

Appendix I



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Public Vetting Meeting and Solicitation of Public Input

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Introduction

Per 28 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 35; Subpart D – Program Accessibility; §35.150 – Existing Facilities; (d) Transition Plan (1): The City shall provide an opportunity to interested persons, including individuals with disabilities or organizations representing individuals with disabilities, to participate in the development of the ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan by submitting comments.

In order to satisfy this requirement and to gain the perspective of persons with disabilities, a public vetting was held by the City on December 14, 2017, in Council Chambers, 8400 Laguna Palms Way, Elk Grove, CA at 6:30 p.m. where members of the public were invited to comment on and participate in the City's Draft ADA Self-Evaluation & Transition Plan. In addition, the City engages in communications with the public, via phone and/or email to gain further input.

Summary of Public Vetting

The City advertised the public vetting on various platforms including the City's website, social media, City Manager's blog, and direct mailing to over 44 individuals and organizations.

Four members of the public attended the public vetting and filled in the sign-in sheet provided in this document.

The presentation given by the City and access consultant at the public vetting is also provided in this document.

Solicitation of Public Input

The City also actively engages in communications with the public through the City's ADA Coordinator, via phone and/or email, to gain further input on the City's Draft ADA Self-Evaluation & Transition Plan. This form of communication is an alternative for members of the public who could not attend the public vetting held on December 14, 2017.

Communications held with the public through the City's ADA Coordinator regarding input on the City's Draft ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan are provided in this document.

Document 1: Public Vetting Advertisement



Join us for a public meeting

Thursday, December 14

6:30pm | Council Chambers, 8400 Laguna Palms Way

The City wants to ensure that our programs, services, and activities are accessible to our residents and visitors with disabilities. Please join us for a public meeting to provide your feedback and thoughts on the accessibility of City services. Your opinion is vital as we update our ADA planning documents (Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan).



For more information or questions about the meeting call Jim Ramsey (916)478-2250 or jramsey@elkgrovecity.org
elkgrovecity.org

ADA COMPLIANCE STATEMENT

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in this meeting, please contact Jim Ramsey at (916) 478-2250 / TTY 888-435-6092. Notification 48 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to ensure accessibility to this meeting.

Document 2: Invitation Mailing List for Public Vetting:

All member of the Elk Grove Disability Advisory Committee, including past members

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Elk Grove Unified School District
Scott Nelson, Risk Manager / ADA Coordinator
9510 Elk Grove-Florin Road #203
EG, CA 95624
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River City Chapter (Sacramento)
National Federation for the Blind
Tiffany Manosh
(916) 241-3274
nfbcrivercity@gmail.com
Location: State Capitol Building, Room 317
1315 10th Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

DaVita Elk Grove Dialysis
9281 Office Park Circle #105
Elk Grove, CA 95758
866-544-6741
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Hope for Healthy Families Council Center
Elk Grove
info@hopeforhealthyfamilies.org

Elk Grove Counseling
8920 Emerald Park Dr # A
Elk Grove, CA 95624
(916) 208-4784

Leader Dogs for the Blind
248-218-1084
leaderdog@leaderdog.org

United Cerebral Palsy
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Sacramento, CA 95822
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Elk Grove, CA 95624
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Mather, CA 95655
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Center for Autism
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Hope Unlimited – Autism & Aspergers Help
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Project RIDE
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VFW
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Elk Grove Area Mental Health Resources
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Community Counseling Center of Elk Grove
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WarmLine Family Resource Center - Support Groups
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ADD/ADHD – CHADD of Greater Sacramento
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Adoption/Special Needs
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Epilepsy Foundation – NorCal
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Tourette Association of America Greater Sacramento Support Group
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Etran – Paratransit

Elk Grove hearing Care Clinic
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City of Elk Grove Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan Update



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INTRODUCTIONS



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Agenda

- Overview & Project Approach
- Self-Evaluation Plan
- Transition Plan
- Final Steps
- Questions and Answers



OVERVIEW & PROJECT APPROACH



Overview

- Community organization input
- Alternative options & accommodations
- Record comments & suggestions



Project History

Transition Plan adopted in 2007

- Initial Self-Evaluation completed in 2005
- Sample of PRow (public-right-of-way) data
- 5 Facilities Surveys
- All data was obtained from prior City of Elk Grove surveys



Current Projects

Transition Plan

- Update codes to CBC 2016
- Prioritization of barriers
- Compile into single document



Self-Evaluation Plan

- Complete new plan



Project Approach



SELF-EVALUATION



Why do we need an ADA Self-Evaluation?

