

Salt Lake City Accessibility Council

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

Agenda

Tuesday, January 28, 2014, 12 noon

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

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| 12:00 | Welcome |
| 12:05 | Public Input |
| 12:10 | Approval of Minutes |
| 12:15 | Membership Nominations (Vote on Committee Proposal in February) |
| 12:20 | (Tentative) Presentation: Accessibility Mapping Tools – Mary Guy-Sell |
| 12:40 | Update: State Code Amendment on Disability Parking |
| 12:45 | Discussion: Snow Removal Enforcement |
| 12:55 | Committee Updates (5 minutes each) <ul style="list-style-type: none">1. Parking & Ground Transportation – Craig Carter2. Legislation/City Council/By-Laws – Miriam Hyde3. Architectural Barriers/Accessibility4. Housing/Employment/Membership – Lee Bias |
| 1:15 | Announcements & Future Agenda Items |
| 1:30 | Adjourn (until Tues, Feb. 25 th) |

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Committee Assignments

1. Parking & Ground Transportation	2. Legislation/ City Council/ By-Laws	3. Architectural Barriers/ Accessibility	4. Housing/ Employment/ Membership
Craig Carter Mary Guy-Sell Mike Marshall Michael Barnes	Miriam Hyde Leslee Hintze Rich Foster	Todd Claflin Glenn Reeves Mary Ann Cowen	Jerry Green Glynis Wright Lee Bias 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 – Dec 10, 2013

GUESTS: Jim Huber (Blind & Deaf Association); Riki Rice (Utah Dept of Health)

PUBLIC INPUT: None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: **MOTION by Rich Foster to approve the October 2013 minutes. Seconded by Miriam Hyde. Passed unanimously.**

Michael Stott shared about the recent webinar on snow removal and accessibility by the Easter Seals project. There weren't many ideas shared but the meeting was a step in the right direction about awareness. The new guide by Easter Seals on the topic is useful.

COMMITTEE UPDATES:

1- **PARKING & GROUND TRANSPORTATION:** Craig Carter reported the committee met. Sugar House lacks onstreet parking, especially for people with disabilities. Craig said there are two on-street accessible stalls in sugar house out of a total of 18 stalls. They will wait until the new City Council is in office and go from there.

The Ground Transportation committee met and discussed parking and the proposed taxi cab ordinance. Currently, there are only two accessible cabs in Salt Lake City.

2- **LEGISLATION/CITY COUNCIL/BYLAWS:** Miriam Hyde reported Medicaid expansion is being looked at by a unique coalition of groups to look at the Governor's proposed budget with an excess of \$300M without funding for the expansion. Miriam encouraged people to write letters to the Governor and state representatives.

The committee met yesterday on bylaws which were sent to Michael S who can forward to everybody.

Rich Foster attended the Southwest conference on accessibility and met with a provider from California who is working on teaching people with access and functional needs the basics of committee life-- Robert's Rules of Order, how committees work, etc. The Dept of Health with Vocational Rehab are looking at implementing a similar program. Michael Lefever will ask about the Center for Independent Living's role in this.

Miriam asked when City Council meetings are held. Michael S said they are on Tuesdays but not every Tuesday.

MOTION by Miriam Hyde to write thank you cards to all city council members including outgoing and incoming members, and to the Mayor. Seconded by Leah Lobato. Abstained by Craig Carter and Glynis Wright. Motion passes.

3- ARCHITECTURAL BARRIERS/ACCESSIBILITY: Mary Guy-Sell asked what are the top complaints the Mayor's Office receives about accessibility. Michael S suggested the committee work with him on finishing the self-evaluation he started two years ago. (#1)

The group discussed having a brochure with accessibility information on issues such as snow removal. Michael S said it sounds like a good idea that could be formally considered by the council. (#2)

Public way barriers were discussed such as sidewalks, curb ramps, and snow removal. (#3) Other snow removal issues were discussed. The group recommended the City should have options for people with disabilities to find assistance. The environmental barriers map is available. An app was created where people can submit the location of barriers. The "Accessibility During Construction Guide" on the city webpage was reviewed and perhaps could be updated.

4- HOUSING/EMPLOYMENT/MEMBERSHIP: No report at this time.

GROUP DISCUSSION ON TOPICS FOR 2014: Todd Claflin invited the group to share topics or issues that should be worked on next year.

- Craig Carter said there should be a budget.
- Miriam Hyde said her committee will try to attend City Council meetings.
- Todd Claflin mentioned the upcoming bylaws proposed changes.
- Craig Carter said we are coming to an end of term and what will the process be for new appointments? Michael S will email the group asking for recommendations for new members. Current members whose terms are expiring should express interest in continuing.
- Discussion about the Architectural Barriers committee making the self-evaluation and the brochure priorities for next year.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

- Mary Guy-Sell would like to present "Accessibility Mapping Tools"
- Miriam Hyde suggested "Bylaws Proposal"