



## Meeting Minutes

### ADA Community Forum 2021 – 1st Quarter

**Date:** Thursday March 11, 2021, 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Location:** Virtual Google Meet (14 people in attendance)

**Subject:** Self-Evaluations, Transition Plans, Effective Communications, Accessibility Prioritization Committee, Web Accessibility

**Accommodations:** Captioning via Google Meet

**Introduction:** Rob Hernandez, ADA Manager opened with introductions and agenda overview. Meeting began at 1:04 p.m.

#### **Self-Evaluations**

Rob Hernandez gave an overview of Self-Evaluation projects ongoing. Mike Killebrew provided status updates on Meadows Park Community Center, Westside Community Center, Hillside Community, Palmer Park, Pikes Peak Summit, Garden of the Gods, Helen Hunt, Sertich Ice Center, CSPD Properties, and Memorial Park Beach House.

#### **Effective Communication**

Rob Hernandez gave an overview of the City's progress in installing Hearing Loops, managing VRS and VRI services, and identifying best practices in ASL interpreters. Mr. Hernandez discussed the progress made in technology and Effective Communication to resolve the availability of interpreters.

#### **Accessibility Prioritization Committee/Web Accessibility**

Kevin McDaniel provided an overview of the City's progress in its efforts to execute Administrative Regulation 2020-02, which requires the City have accessible online technology to the maximum extent feasible by June 30, 2022, which includes Accessibility Prioritization Committee initiatives and processes, digital document accessibility, accessible web documents, and City standards that improve accessibility online.

#### **Comments**



Vickie Pacheco asked how the City identified locations for counter loops and how documents can be searched for specific projects and features. Mr. Hernandez stated that the City continued to evaluate locations for loop technology and advised Ms. Pacheco that projects could be searched online via the City's transition plans. Ms. Pacheco inquired about hearing loop technology at the Garden of the Gods' visitor center. Mr. Hernandez stated that the Visitor Center was a location in which a counter loop would be installed.

Meeting adjourned at 2:00 p.m.