- Review all programs, services, and activities per US DOJ TAM: II-8.2000
- Constituents / Social Change
- Training & Guidance as needed
- Notice of ADA Compliance & Grievance Procedure



Self-Evaluation

Setting the Scope: US DOJ ADA TA Manual II-8.2000

- Transition Plan
- Policies that may limit or exclude
- Communication
- Auxiliary Aids and Services (Accommodations to the public)
- Emergency Management
- Awareness (Writing and Interacting with Persons with Disabilities)



Self-Evaluation

Setting the Scope: US DOJ ADA TA Manual II-8.2000

- Historic Sites
- Policy Modification Requests and Fundamental Alteration Determination
- Access to Public Meetings and Events
- Human Resources
- Construction Policies
- Training and Guidance for Staff
- Drug Policy



Self-Evaluation

Method and Deliverable

- Data Collection (Policy Review & Staff Interviews)
- The Self-Evaluation Report (Addressing Federal and State Law 28 CFR 35.103)
- The Implementation Work Plan
- Vetting
- Use as a 'Living Document'



TRANSITION PLAN



What is a Transition Plan?

28 CFR Section 35.150

1. List of barriers
(Barrier Assessment)
2. Mitigation solution
3. Schedule for barrier removal
4. Designating an
official responsible



Barrier Assessment

Identify City's existing information that limits the accessibility of its programs, services or activities to individuals with disabilities:

- City Buildings (Interior/Exterior)
- City Sidewalks, Curb Ramps and Pedestrian Signals (PRow)



Facilities



Mitigation Solution

Describe detailed methods of mitigation that will be used to make the City accessible to individuals with disabilities:

- Proposed Solution
- ADA Codes
- Costs Estimates



Barrier Ranking: Prioritization Criteria

- Frequency of Use
- Location
- Severity Level of Barriers
- Implementation Schedule

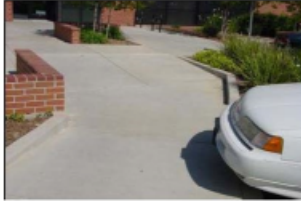


Mitigation Schedule

- Specify the schedule for taking necessary steps to achieve compliance with 28 CFR Part 35 - subpart D § 35.150
- Barrier Ranking Scores (higher priority items to be mitigated earlier)
- Funding sources (CIP, maintenance or general funds)
- Indicate the official responsible for implementation of the plan



Report Information

Item No. and Name	Existing Architectural Barrier and Proposed Solution	Codes / Mitigation Info	Qty	Unit	Cost	Total
Curb Ramp	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>SSA As-Built Description:</i> Detectable warning not provided where pedestrian crosses vehicular area. • <i>SSA Proposed Solution:</i> Provide detectable warning surface (i.e. in-line truncated domes) at regular curb ramp. 	ADAAG 4.7.7 ADA 2010 705.1 CBC 2016 11B-705.1.2.2 Priority 1 Severity 3	1	JOB	\$250	\$250
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Original Problem Description:</i> The concrete sidewalk curb ramp does not provide a detectable warning surface which includes truncated domes. • <i>Original Solution:</i> Install a detectable warning surface which extend the full length and width of the concrete curb ramp and its side flares with truncated domes that contrast visually by either light on dark or dark on light which is an integral part of the concrete curb ramp. The truncated domes may be cast in place or stamped or of a prefabricated surface treatment (see CBC 1127B.5.8). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Mitigation Status:</i> Non-Compliant • <i>Date of Repair:</i> N/A 				



FINAL STEPS



Implementation Plan

- Initiate interim accommodations
- Schedule design and construction
- Monitor & track compliance efforts
- Update document

The Transition Plan Becomes a 'Living Document'



QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

The Next Step...
**Listening and Responding to
Your Important Questions**



Document 5: Record Public Comments

The ADA Transition Plan and Self-Evaluation were presented during a public meeting held in the City of Elk Grove City Council Chambers on December 14, 2017. A small group of stakeholders provided input on the following issues:

1. Placement and size of paratransit waiting areas; this is likely to be an issue under the control of the paratransit system rather than the City of Elk Grove.
2. The number of accessible parking places available to persons with parking placards.
3. Association with issue number two, questions arose regarding the City's code enforcement authority. Clearly, the scoping of parking spaces in accessible public parking lots is under the control of the California Building Standards Commission and federal regulation.
4. Concern was also raised regarding the use of service animals in public spaces. This of course is a federal and state matter and not controlled throughout the community by City government.
5. The City expressed the desire to obtain a broader spectrum of important issues than was available by the participants within the vetting meeting. The ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan is a living document and input from stakeholders is welcomed at any point in time.