

# Accessibility Advisory Committee

## Report

7th Meeting of the Accessibility Advisory Committee  
July 25, 2019  
Committee Room #4

Attendance                   PRESENT: J. Madden (Chair), G. Ashford-Smith, A. Bueschleb, M. Dawthorne, T. Eadinger, N. Judges, P. Moore, P. Quesnel, D. Ruston and J. Wilson and J. Bunn (Secretary)

ABSENT: G. LaHay, J. Menard and K. Steinmann

ALSO PRESENT: K. Husain, S. Khan, N. Musicco and M. Stone

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 PM.

### 1. Call to Order

#### 1.1 Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest

That it BE NOTED that no pecuniary interests were disclosed.

### 2. Scheduled Items

#### 2.1 Accessible Taxi Incentive Program Update

That it BE NOTED that the attached presentation from N. Musicco, Specialist I, Municipal Policy, with respect to an update on the Accessible Taxi Incentive Program, was received.

#### 2.2 Overview and Introduction of Roles

That it BE NOTED that verbal delegations from M. Stone, Specialist, Accessibility and S. Khan, Specialist II, Diversity & Inclusion, with respect to an overview and introduction of their roles with the City of London, were received.

### 3. Consent

#### 3.1 6th Report of the Accessibility Advisory Committee

That it BE NOTED that the 6th Report of the Accessibility Advisory Committee, from the meeting held on June 27, 2019, was received.

#### 3.2 Municipal Council Resolution - Draft Parks and Recreation Master Plan

That it BE NOTED that the Municipal Council resolution, from the meeting held on June 25, 2019, with respect to the Draft Parks and Recreation Master Plan, was received.

#### 3.3 2020 Mayor's New Year's Honour List - Call for Nominations

That it BE NOTED that the communication dated July 2, 2019, from C. Saunders, City Clerk, with respect to the 2020 Mayor's New Years Honour List Call for Nominations, was received.

### 4. Sub-Committees and Working Groups

None.

**5. Items for Discussion**

5.1 City of London Sidewalk Review

That the communication dated July 17, 2019, submitted by G. LaHay, with respect to a City of London Sidewalk Review, BE DEFERRED to the August 22, 2019 meeting of the Accessibility Advisory Committee.

5.2 Accessibility Advisory Committee Orientation

That it BE NOTED that the Accessibility Advisory Committee Orientation presentation, as appended to the agenda, submitted by M. Dawthorne, was received.

**6. Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 5:00 PM.

From: Musicco, Nicole

Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2019 11:27 AM

To: Bunn, Jerri-Joanne <jbunn@London.ca>

Subject: RE: ACCAC Meeting - July 25

Ok great thanks so much.

Yes, I plan on attending for sure. I plan to make a 5-10 minute presentation.

Summary of content to be presented: (let me know if this is enough information)

Topic: Accessible Taxi Incentive Program Update

Presenter: Nicole Musicco – Specialist Municipal Policy, Development and Compliance Services

- To provide an update on the Accessible Taxi Incentive Program.
- Discuss the options that Staff have been exploring with the Legal Department.
- A breakdown and statics of the Taxi Industry.
- An update on a new Get Involved Accessible Taxi Survey.

Thanks Jerri,

Nicole

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# Accessible Taxi Incentive Update

## Accessibility Advisory Committee



Presenter: Nicole Musicco  
Specialist, Municipal Policy  
Development & Compliance Services  
Date: July 25, 2019



