



## Minutes of Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting

March 9, 2016

Arnprior and District Museum, Arnprior, ON

### **Present:**

Citizen Member, Tammy Bartel  
Citizen Member, Jane Dowd  
Citizen Member, David Furgoch  
Citizen Member, France Guillemette  
Citizen Member, Justin Halpenny

### **Also Present:**

Maureen Spratt, Town Clerk  
Kaila Zamojski, Deputy Clerk  
Lindsay Wilson, Marketing & Economic Dev. Officer

### **Absent:**

Chair, Mayor David Reid

In the absence of the Chair, Mayor David Reid, Committee Members unanimously appointed Justin Halpenny as the Chair of the March 9, 2016 Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting.

#### **1. Call to Order**

Chair Justin Halpenny called the Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting to order at 7:00 PM and welcomed those present.

#### **2. Adoption of Agenda**

Resolution No. AAAC001-16

Moved by David Furgoch

Seconded by Tammy Bartel

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the agenda for the Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee Meeting dated Wednesday, March 9, 2016, be adopted.

Resolution CARRIED

#### **3. Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest**

None

#### **4. Adoption of Minutes of Previous Meetings**

**a) Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee Minutes – September 9, 2015**

Resolution No. AAAC002-16

Moved by Jane Dowd

Seconded by David Furgoch

THAT the minutes of the Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee for September 9, 2015 be adopted.

Resolution CARRIED

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### 5. Presentations/ Delegations

#### a) **Community Development Department Report – Marketing & Economic Development Officer**

##### i. **Downtown Revitalization & Business Continuation**

The Marketing & Economic Development Officer (MEDO) provided a verbal update on the Downtown Revitalization project and Downtown Accessibility Grant, outlining the plans for business continuation during construction, as well as the anticipated accessible features of the project, and responded to questions.

The MEDO requested committee members to promote the Downtown Accessibility Grant Program to businesses they frequent as to the benefits, for individuals with accessibility needs.

#### b) **Clerk's Office Report(s) – Deputy Clerk**

##### i. **Age Friendly Community Plan Update**

The Deputy Clerk provided a verbal update on the status of the Age Friendly Community Plan, noting the Final Draft has been completed and was tabled at the February 22, 2016 Regular Meeting of Council. Council is anticipated to deliberate and approve the Age Friendly Community Plan at the March 14, 2016 Regular Meeting of Council.

##### ii. **2015 Multi-Year Accessibility Plan Status Report**

The Deputy Clerk provided information on the Town of Arnprior's 2015 Multi-Year Accessibility Plan Status Report, noting that it was approved by Council at their December 14, 2015 Regular Meeting. The Deputy Clerk also provided information on further achievements the Town is endeavouring to complete in 2016.

##### iii. **Province of Ontario – Accessible Parking Changes**

The Province of Ontario document on Accessible Parking Changes was provided to Committee Members for their information.

##### iv. **AMO- Repealed Sections of the ODA**

The AMO document on the Repealed Sections of the Ontario Disability Act (ODA) was provided to Committee Members for their information.

### 6. Matters Tabled/Deferred/Unfinished Business

Upon request of the Committee Members, the Deputy Clerk noted that the Director of Recreation will provide an update on the status of the accessibility concerns at the Nick Smith Centre in the near future.

### 7. NEW BUSINESS

None

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### 8. ADJOURNMENT

Resolution No. AAAC003-16

Moved by David Furgoch

Seconded by France Guillemette

THAT this meeting of the Arnprior Accessibility Advisory Committee be adjourned at 7:45PM.

Resolution CARRIED