

Agenda Summary

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Commission Meeting City Hall Council Chambers One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ

Tuesday, October 22, 2024, 5:30 P.M.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Resolution R2015-047 that one or more members of the ADA Commission may participate telephonically. Voting procedures will remain as required by the Yuma City Charter and other applicable laws.

- A. CALL TO ORDER 5:33 PM
- B. ROLL CALL

Present 6-0: Virginia Avelar, Jessica Drake, Jason Giard, Leslie McClendon, Bill Mowczko, David Nickle

C. MOTION TO CONSENT AGENDA OF DRAFT MINUTES OF JULY 23, 2024 ACTION.

Motion (Mowczko/Nickle) to approve Minutes. Voice vote: Motion carried (6-0)

D. TRANSITION PLAN (ADOPTED BY COUNCIL SEPTEMBER 4, 2024) REPORTED.

Steve Wilson communicated and discussed.

- E. DEMONSTRATION OF WEBSITE INFORMATION.
 - **a.** Steve Wilson will give a demonstration on how to navigate the new ADA web link.
 - **b.** ADA Transition Plan, Notice Under the ADA, Title II Grievance Procedure, and Title II Grievance Form

Steve Wilson presented and discussed. Will follow-up with IT & Communications on possible ADA button/link on City homepage away from Boards & Commissions. Will create fillable form for Grievance policy.

F. Presentation by Kimley-Horn INFORMATION.

- a. Erin Eurek will present on the importance of an ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan, previous City efforts towards ADA compliance, initial observations from the 2024 Self-Evaluation, and the next steps for the 2024-2025 ADA Transition Plan update. Erin Eurek presented and discussed. Will provide list of completed categories in "Facility Renew Status" report for reference for commission. Draft reports will be ready for review by end of the year. Will follow-up with IT & Communications on possible notification of survey on City homepage.
- G. YUMA CLICK & FIX REPORTED.
 - a. Robert Duffy will give an update on ADA complaints from the SeeClickFix program.

Robert Duffy presented and discussed. Will follow-up on possibly updating description of application SeeClickFix to add ADA concerns.

H. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS DISCUSSED.

a. Feedback on 2024-2025 ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan update from disability advocates, individuals with disabilities, and other Stakeholders.

Chairman McClendon requested having each department present at a future meeting and relay how ADA impacts their department.

I. CALL TO THE PUBLIC DISCUSSED.

a. Members of the public may address the Commission on matters that are not listed on the agenda. The Commission cannot discuss or take legal action on any matter raised unless it is properly noticed for discussion and legal action. At the conclusion of the Call to the Public, individual Commission members may respond to criticism made by those who have addressed the Commission, may ask staff to review a matter or may ask that a matter be placed on a future agenda.

ADJOURNMENT 6:50 PM

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The Commission may vote to hold an executive session for the purpose of obtaining legal advice from the Commission's attorney on any matter listed on the agenda pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3).