# Exploring Accessible Taxi Incentives

- Accessible
- Safe
- Available
- Affordable
- Sustainable



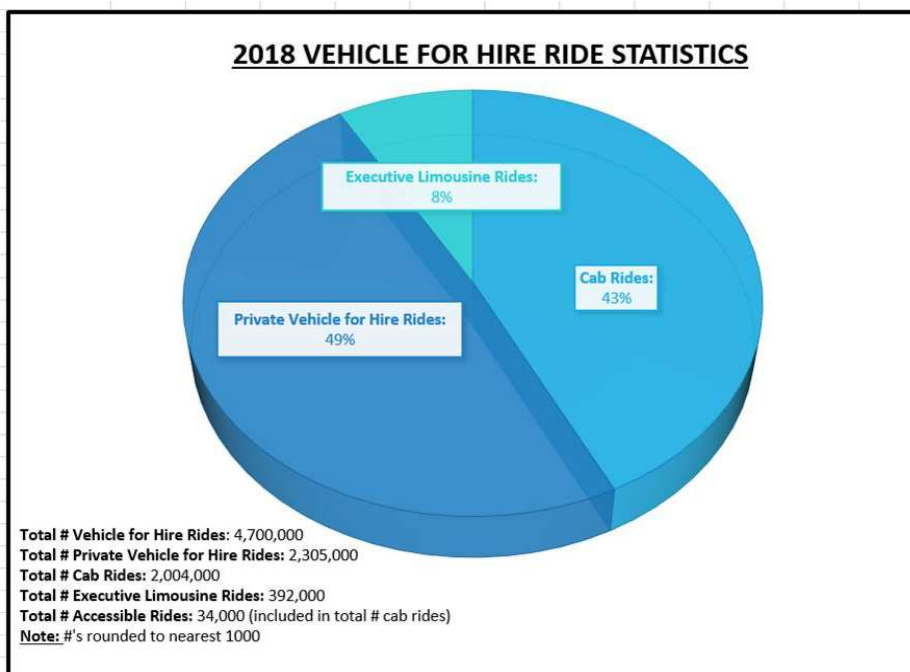


## Current Structure Statistics

- Number of brokers in London:
  - **Taxi (4)**
    - YourTaxi London
    - London Yellow Taxi
    - Green Transportation
    - U-Need-A Cab
  - **Limo (2)**
    - Checker Limousine
    - Green Transportation
  - **Transportation Network Company (1)**
    - UBER
- Statistics:
  - 1 cab plate for every 1100 citizens
  - 1 accessible plate for every 12 taxi plates
  - 353 licensed cabs with 20 accessible cabs (29 available)



## 2018 Vehicle For Hire Ride Statistics





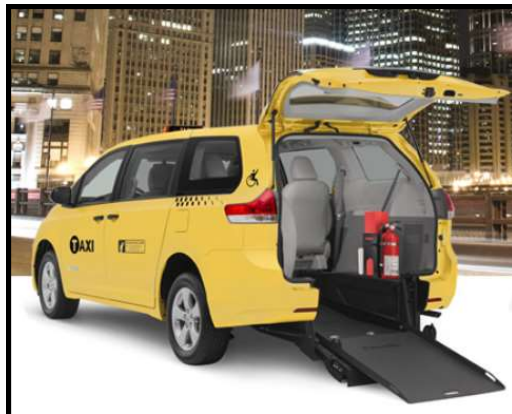
## What are other cities doing?

City	Surcharges to fund Accessible Vehicles	Subsidies	Additional Incentives	Central Dispatch
Calgary	-\$0.30 per trip. -One-time funding request of \$350K in 2019 and \$350K in 2020 to support a two-year Centralized Dispatch pilot project	\$5000/year in grants and incentives (to a maximum of \$40,000) over 8 years.	Incentives provided for days on road, vehicle inspections, minimal complaints on vehicle, cordless debit machines.	Yes
Edmonton	\$50/year per accessible vehicle.	TBD	Accessible Licence fee reduction.	No
Hamilton	None	\$5.00 flat rate to all qualified accessible taxi drivers for each trip/	None	No
Montreal	None	\$15,000 provincial vehicle conversion subsidy.	None	No
Ottawa	\$0.07 per trip	Currently working on potential subsidies.	No annual accessible licence fee	No
Toronto	None	None	Accessible licence fee reduced	No
Chicago	-\$0.10 per TNC trip. -\$22/month licence fees for non-WAV vehicles.	-Up to \$20,000 capital on new vehicle and up to \$5000 annual operating.	Airport fast lane voucher for accessible vehicles. Free medallion to annual "Excellence Award" winner.	Yes
New York	\$0.30 per taxi trip	Up to \$30,000 capital and operating subsidy distributed over 4 years (\$14,000 up front) and \$10-\$30 per trip for trips booked through Accessible dispatch service.	\$0.50 for every trip taken in an accessible vehicle.	Yes



## Intended Outcomes

Mitigate Costs to drivers and customers.  
Improve Service.





## Get Involved Survey

- Next week, an Accessible Taxi Survey will be posted to <https://getinvolved.london.ca>.
- Gain a better understanding of the amount of on-demand accessible taxicabs required in the community.

# Get Involved London



**Questions/ Comments**

**Thank you.**



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# Accessibility Advisory Committee

## Report

The 6th Meeting of the Accessibility Advisory Committee  
June 27, 2019  
Committee Room #4

Attendance PRESENT: J. Madden (Chair), G. Ashford-Smith, A. Bueschleb, M. Dawthorne, T. Eadinger, N. Judges, G. LaHay, J. Menard, P. Moore, P. Quesnel, D. Ruston and J. Wilson and J. Bunn (Secretary)

ABSENT: K. Steinmann

ALSO PRESENT: D. Baxter, M. Beharrell, J. Devito, D. Diegel, K. Husain, M. Schulthess and M. Stone

The meeting was called to order at 3:01 PM.

### 1. Call to Order

#### 1.1 Orientation

That it BE NOTED that the Accessibility Advisory Committee heard a verbal presentation from M. Schulthess, Deputy City Clerk, with respect to an Advisory Committee orientation.

#### 1.2 Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest

That it BE NOTED that no pecuniary interests were disclosed.

#### 1.3 Election of Chair and Vice Chair for the term ending November 30, 2019

That it BE NOTED that the Accessibility Advisory Committee elected J. Madden and J. Menard as Chair and Vice Chair, respectively, for the term ending November 30, 2019.

