

Town of Aylmer

Report CAO 79-20



Report Title:	Annual Accessibility Plan Status Report
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Recommendation:

That Report CAO 79-20 entitled Annual Accessibility Plan Status Report be received for information.

Background and Analysis:

The Town of Aylmer is required and committed to prepare an annual status report on the progress of measures taken to implement the strategies outlined in the multi-year accessibility plan.

Attached with this annual update is the Town's multi-year report along with the Provincial requirements for public sector organizations and the required dates to meet these requirements.

In 2019 the Town was required to file a compliance report. This was completed and reported to Council last year. There are no legislative requirements in 2020. The next compliance report is required by December 31, 2021.

There is a requirement to have all websites and web content accessible by January 1, 2021. Council awarded a tendered web design contract at the October 5, 2020 meeting. Compliance for the AODA legislation was one reason for the recommended and approved 2020 project.

The attached status report for the Town of Aylmer will continue to remove barriers to people with disabilities. Efforts made are communicated to Council through the development of a multi-year accessibility plan and annual status report.

Respectfully submitted,
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