

THE CORPORATION OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF HORNEPAYNE



Annual
Accessibility Status Report
2019

The Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2001

The Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005

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Objectives and Purpose

This is the Multi-Year Accessibility Plan 2018-2022 Annual Status Report for the Township of Hornepayne.

In 2018 the Township released a Multi-Year Accessibility Plan, in accordance with the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005 (AODA) and the Integrated Accessibility Standards Regulation, Ontario Regulation 191/11 (IASR). The plan outlines the Township's strategy to prevent and remove barriers to accessibility, which includes how phased in requirements under the AODA will be met.

This Status Report demonstrates the progress made by the Township in working towards accessibility at municipal facilities.

Commitment

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Hornepayne is committed to:

- The provision of quality services to all members of the community, including those with disabilities;
- Meeting the needs of people with disabilities in as timely a manner as possible, by preventing and removing barriers to accessibility and meeting accessibility requirements set by applicable legislation such as the AODA, ODA, Human Rights Code and the IASR;
- The continuous improvement of access to all municipally owned facilities, premises and services for all those with disabilities; and,
- Treating all residents in a way that allows them to maintain their dignity and independence.

The Township of Hornepayne's Multi-Year Accessibility Plan (2018-2022) and reports demonstrate our commitment to making accessibility a part of everyday business. Accessibility planning will apply to areas identified in the IASR i.e., Customer Service, Employment, Information & Communication, Transportation and Design of Public Spaces.

Given the limited resources available, the major stumbling block identified in implementing the plan is the availability of funds. However, the Township of Hornepayne commits to the efficient use of available resources and to taking advantage of funding opportunities as they become available to aid in the implementation of future Accessibility Plans in order to continue to build upon and improve its accessibility practices.

Contact Information

The Multi-Year Accessibility Plan and Annual Status Report for the Township of Hornepayne are available at the Municipal Office at:

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Barriers	Type of Barrier	Strategy for Removal or Prevention	Date Completed
Municipal Office parking	Physical	Parking space must be designated and marked, and parking by-law enforced	2016
Municipal Office	Architectural	Ramp for main entrance	2016
Municipal Office	Physical/Architectural	Install automatic door openers	2017
Arena Bleachers	Architectural	Accessible Viewing Platform	2018
Arena/Curling Club	Physical/Architectural	Install automatic door openers	2018
Uneven & pitted sidewalks	Physical	Replace sidewalks	2018/19
Website	Technological	Institute more features to improve website accessibility	2019