### 2. Scheduled Items

#### 2.1 2019 Facility Accessibility Design Standards

That it BE NOTED that the attached presentation from J. Devito, Manager, Facilities Design & Construction, with respect to Facility Accessibility Design Standards, was received.

### 3. Consent

#### 3.1 4th and 5th Reports of the Accessibility Advisory Committee

That it BE NOTED that the 4th and 5th Reports of the Accessibility Advisory Committee (ACCAC), from the meetings held on April 25, 2019 and May 23, 2019, respectively, were received; it being further noted that the ACCAC took no further action with respect to the Draft Lambeth Area Community Improvement Plan (CIP) from the 4th Report of the ACCAC.

#### 3.2 Municipal Council Resolution - 3rd, 4th and 5th Reports of the Accessibility Advisory Committee

That it BE NOTED that the Municipal Council resolution, from its meeting held on June 11, 2019, with respect to the 3rd, 4th and 5th Reports of the Accessibility Advisory Committee, was received.

3.3 Town of Innisful – Facility Accessibility Design Standards

That it BE NOTED that the communication dated June 6, 2019, from T. Wellhauser, Division Manager, Facilities, with respect to the use of the City of London's 2007 Facility Accessibility Design Standards (FADS) by the Town of Innisful, was received.

**4. Sub-Committees and Working Groups**

4.1 Sub-Committees Report

That it BE NOTED that the Built Environment and Education and Awareness Sub-Committee Report, from its meeting held on May 8, 2019, was received.

**5. Items for Discussion**

None.

**6. Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 4:41 PM.



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June 26, 2019

L. Livingstone  
Managing Director, Neighbourhood, Children and Fire Services

S. Stafford  
Managing Director, Parks and Recreation

I hereby certify that the Municipal Council, at its meeting held on June 25, 2019 resolved:

That, on the recommendation of the Managing Directors of Parks and Recreation and Neighbourhood, Children and Fire Services, the following actions be taken with respect to the Draft Parks and Recreation Master Plan:

- a) the above-noted Plan BE ADOPTED;
- b) the Civic Administration BE DIRECTED to proceed with implementation of the Plan; it being noted that any/all implementation will be subject to funding through the multi-year budget process; and,
- c) the Civic Administration BE DIRECTED to continue to consult with the Environmental and Ecological Planning Advisory Committee (EEPAC) and the Accessibility Advisory Committee (ACCAC) as the above-noted plan is implemented;

it being noted that the Civic Administration will undertake to provide a glossary of terms for use and inclusion in future iterations of the Master Plan;

it being further noted that verbal delegations from S. Levin, EEPAC and J. Madden, ACCAC, with respect to this matter, were received. (2019-R04) (3.3/7/CPSC)

C. Saunders  
City Clerk  
/dt

cc: A.L. Barbon, Managing Director, Corporate Services and City Treasurer, CFO  
J. M. Fleming, Managing Director, Planning and City Planner  
D. Baxter, Manager, Policy and Planning  
P. D'Hollander, Manager IV, Neighbourhood Operations  
A. MacPherson, Manager, Parks Planning and Operations  
L. Loubert, Division Manager, Aquatics and Arenas  
J.P. McGonigle, Division Manager, Culture, Special Events and Sport Services

K. Scott, Executive Assistant to the Manager Director, Neighbourhood, Children and Fire Services

C. Kotsovos, Executive Assistant to the Managing Director, Parks and Recreation

K. Powell, Interim Executive Assistant to the Managing Director, Corporate Services and City Treasurer, CFO

Chair and Members, Accessibility Advisory Committee

Chair and Members, Environmental and Ecological Planning Advisory Committee



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July 2, 2019

To: Accessibility Advisory Committee  
Advisory Committee on the Environment  
Age Friendly London Network  
Community Safety and Crime Prevention Advisory Committee  
Diversity, Inclusion and Anti-Oppression Advisory Committee  
London Advisory Committee on Heritage  
London Arts Council  
London Housing Advisory Committee  
London Sports Council

Re: **2020 Mayor’s New Year’s Honour List – Call for Nominations**

Each year London City Council enlists the assistance of London’s advisory committees and community organizations to nominate citizens for the Mayor’s New Year’s Honour List, which recognizes long-standing contributions to the London community.

Please consider nominating a London citizen who is worthy of this honour in the category for which your organization is responsible, as follows:

NOMINATING BODY	CATEGORY	REPORTS TO
Accessibility Advisory Committee	Accessibility	Community and Protective Services Committee
Age Friendly London Network	Age Friendly	
Community Safety and Crime Prevention Advisory Committee	Safety and Crime Prevention	
Diversity, Inclusion and Anti-Oppression Advisory Committee	Humanitarianism	
Diversity, Inclusion and Anti-Oppression Advisory Committee	Diversity and Race Relations	
London Arts Council	The Arts	
London Sports Council	Sports	
London Housing Advisory Committee	Housing	
Advisory Committee on the Environment	Environment	Planning and Environment Committee
London Advisory Committee on Heritage	Heritage	

Please make your recommendation in confidence through the appropriate Standing Committee. All nominations must be received by the appropriate Standing Committee **no later than 9 a.m. Friday, October 11, 2019**, to be included on the agenda for recommendation to Council October 29, 2019. This timetable ensures that the slate of honourees is finalized in time to notify the recipients and arrange the recognition event.

