessible rubberized pathway to the accessible play structure and swing, but not to any other playground features that were not accessible. The Deputy Clerk noted the Director of Recreation would be coming to the next meeting to discuss playgrounds with this committee, looking for any feedback.

Committee Member David Furgoch noted his continued concern with the lack of a traffic light at the intersection of McNab Street and Madawaska Blvd. Chair Grinstead noted that this is a County Road, and thus the Town does not have jurisdiction in putting up a light on Madawaska Blvd. She further noted that with the growth in that area of Town a new traffic study will need to be completed by the County. Chair Grinstead further noted, that with her discussions over the years, she feels the County is watching this road and traffic carefully.

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11. Adjournment

Resolution No. 006-21 Moved by David Furgoch Seconded by France Guillemette **That** this meeting of the Accessibility Advisory Committee be adjourned at 7:23 pm.

Resolution Carried



Downtown Patio Pilot

Lindsay Wilson, MEDO

Meeting Date: Dec. 1, 2021

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- In the Summer of 2021, the Town of Arnprior implemented a pilot project which saw three parking stall patios set-up in the Downtown.
- These patios used two on-street parking spaces each, for a total of 6 parking spaces dedicated.
- This additional space allowed the restaurants to have extended dinning space and assisted them in recovering from the negative impacts of COVID-19 on the food service industry.
- The Town is now collecting feedback on this pilot program in consideration of amending the Sidewalk Patio License By-law to allow for extended patios in future years.



Feedback

- A feedback survey has been provided to gather public input on the pilot patio project.
- The survey asks the public which patio option they prefer.
- The businesses who participated in the program have also been interviewed.
- Staff are looking for feedback from the committee on the patio pilot as well as any other accessibility concerns.

















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Nick Smith Centre Parking Lot Paving Project Update

Graeme Ivory, Director of Recreation

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- H&H Construction were awarded the Nick Smith Centre Parking Lot Paving Project in the Spring of 2021.
- The project start date was delayed and did not commence in full until August 2021.
- The paving project was completed in October.
- This project has helped make Arnprior's recreation hub – the Nick Smith Centre – more accessible to everyone.



Project Information

- The Nick Smith Centre Parking Lot Paving Project provide the following accessible upgrades:
 - A total of 12 Accessible Parking Stalls
 - 9 stalls at the front entrance
 - 2 stalls at the side entrance to Bert Hall Arena (Arena A)
 - 1 stall at the side entrance to Glenn Arthur Arena (Arena B)

Note: A total of 234 Parking Stalls at the Nick Smith Centre



Project Information

- Curbed or grade-level entry to all points of entry and emergency exits
- Sidewalks that connect James Street through the Nick Smith Centre parking lot to the front entrance of the centre
 - Twizzies at all sidewalk curbs



Front Entrance





Front Entrance



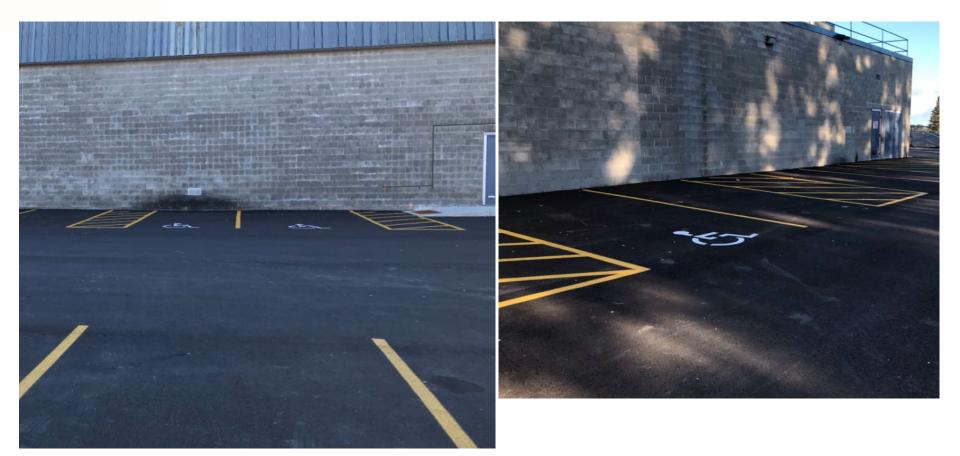


Front Entrance





Side Arena Locations





General Parking Lot





Sidewalks/Curbing





Sidewalks/Curbing





Sidewalks/Curbing





Next Steps

- Updating parking information on Town of Arnprior website
- Increased by-law enforcement
- Look at grant opportunities for further accessible upgrades:
 - Accessible Door Operators for side arena entrances as an example
- Updating of wayfinding signage through the ongoing Inclusive Communities Grant (ICG)

