



Oswegoland Park District's ADA TRANSITION PLAN

What is a Transition Plan?

The Department of Justice Americans with Disabilities Act Standards for Accessible Design (2010) took effect on March 15, 2012. Governmental agencies are required to create a transition plan which identifies non-compliance items and defines a time frame to address the deficiencies.

The foundation for the Transition Plan is an accessibility audit. In 2011, Recreation Accessibility Consultants audited all park district parks and facilities for compliance with current ADA standards. The audit resulted in individual site reports, a conclusion report with summarized recommendations and Transition Plan. The Transition Plan was initiated on December 28, 2011.

The ADA Transition Plan Update will include the results of the Inclusivity Assessment Tool for reviewing programs, services and policies and newly adopted procedures for assisting individuals with disabilities in case of an evacuation from our parks and/or facilities.



STAFF ADA COORDINATORS

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Oswegoland Park District's ADA Coordinators are appointed on a yearly basis by the Oswegoland Board of Park Commissioners.

Community Involvement in the Plan?



Staff receives on-going input from individuals with disabilities who use our facilities. A **public hearing is held every two years** to display the park district's progress on addressing the deficiencies documented in the report and transition plan from the consultant.

Three Keys to Implementing Community Involvement in the Transition Plan:

1. **Ask** for input. The Oswegoland community's voice guides our action.
2. **Align** stakeholders around issues, solutions, and resources.
3. **Act** on the plan driven by the voice of the Oswegoland community.

How effective is the Park District on Inclusivity?

The Park District will utilize the **Inclusivity Assessment Tool** to gauge effectiveness in addressing recreation programming and administrative procedures and policies to meet the accommodations required by the populations served.



The **Fox Valley Special Recreation Association** plays a major role in providing recreation programming and a learning resource for the district.

Funding Sources?



The funding for addressing the deficiencies from the Transition Plan will come from the **Capital Development Fund** and the **Special Recreation Fund**.

OSWEGOLAND PARK DISTRICT TRANSITION PLAN—Timetable for ADA Projects:

Phase 1: FY2019-20	Phase 2: FY2021-23	Phase 3: FY2024+
<p>Projects will focus on the following park renovations and addressing Transition Plan deficiencies for:</p> <p>Chesterfield Park Barnaby Park Deerbrook Park Hidden Creek Park Morgan Creek Park</p> <p>Continue to address facility deficiencies such as equipment placement, sign heights, adjusting closing speeds on doors and installing detectable warnings as available funds allow.</p>	<p>Projects will focus on the following park renovations and addressing Transition Plan deficiencies for:</p> <p>Summerlin Park Waa Kee Sha Park Washington Park Ogden Falls Park SuzanJohn Park Hudson Crossing Park Washington Park</p> <p>Continue to address facility deficiencies as available funds allow.</p>	<p>Projects will focus on the following park renovations and addressing Transition Plan deficiencies for:</p> <p>Ashgate Park Silverleaf Park Village Green Park Whispering Woods Park Community Park at Grande Park</p> <p>Incorporate items from the Transition Plan as facility buildings are remodeled.</p>