For your information and assistance, I have enclosed a list of the previous recipients (no individual can be recognized more than once in their lifetime), together with a copy of the Council Policy which details the criteria and process to be followed.

Thank you very much for your expert assistance in this nomination process, and for your cooperation in meeting the submission deadline.

Cathy Saunders  
City Clerk

Attachments (3)

cc: Mayor Ed Holder



# Mayor's New Year's Honour List Nomination Form

**Note:** Please refer to City Council's *Mayor's New Year's Honour List Policy*, for the criteria governing the nomination of individuals.

## NOTICE OF COLLECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION

The personal information collected on this form is collected under the authority of the *Municipal Act 2001 as amended*, and will be used to administer the Mayor's New Year's Honour List program. Questions about this collection should be addressed to the City Clerk at 300 Dufferin Avenue, London, Ontario, N6A 4L9. Tel: (519) 661-CITY (2489) ext. 4937.

### A. Nominee information

Name				
Street address		City	Province	Postal code
Daytime telephone number	/ extension	Home telephone number	E-mail address	

### B. Nominator information

Name			Date	
Street address		City	Province	Postal code
Daytime telephone number	/ extension	Home telephone number	E-mail address	

### C. Nomination category (check one):

- Accessibility** (i.e. contributions to foster an environment of inclusion that embraces citizens of all abilities)
- Age Friendly** (i.e. contributions to empowering older adults and advancing an age friendly community)
- Arts** (i.e. contributions to fostering and/or the production of human creativity)
- Diversity and Race Relations** (i.e. contributions to the elimination of hate and discrimination)
- Environment** (i.e. contributions to the awareness, preservation and protection of the environment)
- Heritage** (i.e. contributions to the awareness, preservation and protection of heritage resources)
- Housing** (i.e. contributions to the provision of safe and accessible housing for all members of the community)
- Humanitarianism** (i.e. contributions to human welfare through philanthropic and other efforts)
- Safety and Crime Prevention** (i.e. contributions to a safe and secure community)
- Sports** (i.e. contributions to the awareness of and participation in sports activity and/or demonstrated excellence within a particular sports activity)

### D. Reason for nomination

Please provide a summary of the nominee's contributions as related to the applicable criteria. *(May continue to next page)*

Please provide a summary of the nominee's contributions as related to the applicable criteria. (*continued*)



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## **Mayor's New Year's Honour List Policy**

**Policy Name:** Mayor's New Year's Honour List Policy

**Legislative History:** Adopted June 13, 2017 (By-law No. CPOL.-18-214); Amended July 24, 2018 (By-law No. CPOL.-18(b)-390)

**Last Review Date:** April 15, 2019

**Service Area Lead:** City Clerk

### **1. Policy Statement**

- 1.1 This policy establishes the Mayor's New Year's Honour List for the recognition of persons who have contributed in an outstanding manner to the community of London in one of the categories of Accessibility, Age Friendly, Arts, Diversity and Race Relations, Environment, Heritage, Housing, Humanitarianism, Safety & Crime Prevention and Sports.

### **2. Definitions**

- 2.1 Not applicable.

### **3. Applicability**

- 3.1 This Council policy applies to all persons who have contributed in an outstanding manner to the community of London in prescribed categories.

### **4. The Policy**

#### **4.1 Categories**

Persons may be recognized in any of the following categories:

- a) Accessibility (i.e. contributions to foster an environment of inclusion that embraces citizens of all abilities);
- b) Age Friendly (i.e. contributions to empowering older adults and advancing an age friendly community);
- c) Arts (i.e. contributions to fostering and/or the production of human creativity);
- d) Diversity and Race Relations (i.e. contributions to the elimination of hate and discrimination).
- e) Environment (i.e. contributions to the awareness, preservation and protection of the environment);
- f) Heritage (i.e. contributions to the awareness, preservation and protection of heritage resources);
- g) Housing (i.e. contributions to the provision of safe and accessible housing for all members of the community);
- h) Humanitarianism (i.e. contributions to human welfare through philanthropic and other efforts);
- i) Safety & Crime Prevention (i.e. contributions to a safe and secure community); or



- j) Sports (i.e. contributions to the awareness of and participation in sports activity and/or demonstrated excellence within a particular sports activity).

