

**ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
MINUTES
8TH FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM
January 25, 2007
2:00 P.M.**

The Accessibility Advisory Committee met at the above place and date. The meeting was called to order at 2:10 P.M. The following committee members answered roll call:

Arne Schonberger	Olivia Chavez
Willie Padilla	Susan Leech
Fred Gromand	William Bennett
Jim Frazer	James Peterson
Olga Juarez	

The following visitors were present:
Ruby Ransom

The following members were not present:

Eric Reed (E)	Martin Wagner (E)
Kay Duff	
Sergio Reyes	

AGENDA

- I. WELCOME / ROLL CALL
- II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF December 14, 2006.
- III. DISCUSSION AND ACTION
 - A. Audible Traffic Control Devices.
 - B. Subcommittee reports for Goals and Objectives.
 - Supportive Employment
 - Taxi Ordinance
 - Sensitivity Training
 - Transition Plan for the City
 - Barrier Free Construction
 - C. Appeals for Sun Metro Eligibility Denials
 - D. Formal complaints regarding ADA/Accessibility Compliance.
 - E. Plan Reviews.
 - F. Next Meeting Agenda, Date and Location. (2-22-2007)
- IV. ANNOUNCEMENTS
- V. ADJOURNMENT

Item 1. Welcome/Roll Call
Roll call was taken and a quorum was confirmed.

Item 2. Approval of Minutes of December 14, 2006.
A motion was made by Willie Padilla, seconded by Susan Leech, and unanimously approved to accept the minutes of December 14, 2006.

AYES: Arne Schonberger, Olivia Chavez, Willie Padilla, Susan Leech, Fred Gromand

NAYS: None.

ABSTAIN: None.

Item 3. Discussion and Action

A. Audible Traffic Control Devices.

Comments were made by William Bennett and Olivia Chavez.

No action was taken on this item.

B. Subcommittee Reports for Goals and Objectives.

Supportive Employment

Comments were made by William Bennett, Olivia Chavez, Fred Gromand, Arne Schonberger, Susan Leech, Willie Padilla, Jim Fraser, James Peterson, and Ruby Ransom.

A motion was made by Arne Schonberger, seconded by Willie Padilla, and unanimously approved to try to get supportive employment into the City Charter Amendments.

AYES: Arne Schonberger, Olivia Chavez, Willie Padilla, Susan Leech, Fred Gromand

NAYS: None.

ABSTAIN: None.

Taxi Ordinance

Comments were made by Olivia Chavez, William Bennett, James Peterson, Jim Fraser, Fred Gromand, and Susan Leech.

No action was taken on this item.

Sensitivity Training

Comments were made by Olivia Chavez, Fred Gromand, Susan Leech, and William Bennett.

No action was taken on this Item.

Transition Plan for the City

Comments were made by William Bennett, Olivia Chavez, Susan Leech, Fred Gromand, Arne Schonberger, and Willie Padilla.

A motion was made by Arne Schonberger, seconded by Willie Padilla, and unanimously approved to provide a rough draft of the Plan by the March meeting.

AYES: Arne Schonberger, Olivia Chavez, Willie Padilla, Susan Leech, Fred Gromand

NAYS: None.

ABSTAIN: None

Barrier Free Construction

Comments were made by William Bennett, Olivia Chavez, Jim Fraser, Arne Schonberger, and Fred Gromand.

No Action was taken on this item.

C. Appeals for Sun Metro Eligibility Denials.

Comments were made by James Peterson, Olivia Chavez, Arne Schonberger, Jim Fraser, Susan Leech, Willie Padilla, and Fred Gromand.

No Action was taken on this item.

D. Formal complaints regarding ADA/Accessibility Compliance.

No formal complaints were received. Several informal complaints were received. Comments were made by Arne Schonberger, Olivia Chavez, Willie Padilla, Susan Leech, Fred Gromand, James Peterson, Jim Fraser, and William Bennett.

No action was taken.

E. Plan Reviews.

William Bennett, James Peterson, Fred Gromand, and Jim Fraser made comments.

No action was taken on this item.

F. Next Meeting Agenda, Date and Location (2-22-2007)

A motion was made, seconded, and approved unanimously to have the meeting at 12:00 on February 22, 2007, in the conference room outside the Accessibility Coordinator's office on the 9th floor.

Item 4. Announcements

Announcements were made by Ruby Ransom, Fred Gromand, Olivia Chavez, and William Bennett.

Item 5. Adjournment

A motion was made by Willie Padilla, seconded by Fred Gromand, and unanimously approved to adjourn the meeting at 3:40.

AYES: Arne Schonberger, Olivia Chavez, Willie Padilla, Susan Leech, Fred Gromand

NAYS: None.

ABSTAIN: None

Approved as to Form:

William Bennett
Accessibility and ADA Coordinator