

- Physical accessibility and ADA accommodations.
- Building entrances, pathways, and parking accessibility.
- Signage and wayfinding.
- Accessibility of public counters, meeting rooms, and restrooms.
- Communication accessibility and public engagement accommodations; and
- General accessibility concerns impacting people with disabilities.

The Committee's observations and recommendations may be brought back to the full Commission on Disabilities for discussion and consideration. Any recommendations supported by the Commission may subsequently be forwarded to the appropriate City departments and/or City Council as appropriate.

The Commission on Disabilities is tasked with the following powers, duties, and functions per Section 2.66.040 of the Riverside Municipal Code:

1. Advise the City Council on all matters affecting people with disabilities in the community.
2. Review community policies, programs and actions which affect people with disabilities and make appropriate recommendations to the City Council.
3. Render advice and assistance as requested to other City boards and commissions, to City departments, and to private agencies on matters affecting people with disabilities.
4. Identify the needs of people with disabilities and create a public awareness of these needs in areas such as employment, housing, transportation, media, physical and communication accessibility and other needed areas.
5. Promote greater awareness of the changing life patterns, opportunities and responsibilities of people with disabilities.
6. Promote the total integration of people with disabilities into all aspects of community life.
7. Perform other functions and duties as may be directed by the City Council.

That the Ad Hoc Committee tour city facilities consistent with the Commission's mission and responsibilities to promote accessibility and inclusion throughout the community.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with this report.

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