#### 4.2 Nominating Committees/Organizations

The following Committees/Organizations shall nominate individuals in the respective categories:

- a) Accessibility – Accessibility Advisory Committee
- b) Age Friendly – Age Friendly London Network
- c) Arts – London Arts Council
- d) Diversity and Race Relations – Diversity, Inclusion and Anti-Oppression Advisory Committee
- e) Environment – Advisory Committee on the Environment
- f) Heritage – London Advisory Committee on Heritage
- g) Housing – London Housing Advisory Committee
- h) Humanitarianism – Diversity, Inclusion and Anti-Oppression Advisory Committee
- i) Safety & Crime Prevention – Community Safety and Crime Prevention Advisory Committee
- j) Sports – London Sports Council

#### 4.3 Conditions

The following conditions shall apply to the nomination of individuals:

- a) a maximum of ten persons shall be named in any one year, with no more than one being from each of the ten categories referred to above subject to:
  - i) a person may not necessarily be named in each category each year;
  - ii) City Council may, at its sole discretion and on an exception basis, choose to recognize two individuals in any one category in a given year should the City Council determine that two individuals have inseparably partnered in contributing to their respective category, thereby increasing the aggregate amount of nominees beyond the usual maximum of ten persons to be named in any one year;
- b) the recipients shall be chosen for long standing contributions in their respective categories;
- c) the name of any one individual shall be included on the Honour List only once in their lifetime;
- d) any person currently serving as a member of any one of the Advisory Committees or organizations referred to in 4.2 shall not be eligible for naming to the list during their term of appointment;
- e) nominees being recommended by the Advisory Committees or organizations referred to in 4.2 shall have at least seventy-five percent of the total eligible votes on the respective Advisory Committee or organization.

#### 4.4 Form of Recognition

- a) The recipients shall be honoured at the first meeting of City Council in January, with a reception for themselves and one guest, and presentation of an appropriately-worded certificate.
- b) A plaque shall be displayed in a prominent public area of City Hall honouring those persons named each year to the Mayor's New Year's Honour List and shall be updated annually by the City Clerk.



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## MAYOR'S NEW YEAR'S HONOUR LIST (1976 – 2019)

### 1976 (Arts)

Catharine Kezia Brickenden  
Lenore Crawford  
Heinar Piller  
Ray Sealey  
Bruce Sharpe  
Ruth Sharpe

### 1977 (Arts)

Martin Boundy  
A. Elizabeth Murray  
James Reaney  
Margaret Skinner  
Earle Terry

### 1978 (Arts)

Robin Dearing  
Donald Fleckser  
Angela Labatt  
Dorothy Scuton  
Pegi Walden

### 1979 (Arts)

Paul Eck  
Edward Escaf  
Clifford Evans  
Arnim Walter

### 1980 (Arts)

Jane E. Bigelow  
Barbara Ivey  
Richard M. Ivey  
Beryl Ivey

### 1981 (Arts)

Herbert J. Ariss  
Dorothy Carter  
Noreen DeShane  
John H. Moore  
S. Elizabeth Moore

### 1982 (Arts)

Wesanne McKellar  
Edward R. Proconier  
J. Allyn Taylor

### 1983 (Arts)

Robert L. (Bob) Turnbull  
Frank L. Hallett  
Kathleen M. Hallett  
Ivor Brake  
Phyllis J. Brake  
Carol Johnston  
Thomas F. Lawson

### 1984 (Arts)

Minnette Church  
Betty Duffield

### 1985 (Arts)

Nancy Poole  
Paddy Gunn O'Brien  
Thomas F. Siess

### 1986 (Arts)

Sasha McInnis Hayman  
Gregory R. Curnoe  
Thomas J. Hannigan

### 1987 (Arts)

Caroline L. Conron  
Stephen Joy  
Gerald Fagan  
Millard P. McBain

### 1988 (Arts)

Maurice A. Coghlin  
Arthur Ender  
Bernice Harper  
Ian Turnbull

### 1989

Mervin Carter (Safety)  
Robert Loveless (Physically Challenged)  
Gordon Jorgenson (Crime Prevention)  
Orlo Miller (Architectural Conservation)  
Nancy Postian (Arts)  
Thomas Purdy (Environment)

### 1990

Julia Beck (Architectural Conservation)  
Ruth Clarke (Safety)  
Sam Katz (Environment)  
Helena Kline (Crime Prevention)  
Nellie Porter (Housing)  
Nancy Skinner (Physically Disabled)  
Maurice Stubbs (Arts)

### 1991

Paul Ball (Crime Prevention)  
Ian Chappell (Crime Prevention)  
Silvia Clarke (Architectural Conservation)  
Norman Davis (Crime Prevention)  
Norma Dinniwel (Arts)  
Jay Mayos (Environment)  
Marilyn Neufeld (Physically Challenged)  
Margaret Sharpe (Crime Prevention)  
Glen Sifton (Safety)

### 1992

Kenneth Bovey (Environment)  
Susan Eagle (Housing)  
George Mottram (Safety)  
Laverne Shipley (Crime Prevention)  
Richard Verrette (Arts)  
Debbie Willows (Physically Challenged)



