

EX29.39**Decision Letter****Toronto Accessibility Advisory Committee**

Meeting No.	17	Contact	Janice Dicks, Committee Secretary
Meeting Date	Wednesday, October 25, 2017	Phone	416-338-5089
Start Time	9:30 AM	E-mail	janice.dicks@toronto.ca
Location	Committee Room 1, City Hall	Chair	Councillor Kristyn Wong-Tam

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Public Appointments at the City of Toronto**Committee Decision**

The Toronto Accessibility Advisory Committee recommends to the Executive Committee that:

1. The Accessibility Consultant, Equity, Diversity and Human Rights, in consultation with the City Clerk, review and seek input from the Toronto Accessibility Advisory Committee members on potential improvements to the strategy for engaging the community of people with disabilities in the public appointments process, including additional outreach and improved accommodation throughout the process and in participation on all agencies, boards and committees and report to a future meeting of the Toronto Accessibility Advisory Committee.
2. The City Clerk report annually to the Toronto Accessibility Advisory Committee regarding the strategy for engaging the community of people with disabilities in the public appointments process, and include updates on the targeted percentages and the various methods being used to reach out to the community of people with disabilities.

Decision Advice and Other Information

The Administrator, Public Appointments, City Clerk's Office gave a presentation to the Toronto Accessibility Advisory Committee on Public Appointments at the City of Toronto.

Summary

Matthew Cowley, Administrator, Public Appointments, City Clerk's Office will give a presentation on the current strategy of engaging under-represented communities, including the disability community, for involvement in consultations, and involvement with and on City boards, agencies and committees.

Background Information

Presentation by the Administrator, Public Appointments, City Clerk's Office on Public Appointments at the City of Toronto

(<http://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/mmis/2017/di/bgrd/backgroundfile-107742.pdf>)