

# Salt Lake City Accessibility Council

Meets the fourth Tuesday of the month.  
Bring your lunch if you want.

## Agenda

**Tuesday, April 22, 2014, 12:00 - 1:30 pm**

Cannon Room (335 – third floor)  
City & County Building (451 S State)

- 12:00      Welcome & Introductions  
            Welcome to New Appointees
- 12:05      Public Input
- 12:10      Approval of Minutes
- 12:15      Presentation: Fairness in Housing (Rental & Sale of Property)  
            *Vard McGuire, Disability Law Center*
- 12:40      Committee Updates (5 minutes each)
1. Parking & Ground Transportation – Craig Carter
  2. Legislation/City Council/By-Laws – Miriam Hyde
    - a. Bylaws Change Proposal (10 minutes) – including Ex-Officio membership
  3. Architectural Barriers/Accessibility
  4. Housing/Employment/Membership – Lee Bias
- 1:15      Announcements & Future Agenda Items
- 1:30      Adjourn (until Tues, May 27)

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## Committee Assignments

<i>1. Parking &amp; Ground Transportation</i>	<i>2. Legislation/ City Council/ By-Laws</i>	<i>3. Architectural Barriers/ Accessibility</i>	<i>4. Housing/ Employment/ Membership</i>
Craig Carter Mike Marshall Michael Barnes	Miriam Hyde Leslee Hintze Rich Foster Michael Lefevor	Mary Guy-Sell Todd Clafin Glenn Reeves Mary Ann Cowen	Jerry Green Glynis Wright Leah Lobato
a) 1 in 6 Van Accessible Requirement b) Sugar House monument plaza parking c) Taxi cabs	a) By-laws changes b) Medicaid expansion	a) Self-evaluation b) Accessibility brochure c) Public way barriers (curbs, snow, construction...)	a)

### Accessibility Council Minutes – Mar 25, 2014

#### WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS

Guests: Patrick Perry, Adam Guymon,

PUBLIC INPUT: None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: **MOTION by Craig Carter to accept the February minutes. Seconded by Glenn Reeves. Passed unanimously.**

PRESENTATION: ACCESSIBILITY MAPPING TOOLS: Mary Guy-Sell, Mobility Manager with the Wasatch Front Regional Council, said they have been mapping environmental barriers along the Wasatch Front. Yelp is a crowd-sourcing app which allows the general public to make entries about restaurants with their reviews. Mary's group is looking at existing crowd-sourcing applications like Yelp for access. AXS Map at [www.axsmap.com](http://www.axsmap.com) was developed in New York. It works with Google Maps. People can make entries about accessible facilities. Gray, green, and red balloons on the map indicate review status. Log in to create reviews. It's free. Mary demonstrated how to make a review. Multiple reviews get averaged. Mary's group would like to work with municipalities on transportation issues that arise in conjunction with reviews of businesses and other facilities. Deficiencies can be worked on in collaboration with the municipalities.

The second website was wheelmap.org which has a simpler review system that allows entries without a user account.

Mary asked whether there would be interest in developing a map specifically for this area. Patrick Perry suggested a password to avoid disgruntled customers from spamming the business. Jerry asked whether there would be other partners such as UTA. He said it would be nice to see bus stops on the map. Craig Carter asked about whether eating establishments are covered. Mary said yes. Patrick said this would be very important for conventions and other major events. Michael Stott asked what features would need to be developed beyond those in the two websites shown. Mary said the pathways and transportation routes and services should be shown in addition to facilities. Todd Clafin asked if construction and other impacts by the city could be shown on the map. Mary said that could be an option. Consensus by the Council that this is an idea worth pursuing.

COMMITTEE UPDATES:

1. PARKING & GROUND TRANSPORTATION:

Craig Carter reported the group did not meet this month. Craig talked about the importance of preserving neighborhoods. Craig referenced an article about the zoning of the Sugar House Street Car Corridor. Craig suggested to Councilman Luke Garrott that the 9th & 9th area have more than one accessible parking stall.

2. LEGISLATION/CITY COUNCIL/BY-LAWS:

Michael Lefevor reported the committee did not meet this month.

3. ARCHITECTURAL BARRIERS/ACCESSIBILITY:

Todd Claflin reported he attended a bike and pedestrian symposium. A panel discussed the accessibility along the S-line and Airport line and they discussed train platforms and accessibility around construction. Public safety was a main focus of the event. Todd recommended we think of accessibility as access *to* something.

There was a concern about City's Public Safety Building women's restroom. Discussion about individual locations with problems. Michael S invited the group to contact him directly with any and all individual complaints and requests for streets, sidewalks, etc.

4. HOUSING/EMPLOYMENT/MEMBERSHIP:

Jerry Green said the committee met and reviewed the nominations and information for membership. The committee recommends that the applicants be accepted.

**MOTION by Jerry Green that Glynis Wright, Glenn Reeves, Jim Huber, Eleanor McCowan, Georg Stutzenberger, Patrick Perry, Kira Larkin be recommended to Mayor Becker for appointment to the council. Seconded by Michael Lefevor.** Craig Carter said we need people with a broad view. Todd Claflin asked whether we received information from the nominees. Michael Stott said we did from some; others were simply nominations. Todd said we should get to know individuals before we appoint them. Michael S said he agreed but this year we're out of time and should proceed with the committee's recommendation. **5 in favor, opposed by Craig Carter. Motion passed.**

Todd Claflin asked whether we should change the status of ex-officio members to voting members. Discussion on the overall number of members and members' ability/commitment to attend meetings. We could put it on the agenda for next time.

Todd Claflin said Rich Foster heard a presentation on fairness in housing. They think it would be a nice presentation for next time.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

- Recommendation by Committee on Changes to Bylaws
- Fairness in Housing Presentation (Todd/Rich --Disability Law Center)