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## MAYOR'S NEW YEAR'S HONOUR LIST (1976 – 2019)

### 1993

Alan Benninger (Housing)  
William Fyfe (Environment)  
Wil Harlock (Architectural Conservation)  
David Long (Housing)  
Margaret MacGee (Safety)  
Nancy McNee (Arts)  
Craig Stainton (Housing)  
Peter Valiquet (Crime Prevention)  
Shirley Van Hoof (Physically Disabled)

### 1994

Michael Baker (Architectural Conservation)  
Caroline Bolter (Environment)  
Richard Izzard (Crime Prevention)  
David Kirk (Safety)  
John Moran (Physically Disabled)  
John Schunk (Housing)  
Katharine Smith (Arts)

### 1995

Ruth Drake (Architectural Conservation)  
Martha Henry (Arts)  
Jeff Henderson (Environment)  
Sandra McNee (Housing)  
Ron Newnes (Crime Prevention)  
Tanys Quesnel (Physically Challenged)  
Bill Woolford (Safety)

### 1996

Robert Baumbach and the Dixie Flyers (Arts)  
Jess Davidson (Physically Challenged)  
Rosemary Dickinson (Environment)  
Gertrude Roes (Safety)  
Mowbray Sifton (Housing)  
Nancy Zwart Tausky (Architectural Conservation)

### 1997

Karen Burch (Environment)  
Gretta Grant (Humanitarianism)  
Marion Obeda (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Kim Pratt (Architectural Conservation)  
Cesar Santander (Arts)  
W. (Bill) Willcock (Housing)

### 1998

Paterson Ewen (Arts)  
Tim Dupee (posthumously) (Physically Challenged)  
Sargon Gabriel (Humanitarianism)  
Mary Huffman (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Ann McKillop (Heritage Conservation)  
Henry and Maria Stam (Environment)

### 1999

Dan Brock (Heritage Conservation)  
Tom Crerar (Environment)  
John Davidson (Physically Challenged)  
O. Veronica Dryden (posthumously) (Humanitarianism)  
Michael Edward Howe (Housing)  
Phil Murphy (Arts)  
Shelly Siskind (Safety and Crime Prevention)

### 2000

Lottie Brown (Heritage Conservation)  
Hume Cronyn (Arts)  
Paul Duerden (Sports)  
John Falls (posthumously) (Physically Challenged)  
Gwen Barton Jenkins (posthumously) (Humanitarianism)  
Judy Potter (Housing)  
Paul van der Werf (Environment)

### 2001

Douglas Bocking (Heritage Conservation)  
Connie Cunningham (posthumously) (Housing)  
Keith Cartwright (Physically Challenged)  
Art Fidler (Arts)  
Dan and Mary Lou Smoke (Humanitarianism)  
Lesley Thompson (Sports)  
Gosse VanOosten (Environment)  
Audrey Warner (Safety and Crime Prevention)

### 2002

Eric Atkinson (Arts)  
Bill Brock (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Debbie Dawtrey (Physically Challenged)  
Susan Epstein (Environment)  
Janet Hunten (Heritage)  
Gail Irmiler (Housing)  
Carolyn Rundle (Humanitarianism)  
Darwin Semotiuk (Sports)

### 2003

Ralph Aldrich (Arts)  
Mary Kerr (Heritage)  
Michael Lewis (Physically Challenged)  
Laila Norman (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Elaine Pensa (Humanitarianism)  
Joseph Rea and the Archangelo Rea Foundation (Environment)  
Jan Richardson (Housing)  
Clarke Singer (Sports)

### 2004

Alan Cohen (Arts)  
Ayshi Hassan (Humanitarianism)  
Dr. Bill Judd (Heritage)  
Carol Kish (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Rick Odegaard (Housing)  
Jennifer Smith Ogg (Sports)  
Cathy Vincent-Linderoos (Physically Challenged)  
Dave and Winifred Wake (Environment)

### 2005

Bernice Brooks (Environment)  
Eugene DiTrollo (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Genet Hodder (Heritage)  
Prof. Donald McKellar (Arts)  
Patrick Murphy (Persons with Disabilities)  
Barry Parker (Housing)  
Shanti Radcliffe (Humanitarianism)  
Jude St. John (Sports)



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### 2006

Jane Antoniak (Diversity and Race Relations)  
John Barron (Arts)  
Dale and Mark Hunter (Sports)  
Jim Mahon (Environment)  
Lorin MacDonald (Persons with Disabilities)  
Darlene Ritchie (Housing)  
Clare Robinson (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Sister Teresa Ryan (Humanitarianism)  
Barry Wells (Heritage)

