



ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ACCESSIBILITY

Meeting held on Thursday, October 22, 2015
Dieppe Room – City Hall

MINUTES

Members present: Anita Belliveau, Community Representative
Paul Belliveau, Chair and Councillor
Patrick Brideau, Community Representative
Annie-Claude Légère, Community Representative
Dominique Manuel, Canadian National Institute for the Blind Representative
Christine Paulin, Community Representative
Luc Richard, Director of Corporate Affairs and Staff Representative (ex-officio)
Jamie Vautour, Community Representative
Tammy Wright, Ability NB Representative

Members absent: Melissa Grenier, Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work Representative

1. Welcoming remarks

Chair Paul Belliveau called the meeting to order and welcomed committee members.

2. Declaration of conflict of interest

None

3. Adoption of agenda

Addition (Luc Richard) – participatory budget project

Addition (Dominique Manuel) – invitation

Moved by Tammy Wright, seconded by Annie-Claude Légère.

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4. Approval of minutes

There are no minutes to approve since the last meeting failed to reach quorum.

5. New business and presentations

5.1 Study on adapted transportation

Luc Richard presents the study on adapted transportation by Mario Levesque from Mount Allison University and asks for recommendations on eligibility requirements.

Several comments were shared:

- It is suggested that a request from the mayor be sent to other levels of government.

- Contact taxis to determine if we could offer a service (e.g. level 2) to people who do not have a wheelchair.
- Luc will ask Mario for comparisons with other municipalities.

5.2 **Awareness week (Luc Richard)**

The Chair asks members to submit ideas for activities at the next meeting.

5.3 **Invitation (Dominique Manuel)**

Dominique suggests holding a joint meeting with the three municipalities to discuss shared challenges.

The Committee agrees unanimously.

5.4 **Participatory budget**

Luc informs the Committee of the dates and process.

6. **Next meeting**

Nicole will send a Doodle poll with potential dates to members.

7. **Adjournment**

7:20 p.m.