

CITY OF EL PASO ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE (AAC)

MARCH 24, 2022

MEETING MINUTES

**1. Call to Order**

Meeting was called to order at 2:40 pm. The following committee members answered to roll call:

District	Name	Present	Absent
Mayor	Camille Maldonado-Rivera	X	
1	Marc Salazar	X	
2	Mayra Rodarte		X
3	Michelle Adjemian	X	
4	Jose Martinez	X	
5	Beatriz Castorena-Mata	X	
6	Phillip Thomas Laign	X	
7	Josue Rodriguez	X	
8	Edmundo Rodriguez Jr.		X

**2. Approval of February 24, 2022 Minutes**

Motion made by Committee Member Beatriz Castorena-Mata, seconded by Committee Member Marc Salazar, and unanimously carried to APPROVE the Minutes for the previous 2/24/22 AAC meeting.

**3. Introduction of new Committee member – Edmundo Rodriguez Jr, District 8**

Committee Member Edmundo Rodriguez Jr. was not able to attend this meeting. Motion was made by Committee Member Jose Martinez, Committee Member seconded by Marc Salazar, and unanimously approved to postpone this item to the next AAC Meeting.

**4. Status update on Equity Analyst position**

Chief Resilience Officer & Director of Community and Human Development, Nicole Ferrini, gave a presentation giving a status update on the Equity Analyst position, which will now be titled Accessibility (ADA) Coordinator. Committee Member Josue Rodriguez asked if there would be other public input meetings regarding the position. Ms. Ferrini replied that there would be public sessions and they can contact City employee Christian Lopez for details and suggestions.

**5. Discussion and action on holding a future AAC meeting in-person**

City employee Nickole Rodriguez mentioned the Center for Civic Empowerment as a possible place to host future meetings as it has hybrid capability. A motion was made by Committee Member Marc Salazar, seconded by Board Chair Jose Martinez, and unanimously approved to have the April 28<sup>th</sup> AAC meeting be hybrid.

**6. Public Comment**

**7. Next AAC meeting scheduled for April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

Motion was made by Committee Member Beatriz Castorena-Mata, seconded by Committee Member Michelle Adjemian, and unanimously approved to schedule the next meeting for April 28, 2022.

**8. Call to Adjourn meeting**

A motion was made by Committee Member Marc Salazar, seconded by Beatriz Castorena-Mata, and unanimously approved to adjourn the meeting at 3:20 pm.