

2023 WORK PLAN FOR DISABILITY ACCESS COMMISSION

2023 Initiatives

Goals or Objectives	PROJECT	OUTCOMES	TIMEFRAME	COST (if any)
Advise Village on access issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to collaborate with other citizen commissions and Village staff on cross-relevant issues • Work with Village to update outside seating ordinance • Participate in implementation of Oak Park Climate Action Plan • Engage with the Oak Park River Forest Foundation on the Community Voices Report 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Educate other commissions on disability issues and work collaboratively to address those issues. 2. Improve accessibility within the Village. 	<i>By end of 2023</i>	
Bring persons with disability into mainstream and public education	Education/outreach events	<p>Participate in at least 3 outreach event(s), such as Farmer's Market, Dinners & Dialog, Sponsored events, Access awards, Day in the Village and health fairs, to promote disability awareness and community involvement</p> <p>Host a Disability Access Commission Logo Contest</p>	2023	\$300.00
Promote disability access throughout village.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review Disability Guidebook/WEB to ensure current information, reprint booklet and post any updates on online version 2. Conduct meeting rotation in community locations 3. Increase community presence through media (such as social media) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide resource information for people with disabilities in Oak Park. • Become accessible to our target population, hear public voices and address accessibility concerns. • Increase awareness of our commission and disability related issues. 	2023	\$500.00

* New/change items highlighted in red

Notes:

- 2023 budget cost \$800. 2024 budget cost \$3,000.
- Two items were not continued from 2023.
- Five items are added to 2024.

2024 Initiatives

Goals or Objectives	PROJECT	OUTCOMES	TIMEFRAME	COST (if any)
Advise Village on access issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collaborate with other citizen commissions and Village staff on cross-relevant issues. Participate in implementation of Oak Park Climate Action Plan. Participate in Facilities Review Committee. Participate in Streetscape and Parkway Activities. Index Existing Village and Community Resources into central disability guide 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Educate other commissions on disability issues and work collaboratively to address intersectional issues. Improve accessibility within the Village. Attend Transportation Commission meetings and collaborate on Transportation Commission Projects. Publication of updated Disability Guide 	2024	
Bring persons with disability into mainstream and public education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Education/outreach events Community Survey Logo Contest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participate in at least 3 outreach events in the Village of Oak Park Share widely, including electronically, Oak Park Disability Survey. Organize and Executive public process for development of Commission Logo. 	2024	\$3,000
Promote disability access throughout village	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Disability WEB page to provide input on current and useful information. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide resource information for people with disabilities in Oak Park. Become accessible to our target population, hear public voices and 	2024	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conduct meeting rotation in community locations. • Increase community presence through media (such as social media). • Conduct Capacity Review of Oak Park Businesses to determine employer readiness and ability to support disabled employees • Increase awareness and implementation of existing access ordinances and laws. 	<p>address accessibility concerns.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase awareness of our commission and disability related issues. • Create social media page specific to Disability Access Commission or engage in Disability Oak Park Facebook Page 		
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