Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan Update

Lathrop City Council Presentation

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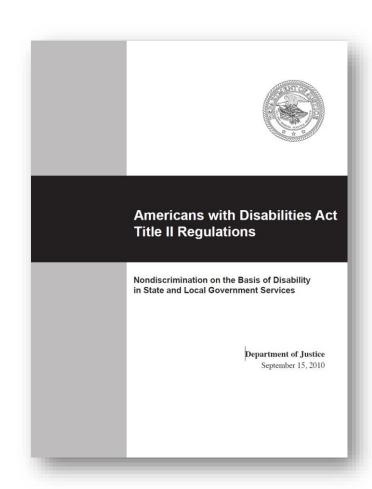
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ADA TITLE II REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC ENTITIES

As a Public Entity The City of Lathrop is Required to:

- Produce an ADA self-evaluation and transition plan (SETP)
- Identify a person to oversee ADA Title II implementation
- Publish a notice and grievance procedure for accessibility complaints
- Continue to remove accessibility barriers and document progress
- Include people with disabilities in the preparation of the plan



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Self-Evaluation (CFR §35.105)

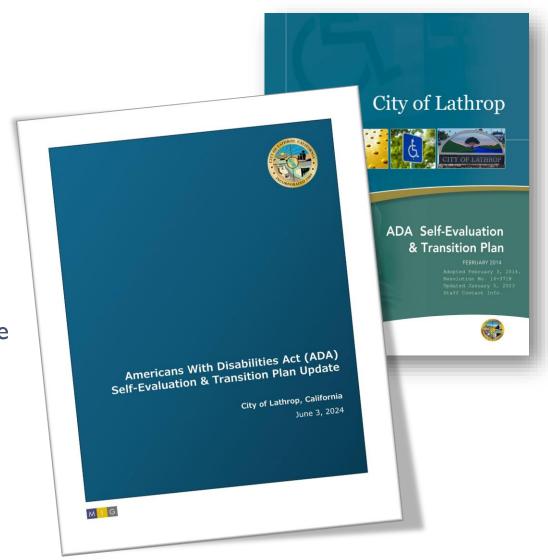
- Evaluate services, policies, and practices
- Identify modifications

Transition Plan (CFR §35.150d)

- List barriers and identify solutions
- Establish a timeline for removing barriers
- Identify the person responsible for title II compliance

Engaging the Public (CFR §35.105 and §35.150d)

 Involve people with disabilities to participate in the self-evaluation process and preparation of the transition plan.



ADA SETP PROJECT PROCESS



Engage the public



Evaluate programs, policies, and activities



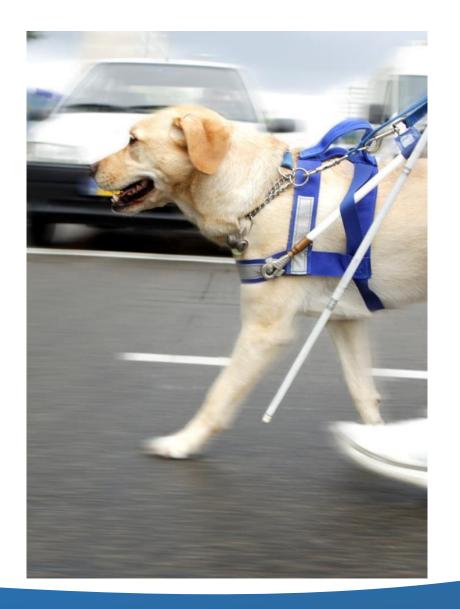
Assess park, building, trail, and right-of-way facilities



