

Pueblo and PACOG ADA Committee

Agenda

Date: August 6, 2020

I. Call to order

II. Roll call

III. Approval of minutes from last meeting

- **City Services**

- Todd Beresford reported that the curb ramp projects at Outlook and Fortino are done. The Eagleridge project from Outlook to I-25 is for resurfacing and will be done at night. It will include curb ramps.
- Greenwood is getting ready for curb ramps from and part of it is done. It goes from 8th to 24th. Then 24th will continue along Tuxedo to Pueblo Blvd
- Projects on Hudson and also Prairie are surveying for ramps. This is the design phase, so the ramps will go in next year Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) requests are due soon so the city will be putting in curb ramps all year. Most of the CDBG funds are for citizen's requests. We have Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) multimodal funding for the curb ramp and sidewalk work on Prairie and it includes transit stops and pedestrian/school crossing stops. Street Rehabilitation funds were used to match the grant so the concrete work is done with CDOT money.
- Don Bruestle asked if there were any comments from neighboring businesses about these improvements. Todd Beresford said comments about Greenwood and Fortino have been positive.
- Heather Norton asked if the street stamps on Greenwood were saved because they have historical value. All but one disintegrated during the effort to chisel them out. That one will be re-installed in the new curbing.
- Sharon Campbell said a signal was replaced on Oxford and Tulane and the curbing was replaced.

- Heather asked about curb ramps at 18 and Greenwood and was assured they would be done.

IV. County Services

Weston Burrer has scanned the original self-assessment for ADA compliance that the county did in 1992 and is trying to get it accessible. He is hoping for historic grant funding for a third elevator at the courthouse. Don Bruestle asked if it would reach all levels and he said it could include the roof and lower basement. The grant is due October 1. They are trying to find ways to work around distancing, masks

v. Emergency Management: Ron Sasaoka, Charles Bradley

- The Emergency Operations Center (EOC) is still offering Personal Protective Equipment (PPE). The Health Department has pulled back from the EOC for now but can ramp up quickly if the virus spikes.
- We are now also in fire season.
- The After Action Review that was started before COVID struck is coming up. Charles Bradley will notify Kristen Castor when there is a date set.
- Testing is moving outside the State Fair gate to the gate at Acero and Arroyo. Ron Sasaoka said they are working on a walk up station so people who don't drive can be tested safely for both citizens and health care workers. Masks are mandatory.
- There is still Personal Protective Equipment purchased from the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act, including masks, goggles, nitro gloves, n-995 masks.
- We are facing a possible surge without a reliable, quick test. There is one test with a 50% positive error rate. It needs to be much better to be of practical use.

vi. Communication

- Sharon Campbell said we need to insist on captioning for Face Book events such as the Mayor's weekly Friday address.
- Dale had a problem getting interpreters at Parkview but after he talked with the patient representative it was resolved.
- Dale says the VRI is right at the door of Pueblo Community Health Center where it can be easily accessed and not forgotten.

Vii Meeting Adjourned at 2:45 Minutes Submitted by: Kristen Castor