### 2007

Eleanor Bradley (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Peter Brennan (Arts)  
Chris Doty (posthumously) (Heritage)  
Peter Inch (Sports)  
Sandy Levin (Environment)  
Raul Llobet (posthumously) (Diversity and Race Relations)  
Susie Matthias (Persons with Disabilities)  
Glen Pearson and Jane Roy (Humanitarianism)

### 2008

Henri Boyi (Humanitarianism)  
Dr. Cathy Chovaz (Persons with Disabilities)  
Michelle Edwards (Diversity and Race Relations)  
Stephen Harding (Heritage)  
Thom McClenaghan (Environment)  
Todd Sargeant (Sports)  
Jeffrey Paul Schlemmer (Housing)  
Dr. Margaret Whitby (Arts)

### 2009

Mohamed Al-Adeimi (Diversity and Race Relations)  
Teresa Anglin (Humanitarianism)  
Diana Anstead (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Margaret Capes (Housing)  
Mike Circelli (Sports)  
Nancy Finlayson (Environment)  
Jeff Preston (Persons with Disabilities)  
Theresa Regnier (Heritage)  
Jim Scott (Arts)

### 2010

Alison Farough (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Jennifer Grainger (Heritage)  
Charlene Lazenby (Housing)  
Kathy Lewis (Persons with Disabilities)  
Maryanne MacDonald (Environment)  
Joyce Mitchell (Diversity and Race Relations)  
Darlene Pratt (Arts)  
Sister Margo Ritchie (Humanitarianism)  
Ray Takahashi (Sports)

### 2011

Sister Joan Atkinson (Housing)  
Major Archie Cairns (Arts)  
Bill De Young (Environment)  
Mike Lindsay (Sports)  
Marlyn Loft (Heritage)  
Christina Lord (Humanitarianism)  
Dr. Gaston N.K. Mabaya (Diversity and Race Relations)  
Marg Rooke (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Cheryl Stewart (Persons with Disabilities)

### 2012

Maryse Leitch (Arts)  
Catherine McEwen (Heritage)  
Josip Mrkoci (Sports)  
Perpétue Nitunga (Humanitarianism)  
Greg Playford (Housing)  
Evelina Silveira (Diversity and Race Relations)  
Maureen Temme (Environment)  
Anne Robertson (Persons with Disabilities)

### 2013

Meredith Fraser (Diversity and Race Relations)  
Bramwell Gregson (Arts)  
Bruce Huff (Sports)  
Suzanne Huot (Humanitarianism)  
David Nelms (Housing)  
Joe O'Neil (Heritage)  
Shane O'Neill (Environment)  
Lou Rivard (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Carmen Sprovieri (Persons with Disabilities)

### 2014

Barry Fay (Sports)  
Talia Goldberg (Persons with Disabilities)  
Rebecca Howse (Diversity and Race Relations)  
John Nicholson (Arts)  
Gary Smith (The Environment)  
Lloyd Stevenson (Housing)  
Kenneth Wright (Humanitarianism)

### 2015

Hilary Bates Neary (Heritage)  
Damian Warner (Sports)  
Patrick Mahon (The Arts)  
Corina Morrison (Safety and Crime Prevention)  
Michael Lynk (Humanitarianism)  
Alfredo Caxaj (Diversity and Race Relations)  
Martha Powell (Housing)  
Roger Khouri (Persons with Disabilities)  
Bob Porter (The Environment)



## MAYOR'S NEW YEAR'S HONOUR LIST (1976 – 2019)

### 2016

Holly Painter – Arts  
Reta Van Every – Diversity and Race Relations  
Gary Brown – The Environment  
Glen Curnoe – Heritage  
Jens Stickling – Housing  
Charles and Carolyn Innis – Humanitarianism  
Bonnie Quesnel – Persons with Disabilities  
Paul Seale – Safety and Crime Prevention  
Tessa Virtue and Scott Moir – Sports

### 2017

Dale Yoshida – The Arts  
Mojdeh Cox – Diversity and Race Relations  
Dr. Joseph Cummins – The Environment  
Sandra Miller – Heritage  
Susan Grindrod – Housing  
Andrew Rosser – Humanitarianism  
Brenda Ryan – Persons with Disabilities  
Danielle Mooder – Safety and Crime Prevention  
Therese Quigley – Sports

### 2018

Karen Schuessler – The Arts  
Dharshi Lacey – Diversity and Race Relations  
George Sinclair – The Environment  
Susan Bentley – Heritage  
Sister Delores Brisson – Housing  
Lina Bowden – Humanitarianism  
Todd Sargeant and Sigmund Bernat – Persons  
with a Disability  
Émilie Crakondji – Safety and Crime Prevention  
Tom Partalas – Sports

### 2019

Rachel Braden and Merel (Facility Dog) -  
Accessibility  
Ernest Maiorana - Age Friendly  
Victoria Carter - Arts  
Gabor Sass - Environment  
Steven Liggett - Heritage  
Melissa Hardy-Trevenna - Housing  
Jacqueline Thompson - Humanitarianism  
Mike Lumley - Sports

July 17, 2019

Accessibility Advisory Committee

City of London

Attn.: Jerri-Joanne Bunn

Agenda Item for Review for the July 25 meeting of the Committee.