Prioritize and schedule barrier removal actions



Produce a comprehensive plan





 ADA Stakeholder Meeting #1: November 14, 2023

 ADA Stakeholder Meeting #2: January 11, 2024

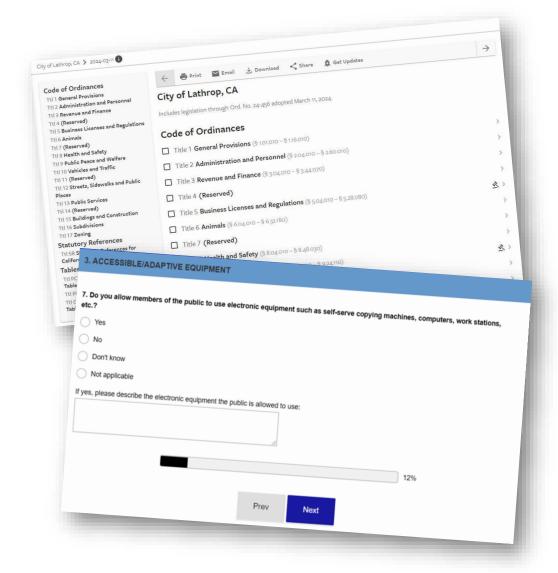
Public Comment Period
 March 1 – April 5, 2024





EVALUATE CITY PROGRAMS, POLICIES, AND ACTIVITIES

- Update codes and policies to use personfirst language.
- Improve processes for effective communication.
- Provide training and resources for staff to improve consistency and confidence in:
 - Understanding their department's obligations under the ADA
 - Being equipped to meet those obligations





ASSESS CITY FACILITIES

Most common park facility issues:

- 1. Walking path cross slopes / cracks / gaps
- 2. Missing or inadequate accessible picnic areas
- 3. Drinking fountains
- 4. Restrooms

Most common indoor facility issues:

- 1. Doors
- 2. Restrooms

Most common parking & exterior issues:

- 1. Signage
- 2. Striping
- 3. Detectable warnings









PRIORITIZE AND SCHEDULE

Prioritization Criteria:

- Level of use by the public
- Special user Groups
- Planned Obsolescence/Upcoming Projects
- Identified complaints or requests

Plan Structure:

- 10 years in 3-4 year increments
- Higher-priority facilities to be remediated sooner

Table 3C: Phasing Schedule for Parks

Parks	Address	Priority Ranking	Year
Apolinar Sangalang Park	13470 Slate Street	2	5-7
Armstrong Park	230 Blue Sky Dr	3	8-10
C-2 Park (River Islands)	18001 Commercial St	3	8-10
Crescent Park	15980 Crescent Park Circle	3	8-10
Crystal Cove Park	1706 Academy Dr.	3	8-10
Generations Center Park	450 Spartan Way	2	5-7
Libby Park	575 Libby Lane	3	8-10
Manuel Valverde Park	15557 5th Street	2	5-7
Michael Vega Park	980 Lakeside Drive	3	8-10
Milestone Park	630 Milestone Drive	3	8-10
Mossdale Landing Community Park	700 Towne Centre Dr.	2	5-7
Park West	16130 Sheltered Cove Circle	3	8-10
Reflections Park	Garden Farms Avenue	3	8-10
River Park North	15551 Lathrop Rd	3	8-10
Diver Deal Carth	17001 Tulend Deserve		10

Table 3B: Phasing Schedule for Schools (Exterior Approach & Dropoff)

School	Address	Priority Ranking	Year
EPIC Academy	2760 Penrose Ln	2	5-7
Joseph Widmer Elementary School	751 Stonebridge LN	2	5-7
Lathrop Elementary School	15851 5th St	2	5-7

Table 3A: Phasing Schedule for City Facilities

City Owned Facility	Address	Priority Ranking	Year
Corporation Yard	2112 E Louise Ave	3	8-10
Community Center Shared Parking Lot	15557 5th St	1	1-4
Generations Center & Library	450 Spartan Way	1	1-4
Lathrop Senior Center	15707 5th St	1	1-4
Lathrop City Hall	390 Towne Centre Dr	2	5-7
Lathrop Community Center	15557 5th St	2	5-7
Lathrop Police Station	15597 7th St	2	5-7

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Conclusion

This update assists the City in maintaining ongoing compliance with ADA Title II requirements.

- Current City policies and procedures have been evaluated and areas for improvement identified.
- The City of Lathrop will revise its policies and procedures per the actions listed in the **Self-Evaluation**.
- The inventory of physical barriers at City parks and facilities has been updated and matched with proposed solutions.
- The City of Lathrop will continue to remove physical barriers on the updated schedule laid out in the Transition Plan.

Thank You!

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