



*Regional Clerk's Office
Corporate Services Department*

NOTICE OF MEETING

ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Regional **Accessibility Advisory Committee** will be held on **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24, 2009**, in the Seminar Room, York Region Administrative Centre, 17250 Yonge Street, in the Town of Newmarket, at **4:00 p.m.**

DENIS KELLY
REGIONAL CLERK

B. Bridle
June 18, 2009

Committee Members

Regional Councillor V. Spatafora, Chair
Regional Councillor J. Taylor
Regional Councillor D. Wheeler
J. Cameron
M. Gaukel
C. Gorlewski
B. Hall
D. Hardaker
K. Hill
D. Hordo
D. Humeniuk
W. Morley, Vice-Chair
T. Robichaud
Regional Chair B. Fisch, ex-officio

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DISCLOSURES OF INTERESTS

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A. PRESENTATIONS

1. **Emergency Disaster Planning**
Presentation by Beverley Verwey, Disaster Management Coordinator,
Canadian Red Cross, Region of York Branch.
2. **AODA Customer Service Regulation Update**
Presentation by Michelle Herder, Program Manager, Corporate Customer
Service Strategy, Office of the Chief Administrative Officer.
3. **MyRide Travel Training Pilot Update**
Presentation by Piragal Thiru, Planner – Accessible Services, York
Region Transit, Transportation Services Department.
4. **Access-ability: York Region's 2009 Accessibility Plan**
Presentation by Lisa Gonsalves, Manager, Program Development and
Delivery, Community and Health Services Department.

B. COMMUNICATIONS

1. Memo to the York Region Accessibility Advisory Committee from
Cordelia Abankwa-Harris, Managing Director, Strategic Service
Integration and Policy, Community and Health Services, June 11, 2009
regarding 'Item for Discussion (June 24, 2009) Accessibility Advisory
Committee Meeting: Establishing the York Region AAC's Priorities in
the Implementation of the Region's 2009 Accessibility Plan'.

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2. Copy of letter from Denis Kelly, Regional Clerk to Regional Councillor Vito Spatafora, Chair, York Region Accessibility Advisory Committee dated May 22, 2009 regarding 'Update on the Final Proposed Transportation Accessibility Standard'. **3**
3. Copy of letter from Denis Kelly, Regional Clerk to Regional Councillor Vito Spatafora, Chair, York Region Accessibility Advisory Committee dated May 22, 2009 regarding 'Update on the Proposed Accessible Information and Communications and Employment Accessibility Standards'. **13**
4. Copy of letter from Peter Hume, President, Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) dated May 20, 2009 to the Honourable Madeleine Meilleur, Minister of Community and Social Services regarding the 'Initial Draft Employment Accessibility Standard'. **23**
5. Copy of e-mail from Wilf Morley, Vice-Chair, York Region Accessibility Advisory Committee dated May 5, 2009 to Lois Davies, Program Manager, AODA/ODA regarding 'Repeat Applications for Wheel Trans, York Region Mobility Plus and Durham Transit'. **27**

C. OTHER BUSINESS

1. Donna Hardaker, York Region Accessibility Advisory Committee member, reporting back on the 'Accessibility Advisory Committee Regional Forum' held June 1, 2009.
2. Kirsten Hill, York Region Accessibility Advisory Committee member, reporting back on 'York Region Rapid Transit Corporation Seminar' held May 27, 2009.
3. Copy of article from York Region Media Group, dated June 11, 2009, regarding 'Making York Facilities Accessible'. **29**

ADJOURNMENT

Note: There may be additional items considered that do not appear on this Agenda. Please refer to the Committee Report to Council for all items considered at this meeting. See also Regional Council Agendas, Minutes and Reports at: www.york.ca