As a member of the AAC, I am requesting the following to be discussed:

**Sidewalk Review:**

- A request to City Council to review sidewalk infrastructure maintenance plans both short term and long term. How are long term plans developed to ensure funds are available to fix a crumbling sidewalk network
- Is there a detailed plan to repair sidewalks?
- Address “hot spots”: areas that are in dire need of repair due to the challenges and dangers they present. Examples include
  - Richmond Street, both sides of the street from Queens Ave to York St,
  - Carling Street,
  - The pork chop island at Richmond and Central
  - Richmond (NE corner) at Central
  - King St., south side, between Richmond and Clarence
- How is the priority of sidewalk maintenance determined?
- Who is monitoring construction to ensure adherence to sign and closure bylaws? Too many incidents of sidewalks being closed with zero notice given
- Re-visit sidewalk snow removal

If we are to ensure active transportation for all, it is my belief that this topic must be addressed.

# City of London Accessibility Advisory Committee

Orientation for members  
July 25, 2019

## History

- In 2001 Ontario passed the Ontarians with Disabilities Act (ODA)
- The ODA required all municipalities of 10,000 residents or more to have an Accessibility Advisory Committee with at least half the members being persons with a disability
- Often referred to as AACs (**A**ccessibility **A**dvisory **C**ommittees) or MACs (**M**unicipal **A**dvisory **C**ommittees), London refers to theirs as ACCAC or AccAC (**A**ccessibility **A**dvisory **C**ommittees) as they already used AAC for the Agricultural Advisory Committee



## Role

While it is the legislative mandate of the Municipal Council to make the final decision on all matters that affect the Municipality, the role of an advisory committee is to provide recommendations, advice and information to the Municipal Council on those specialized matters which relate to the purpose of the advisory committee, to facilitate public input to City Council on programs and ideas and to assist in enhancing the quality of life of the community, in keeping with the Municipal Council's Strategic Plan principles. Advisory committees shall conduct themselves in keeping with the policies set by the Municipal Council pertaining to advisory committees, and also in keeping with the Council Procedure By-law.

## Mandate

The Accessibility Advisory Committee (ACCAC) shall advise and assist "the organizations" in promoting and facilitating a barrier-free London for citizens of all abilities (universal accessibility), including persons with disabilities. This aim shall be achieved through the review of municipal policies, programs and services and the identification, removal and prevention of barriers faced by persons with disabilities.

*So what is in and out of scope?*

## Composition

- 13 voting members
- At least 7 must be Persons with a Disability
- Balance are members at large, who may or may not have a disability (NOTE: Parent of a Child with a Disability role)\*
- 10 Non-voting resource positions representing various sectors\*

## Composition - Resource members\*

- Members from each of the following specific sector organizations;
  - Two representatives from the Boards of Education
  - One representative from the regional AODA Committee
  - One representative from the Employment Sector
  - One representative from the seniors' community of London
  - One representative from the housing and development sector
  - One Health Care or Wellness Practitioner
  - One representative from the Newcomer/Multicultural sector
  - One representative from Mental Health Sector
  - One Post-Secondary Student Representative

## Composition - This Term

\*This term: The municipality is currently reviewing all Advisory committee structures, terms, etc. As such they only appointed members at large to positions on advisory committees. ACCAC is slightly different in the Persons with a Disability positions are mandated by the Province (AODA). Although the Parent representative was not officially designated, it was considered in the selection process. Similarly the resource members (tan cards) were not recruited this term. Previous members were carried forward.

## Sub-Committees and Working Groups

- Currently there are 4 Sub-Committees
  - Built- Environment
  - By-Law and Policy
  - Education and Awareness
  - Transportation
- ACCAC can opt to add or remove sub-committees or working groups as needed
- Working Groups meet for a shorter period of time to work on one specific objective

## Roles of ACCAC members

- Chair
- Vice-Chair
- Parent representative\*
- Sub-committee Chairs (currently 4 positions)
- Sub-Committee members
- Transportation Advisory Committee representative
- Trails Advisory Group representative
- Site Plan reviewer(s)
- Playground selection representative

## Unofficial/off-shoot Roles of ACCAC members

- Community Gardens Advisory Committee representative
- London Transits Accessible Public Transit Service Advisory Committee liaison

## Past Accomplishments

- Raised awareness of critical issues faced by the accessibility community (e.g. employment, transportation, infrastructure)
- Facility Accessibility Design Standards (FADS) development
- More accessible recreation (more Spectrum programs, cost parity, Subsidy streamlined)
- Playground design mind-shift
- Expansion of Easter Seals Access2 program
- Improved accessibility guidelines for Trails, gardens, elections, Council/committee meetings
- Countless outreach and education events
- Development of a comprehensive Funding Resource Guide