



## Corporation of the Township of Brock

### Staff Report to the Mayor and Members of Council

**From:** Brock Accessibility Advisory Committee

**Position:** Maralee Drake, Deputy Clerk

**Title / Subject:** Brock Accessibility Advisory Committee Workplan

**Date of Report:** March 25, 2024

**Date of Meeting:** March 25, 2024

**Report No:** 2024-GG-009

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#### 1.0 Issue / Origin

As per the Brock Accessibility Advisory Committee (BAAC) [Terms of Reference](#), the committee is required to present an annual workplan for Council consideration. This workplan sets the direction for work carried out by the committee.

#### 2.0 Background

BAAC is comprised of six (6) members of the public and one (1) Council Liaison. Its term is concurrent with that of Council. Members are appointed to this committee by [By-law 3241-2024](#).

As per section 29.(1) of the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005, municipalities having a population of not less than 10,000 shall establish an accessibility advisory committee.

#### 3.0 Analysis

The 2024-2026 workplan has been developed and was approved by BAAC at their March 12, 2024 and is being brought forward to Committee for approval. Upon approval, BAAC may begin work on the items as listed in the workplan.

#### 4.0 Related Policies / Procedures

[2022-2026 Multi-Year Accessibility Plan](#)

## **5.0 Financial / Budget Assessment**

None

## **5.1 Asset Management**

None

## **6.0 Climate Change Impacts**

None

## **7.0 Communications**

Communication of the committees' initiatives such as the Annual Accessibility Awards are shared on municipal channels.

The workplan is attached to this report and available for the public to view.

## **8.0 Conclusion**

BAAC will present their progress on the approved workplan, bring forward requests for the 2025 budget and provide recommendations to Council on eliminating barriers within the Township at their annual presentation (end of 2024).

## **9.0 Recommendation**

Be it resolved that Report 2024-GG-009 be received, and

That Committee approve the items contained within Attachment No. 1, Brock Accessibility Advisory Committee Workplan 2024-2026.