



CITY OF VAUGHAN
REPORT NO. 2 OF THE
ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE
*For consideration by the Committee of the Whole
of the City of Vaughan
on April 14, 2026*

The Accessibility Advisory Committee met at 7:00 p.m., on March 23, 2026, via electronic participation. The following members were present at the meeting:

Members:

Councillor Gila Martow, Chair
Michelle Zaldin, Vice-Chair
Noor Din
Nazila Isgandarova
Paresh Jamnadas
Luke Rashkovan

Staff:

Michael Genova, Chief, Communications and Economic Development
Alexandra Scarr, Policy Implementation Specialist
Don De Los Santos, Senior Manager, Economic Services
Eden Davis, Councillor Executive Assistant (Councillor Martow)
Faaria Wali, Small Business Advisor
Joanne Huy, Senior Advisor, Strategic Engagement
Mihaela Neagoe, Recreation Supervisor Inclusion and Support Services
Rebecca Battat, Councillor Executive Assistant (Councillor Martow)
Rouya Botlani, Manager, Inclusion and Community Outreach
Susan Teicht, Communications Advisor, Partner Communications
Adelina Bellisario, Acting Supervisor, Council and Legislative Services

The following items were dealt with:

1. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACCESSIBILITY RESOURCE PAGE LAUNCH

The Accessibility Advisory Committee advises Council:

- 1) That the presentation by Faaria Wali, Small Business Advisor and Communication C2, presentation material entitled “Accessible and Age-Friendly Resource for Businesses”, were received.**

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2. ACCESSIBLE PARKING ENFORCEMENT

The Accessibility Advisory Committee advises Council:

- 1) That the presentation by Alexandra Scarr, Policy Implementation Specialist and Communication C1, presentation material entitled “Accessible Parking Roles and Responsibilities”, were received.

3. ACCESSIBILITY CHAMPION AWARDS: EVALUATION AND VOTING

The Accessibility Advisory Committee recommended that the following recommendation be forwarded to Council for approval:

1. That the recommendations in Communications C3, confidential presentation titled “Accessibility Advisory Committee”, dated March 2026, be approved;
2. That a Ceremonial Presentation take place at the May 26, 2026 Council meeting and that staff be directed to contact the awardees to inform and invite them to the ceremony; and
3. That this decision be ratified by Council at the Committee of the Whole meeting of April 14, 2026.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Gila Martow, Chair