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Waterfront Master Plan

Graeme Ivory, Director of Recreation

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 In 2019, the Town retained Thinc Design to undertake the Waterfront Master Plan, with a goal to complete the Plan in 2020, per the 2020-2023 Strategic Plan goals. With the impacts of COVID-19, the final product was delayed, however, staff are pleased to recommend the Waterfront Master Plan at this time.



- It is important to keep in mind the seven key directions, determined as part of the Issues and Options Analysis, which have been used to help guide the direction of the Waterfront Master Plan, being:
 - 1) Improve access/increase connectivity
 - 2) Enhance the visitor experience
 - 3) Provide spaces to celebrate and enjoy
 - 4) Support arts, culture and heritage
 - 5) Improve the aesthetic of the waterfront
 - 6) Provide multi-season benefit
 - 7) Be ecologically driven



- Site Reviews December 2019 and March 2020
- Public Open House March 2020
- Stakeholder Interviews March 2020 and Fall/Winter 2020/2021
- Process delayed due to COVID-19. Switched to remote engagement in early 2021
- Online feedback received through arnpriorwaterfront.ca - Winter 2021



Plan Overview

- The proposed Plan offers a total of 65 recommendations to allow the Town to realize a Waterfront design which achieves these directions and recognizes the asset the Town has in its waterfront, while addressing the appropriate timing and expenditures required to provide the enhancements to meet the vision proposed.
- The completion of the Plan sets the stage for improvements to be made in an orderly manner, setting out a plan to realize the improvements with the opportunity to look at funding opportunities, take advantage of grants and partnerships as they arise, and include projects within the Long-Range Capital Forecast.



Plan Overview

 At a total cost of approximately \$8.5 million, planned out over a 20-year horizon, the Plan allows for improvements to all major waterfront areas, along with achieving cohesive connectivity between them. Furthermore, the Plan recognizes the value of the Marina as a separate but important asset to the Waterfront and outlines studies that would be required to determine its potential for further development.



Plan Overview

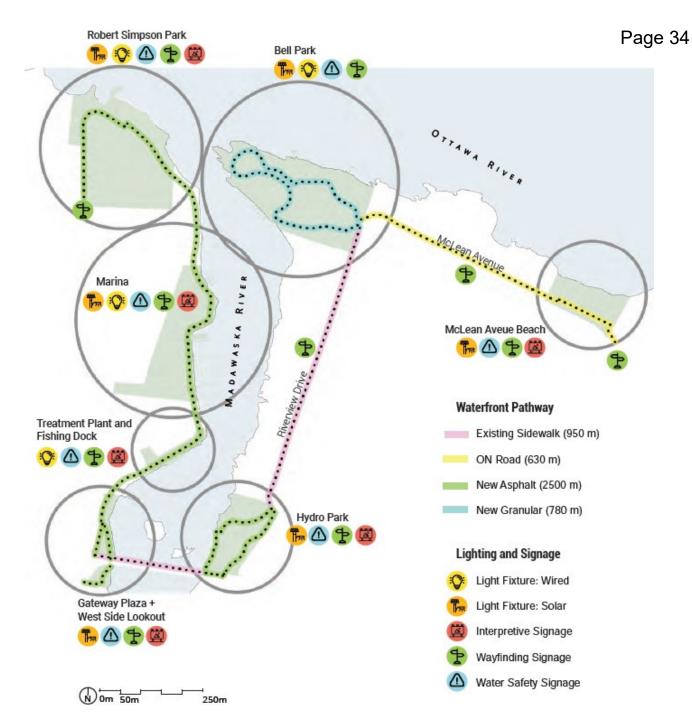
- The 65 recommendations are organized into eight areas.
 - 1. Waterfront Wide (7)
 - 2. Robert Simpson Park (13)
 - 3. Municipal Marina (13)
 - 4. Treatment Plant, Fishing Dock and Lookout (3)
 - 5. West Side Gateway and Lookout (3)
 - 6. Hydro Park (3)
 - 7. Bell Park (11)
 - 8. McLean Avenue Beach (12)



