

ADA REVIEW COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, December 3, 2008
4:00pm – City Conference Area

Roll Call was made. Quorum was met. Official business can be conducted.

Members present: Mark Searing, Alderman Kuhlemier, Sandy Lichner, Kathy Fischer and Richard Downey.

Members absent: Michael Mohr, Alan Petersohn and Mayor Blanton

Meeting started at 4:00pm.

First item of Business – Approval of previous month’s minutes (11/05/08) - Members were given a copy of minutes for their approval. Members voted to approve the minutes as presented.

Second item of Business - Update on city’s proposed ADA ordinance - This item will be dropped from agenda for ordinance has been adopted and implemented.

Next Item of Business – City Accessibility Plan – Discussion on how the city can apply for grants from IDOT for safe routes to area schools. Richard will look into the possibility of securing these grants.

Next item of Business – handicapped parking – Discussion was held on setting time limits in handicapped parking spaces on the east side of the 200 block of First Avenue. Richard will check into putting time limits on these areas.

Discussion was held on an upcoming seminar. Mark is still trying to set a date with the attorney general’s office at this time. Kathy Fisher asked if government buildings have to be totally compliant with the ADA requirements. Mark will check into this.

Discussion was held on applying for a NSP housing grant. Richard reported that rules for this grant will be set in January 2009 and then the city will apply.

With no further discussion being held, the meeting was adjourned at 4:50pm. Next month’s meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 7, 2009 at 4:00pm at the city hall complex.

Respectfully submitted,

Mark A. Searing, Chairman