Accessibility Features – Waterfront Wide

- Pathway surfacing improvements
- Pathway lighting
- Signage, Wayfinding and Interpretation Strategy
- Seating Strategy



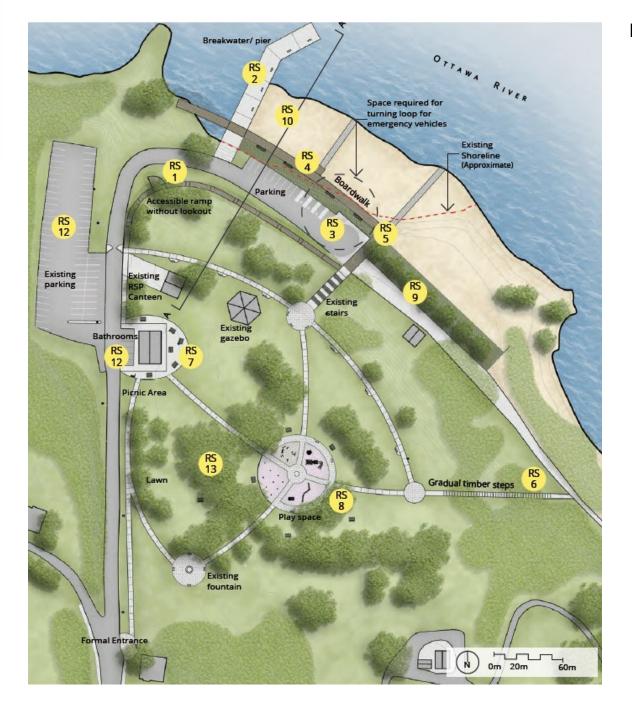




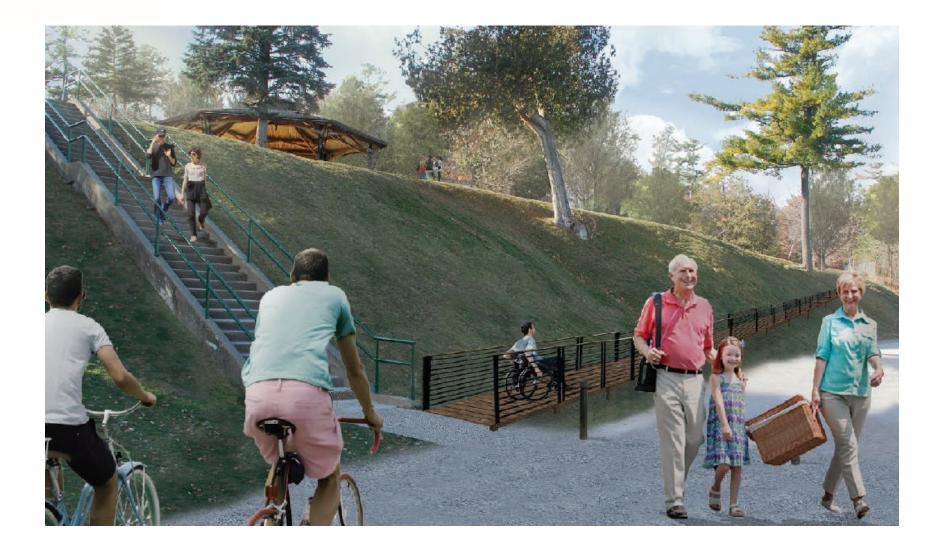
Accessibility Features – Robert Simpson Park

- Park-wide Accessibility Improvements
- Pedestrian Ramp to Beach
- Accessible Washrooms
- Playground and Splashpad

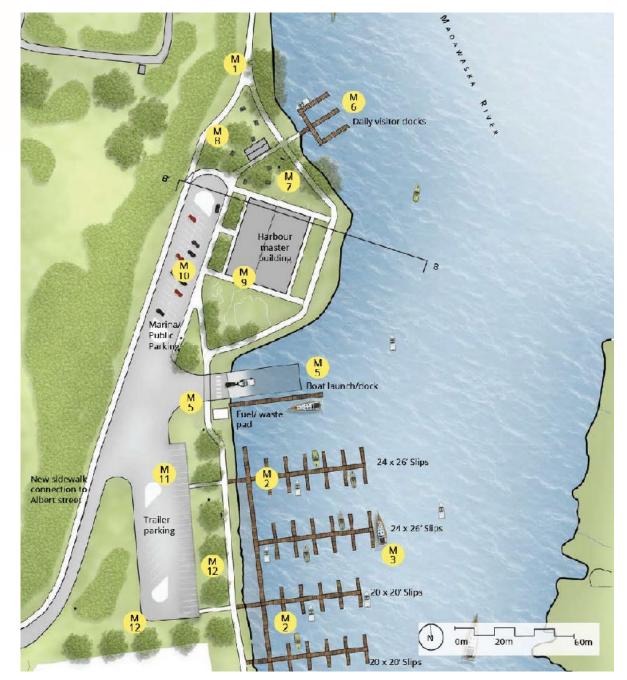
































Implementation - Financing

Having a master plan in place for Arnprior's waterfront will allow the Town to take advantage of various project funding opportunities

- Staff lead projects (internal resources)
- Capital financing
- Grants (Provincial and Federal)
- Public Private Partnerships
- Development Charges
- Private Enterprise/Leases
- Donors



Summary 20 Year Master Plan

- Important tool for budgeting purposes
- Must be viewed as a living document to be updated and adjusted through the annual budget planning process
- Recommendations may be advanced, delayed or amended to respond to changing circumstances
- Some initiatives will require additional community consultation to arrive at detailed plans and designs
- Council, in consultation with Town staff, will determine when and how initiatives are implemented

Questions?



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Town of Arnprior Staff Report

Subject: 2021 Annual Accessibility Status Report Report Number: 21-12-01-01 Report Author and Position Title: Kaila Zamojski, Deputy Clerk Department: Client Services Meeting Date: Accessibility Advisory Committee – December 1, 2021

Recommendations:

That the Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee receives the Draft 2021 Annual Accessibility Status Report; and

Further That the Amprior Accessibility Advisory Committee recommends that Council approve the 2021 Annual Accessibility Status Report.

Background:

Staff have prepared a Draft 2021 Annual Accessibility Status Report, for review by the Accessibility Advisory Committee, attached to this report. Staff is looking for any further feedback from the Accessibility Advisory Committee, since the presentation at the last meeting on October 6, 2021.

Discussion:

See attached Draft 2021 Annual Accessibility Status Report.

Options:

Accessibility Advisory Committee Members could choose to request changes be made to the Draft Annual Status Report, as attached, which can be included for Council consideration.

Policy Considerations:

Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act IASR

Financial Considerations:

N/A

Meeting Dates:

October 6, 2021 - Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting December 13, 2021 – Regular Council Meeting (proposed approval by Council) December 31, 2021 – Submission of the AODA Compliance Report, for the Province of Ontario

Consultation:

- Accessibility Advisory Committee
- Department Heads
- Town Clerk
- CAO

Documents

Draft Town of Arnprior Annual Accessibility Status Report - 2021

Signatures

Reviewed by Department Head: Jennifer Morawiec

Reviewed by General Manager, Client Services/Treasurer: Jennifer Morawiec

CAO Concurrence: Robin Paquette

Workflow Certified by Town Clerk: Maureen Spratt



Town of Arnprior Annual Accessibility Status Report – 2021

Background and Purpose

The 2021 Accessibility Status Report is the annual update on the Town of Arnprior's progress of measures taken to improve accessibility and implement the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA) and the Integrated Accessibility Standards Regulation (IASR) (Ontario Regulation 191/11). The Town of Arnprior approved its second Multi-Year Accessibility Plan, in consultation with the Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee, being the 2018-2023 Multi-Year Accessibility Plan, as per the legislation. This plan assists the Town in identifying the requirements of the AODA and IASR, as well as identifying any further accessibility related improvements the Town of Arnprior should consider completing, which are outlined in the Multi-Year Plan under "Further Goals Above and Beyond the AODA and IASR."

This Status Report includes the initiatives completed in 2021, as outlined in the 2018-2023 Multi-Year Accessibility Plan, as well as identifies items that were previously completed, for ease of reference. The purpose of this Status Report is to make the public aware of the Town of Arnprior's progress concerning the Multi-Year Accessibility Plan, and to prevent and remove barriers and meet requirements under the AODA and IASR.

This 2021 Annual Status Report will be made available on the Town's website at <u>www.arnprior.ca</u>. It will also be provided to anyone who requests a copy, in addition to providing other accessible formats upon request.

Commitment to Accessibility

The Corporation of the Town of Arnprior is committed to promoting independence, dignity, integration and equality of opportunity for persons with disabilities. The Town is committed to making the Town workplaces accessible and welcoming environments where both employees and customers are accommodated, in a timely manner, to meet their needs.

The Town's Multi-Year Accessibility Plan and annual status report demonstrate the Town's commitment to modifying service delivery, programming and other workplace processes, policies and procedures to ensure equal access for all.

The Town's Accessibility Advisory Committee (AAAC) plays a key role in assisting the Town of Arnprior in meeting its accessibility goals. The AAAC reviews the multi-year plan and provides recommendations to Council on accessibility matters.

The plan is also reviewed annually to highlight the progress made to date. Staff consulted the Accessibility Advisory Committee, who reviewed the items identified in the Multi-Year Plan, and this Status Report.

2021 Accessibility Achievements

General Initiatives

- March, June, October and December 2021 Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee Meetings
- Training for New Hires:
 - AODA Customer Service
 - o Understanding Human Rights
 - Integrated Accessibility Standards Information/Communication and Employment Standards as well as Design of Public Spaces where applicable
- Creation of the new Inclusivity and Diversity Advisory Committee

Employment

- Notification to the public that accommodations will be provided upon request.
- Notification welcoming accommodations throughout the recruitment process and employment life cycle.
- Availability of Return to Work Process through EARS program and accommodation where necessary.

Information and Communication

- Continued use of accessible "Contact Us" form for logging complaints, inquiries, requests for service, and compliments, has been added to the Town website, through the Town's newly updated electronic complaint management system. Residents are able to submit information through the Town's website, and receive email confirmation of their ticket submission, with a ticket number.
- A new separate By-law Enforcement Contact Form has been created for ease of access to logging concerns for By-law specific areas of interest.
- Staff continue to look at all documents posted on the Town's website and update for accessibility, where required.
- Installation of Adobe Pro software on multiple Town computer systems, to assist in creating and posting accessible documents.
- Investigation began for additional software to create accessible documents, with staff looking into these options further in 2022.
- Creating Accessible Documents continues, and training for staff who create and upload documents to the Town's website, will also be an ongoing process.

- New WCAG 2.0 AODA compliant Town Website.
- New access to other online payment and form submissions, as well as those previously provided (i.e. marriage licences, pet registrations, various licences, parking tickets). Staff is continuing to review other areas where online payments can be implemented.

Design of Public Spaces

- ICG Grant Received and being implemented by March 2022
 - Upgraded simplified accessible wayfinding signage for various Town facilities.
- ICIP Grant Application "Growing Outdoor Play in Arnprior"
 - Announcement pending from Federal and Provincial Government.
 - Upgraded pathways and play structures at Caruso and Legion Park, to include accessible access to parks and include some accessible features in playgrounds, to be completed in near future.
- Nick Smith Centre Parking Lot Paving Project completed with a total of 234 parking spaces, including 12 accessible spaces.
 - Points of entry/ emergency exits are curbed or at grade level, which improves accessibility at the Nick Smith Centre
- The Canada Community Revitalization Fund Grant Application was submitted in 2021 for Accessible Ramp at Robert Simpson Park. No response has been provided to date on this application.
- Additional Accessible Parking stalls added at Robert Simpson Park and one additional at the Arnprior Marina.
- Sidewalk patching was completed across Town.
- Improvement at the intersection of Daniel Street and Edey Street, with the curb being depressed and the Tactile Walking Surface Indicators being installed at either side of the crosswalk.
- Tactile Walking Surface Indicators installed on sidewalks during Alicia Street Reconstruction project.

Next Steps for Accessibility

- Complete the Town of Arnprior's AODA Compliance Report, for the Province of Ontario, by December 31, 2021.
- Re-audits of Town facilities and parks.
- Continue to consult with the public, persons with disabilities and the Accessibility Advisory Committee.
- Complete a full review and walk through of all Town Facilities with the Accessibility Advisory Committee in Spring of 2022, as a step in the process for establishing a new five-year Multi-Year Accessibility Plan (2023-2028).
- Investigate options for additional software for creation of Accessible documents.
- Incorporate accessibility into the 2022 Municipal Election, through policies, procedures, and alternative voting methods for residents.
- Continue to consult with the Accessibility Advisory Committee on various projects and initiatives as required.

- Review corporate policies and by-laws to ensure accessibility compliance.
- Continue to monitor website and web content, as well as update any existing web content for accessibility.
- Continue to welcome accommodations throughout the recruitment, selection process and employment life cycle.
- Ensure new facilities and reconstruction are designed with accessibility features incorporated

2021 Status Report – Summary Chart of "Actioned Further Goals Above and Beyond the AODA and IASR"

The Town of Arnprior continues to endeavour to go above and beyond the legislative requirements of the AODA. Attached as Appendix A to this report, is a summary chart of the progress and accomplishments made on any Further Goals, as recommended by the Accessibility Advisory Committee. For ease of reference, any goals completed/ actioned/ still in progress, since the establishment of the 2018-2023 Multi-Year Accessibility Plan, have been left in the table to show the overall progress made on the identified areas in the Plan.

Let Us Know What You Think

Members of the public are encouraged to provide comments on the Town of Arnprior's Multi-Year Accessibility Plan, the Accessibility Plan Status Reports, and any other accessibility related matter.

The Multi-Year Accessibility Plan and Annual Accessibility Status Reports are made available through a number of efforts:

Website:

https://www.arnprior.ca/en/town-hall/accessibility.aspx

Hard Copy:

Town of Arnprior Municipal Office, 105 Elgin Street West, Arnprior, ON. K7S 0A8

Contact Information:

To provide feedback, request accommodation, or for more information please contact:

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Appendix A 2021 Status Report - Summary Chart of "Actioned Further Goals Above and Beyond the AODA and IASR"

Further Goal Identified in Multi-Year Plan	<u>Status</u>	
Overall Goals		
Revitalize Town Facility signage to incorporate more pictures through the adoption of an Accessible Sign Guideline Policy, through consultation with the Accessibility Advisory Committee	Completed – January 2020 Council in January 2020, via By-law No. 7026-20, approved a Signage and Wayfinding Policy, outlining Accessibility Guidelines. The Town received an ICIP Grant for Wayfinding Signage to be designed and installed at the Nick Smith Centre, where accessibility of the signage will be taken into consideration. This project will be completed by March 2022.	
Town Hall Goals		
Review/Update Emergency Evacuation plan to incorporate accessibility (as required)	Completed by end of 2021.	
Outdoor Centre Line Painted on streets to assist visually impaired, where they are not painted.	Where possible centerlines are painted on main roadways and if not most roadways, have a sidewalk on at least one side of the road. Where possible, the Town will endeavor to have a centerline painted or a sidewalk installed on new and redeveloped streets.	

Stanley Tourangeau Fire/	Police Services Centre Goals	
Review/Update Emergency Evacuation plan to incorporate accessibility (as required)	Fire Department noted in 2021 this is not required for this building, according to the Fire Prevention and Protection Act.	
Lower OPP Service Counter	Included in the LRCF	
Make public washroom fully accessible, by installing an automatic door opener, emergency alarm/push bottom lock, etc.	Completed in 2019	
Arnprior Public Library and Archives Goals		
Installation of a sign coming from the parking lot where the accessible push button for the front door is located	Completed 2019 Stickers have been installed to each side of the post that the push button is on, in 2020, as the previous signs were damaged twice.	
Review/ Update Emergency Evacuation Plan to incorporate accessibility (as required)	Will be updated as required	
	nd Archives Goals continued	
Community Meeting Rooms to have automatic door openers	Completed 2020 n 2020, the Town of Arnprior installed magnetic door openers, where doors can be opened, and remain open, in a fire safe manner, while meeting rooms are being used. n the event of a fire, the doors would automatically close, for fire protection. This was implemented in place of automatic door operators, as during meetings doors will remain open, and thus not require a push button.	
Continue to add more accessible computer software to the Library's current software.	This is an ongoing initiative.	

Nick Smith Centre Goals		
Review/Update Emergency Evacuation plan to incorporate accessibility (as required)	Requires to be updated. Work plan item for 2022, as it is included in the ICG Grant project.	
Refresh contrasting colour strips on entrance doors and any other doors where required	Completed 2019	
	The ICIP Grant, applied for in 2019 was unsuccessful.	
Make change rooms (pool/arena) fully accessible	This will remain on the Long Range Capital Forecast, as a project to be completed, budget permitting. In addition, staff will continue to look for opportunities for grant funding to have this project completed sooner.	
Install automatic door to access Rink B	Completed 2019	
Install automatic door to access the Community Hall	Completed 2019	
washroom for Nick Smith Centre Community Hall, as the current	In 2019, improvements were made to the existing washrooms including installation of accessible toilets and sinks. The ICIP Grant submitted in 2019 for a new accessible washroom for the Nick Smith Centre Community Hall was unsuccessful. This will remain on the Long Range Capital Forecast, as a project to be completed, budget permitting. In addition, staff will continue to look for opportunities for grant funding to have this project completed sooner.	
Install a higher writing platform (similar to Town Hall Second Floor Service Counter) at Customer Service Counter	Completed 2019	
Install handrail in the stands of Rink A	Staff will continue to explore feasible options. Accessible seating is available via the accessible lift, above the Pro Shop.	
Make emergency exit outside Community Hall and Rink B accessible by grading the step outside the door.	Completed in 2021 with the paving of the Nick Smith Centre Parking Lot.	

Robert Simpson Park Goals		
	Completed 2019	
Move the accessible parking stalls to be behind the washrooms and level the parking area prior to completion	In 2021 more accessible parking stalls were added, as noted in the status report, to Robert Simpson Park, Marina, and Nick Smith Centre Parking Lot.	
 Install an accessible pathway into the water on the beach area. Install an accessible pathway to the Canteen and lower the service counter. Make the washrooms fully accessible. Install an accessible pathway to the Gazebo. Install an accessible pathway to the Splash Pad and Playground. 	 These items will be addressed in the Waterfront Master Plan coming forward, if possible: Installation of accessible pathways to the canteen, gazebo, splash pad and playground Staff applied for and was successful for the 2020 Jumpstart Accessibility Grant for the below items. However, due to COVID-19, the Grant was cancelled and thus staff will be looking to re-apply once the grant is available again. This grant was for the purchase and installation of: Mobi-Mat rec path for RSP access from the trail to the beach and to water's edge Mobi-Chair for RSP providing accessibility on both the beach and in the water Mobi-Roll'n-Stow for annual installation and removal of the Mobi-Mat Rec Path The Mobi-Mat items have been added in the Long Range Capital Forecast for purchase in 2022. 	
Install an accessible swing in the playground	 There are no swings currently at Robert Simpson Park. This item will remain in the document to be completed at a future date if possible, contingent on available budget/ grant opportunities. There will be further consideration for design and accessibility of play features and playgrounds in Robert Simpson Park, through the Waterfront Master Plan. Six (6) Accessible swings are available at the following parks: Atkinson, Caruso, Legion, McLean, Optimist, Sgt. Howard Slater 	

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Arnprior & District Museum Goals		
Review/Update Emergency Evacuation Plan, to incorporate accessibility (as required)	Completed 2019	
Contrasting colour on the black railing ends, to identify the railing start and finish at night	Completed 2019	
Access to exhibits on all three (3) floors of the Museum	The Museum Curator will continue to implement a virtual tour of the other exhibits, which are not accessible at this time, if possible.	
Install an elevator in the Museum to allow access to upper floors	This item is tentatively included in the Long Range Capital Forecast for 2030.	
Continue to install explanation (audio and/or braille) of exhibits	Continue to be completed if possible, when required.	