

## **RESOLUTION 2022-07**

### **VILLAGE OF DIAMOND PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY ADA TRANSITION PLAN 2022-2043**

**Whereas**, The Village of Diamond realizes there is a need to provide better accessibility for pedestrians with disabilities within our municipality, upon publicly owned streets, and in publicly owned buildings. When ramps, sidewalks/paths, crosswalks, and publicly owned buildings, are universally accessible, people of all abilities and ages can remain mobile, and actively participate in our community. This is important for general health and well-being, but it also enables residents to age in place without fear of becoming disconnected or homebound should they experience a disability. This issue eventually affects everyone and is now a major focus of our community planning.

**1. Village official responsible for the implementation of the transportation plan:**

- a. The Village of Diamond Board has designated the Mayor as the ADA Coordinator. (mayor@villageofdiamond.org)

**2. Barriers in public right of ways and publicly owned buildings:**

- a. Non-complaint ADA ramps exist through-out the village.
- b. Cracked and damaged sidewalks exist throughout the village.
- c. Crosswalks are faded in some cases and non-existent in others.
- d. The Village Hall and Village Park Pavilion were non-compliant.

**3. Prioritized anticipated schedule, contingent upon available funding, of when barriers will be removed, and deficiencies corrected. (Utilizing grants, when possible, if not, with street and/or general funds):**

- a. The Village Hall and Village Park Pavilion were made ADA compliant prior to 2022.
- b. Multi-use path on IL 113, between Will Road and Frontage Road, was constructed prior to 2022, ADA compliant.
- c. Multi-use path over the Claypool Ditch, between Laura Lane and McGinty Street, was constructed prior to 2022, ADA compliant.

- d. All ramps along IL 113 (Division Street) will be replaced by IDOT with ADA complaint 6' ramps, and all adjacent crosswalks striped, in 2022/2023.
- e. The Village will submit an ITEP Grant in 2022 to replace all sidewalks on the north side of IL 113 with 6' ADA compliant sidewalks. If successful, the sidewalks will be replaced in 2023. If unsuccessful, the Village will begin replacing one block a year beginning in 2023, with completion by 2033.
- f. The Village will submit an STP SF Grant in 2023 to reconstruct South Will Road from Spring Road to IL 113 (Division Street). The project will include a 10' ADA compliant multi-use path. Any sidewalk included in the project will also be ADA compliant. If unsuccessful, the Village will require ADA sidewalks and/or a 10' multi-use path for properties that develop along both North and South Will Road.
- g. All ramps in Orchard Park Subdivision, Diamond Ridge Subdivision, and along Meadow Lane in Country Meadows Subdivision, will be replaced with ADA compliant ramps, cracked/damaged sidewalk will be replaced, as necessary, crosswalks will be striped, as necessary, in 2025.
- h. All ramps in the Henrietta Subdivision will be replaced with ADA compliant ramps, cracked/damaged sidewalks will be replaced, as necessary, and crosswalks will be striped, as necessary, in 2028.
- i. All ramps in Diamond Fields Subdivision will be replaced with ADA compliant ramps, cracked/damaged sidewalks will be replaced, as necessary, and crosswalks will be striped, as necessary, in 2031.
- j. All ramps in Sterling Estates Subdivision will be replaced with ADA compliant ramps, cracked/damaged sidewalks will be replaced, as necessary, and crosswalks will be striped, as necessary, in 2034.
- k. All ramps in Diamond Estates Subdivision will be replaced with ADA compliant ramps, cracked/damaged sidewalks will be replaced, as necessary, and crosswalks will be striped, as necessary, in 2037.
- l. All ramps in Farmstone Subdivision will be replaced with ADA compliant ramps, cracked/damaged sidewalks will be replaced, as necessary, and crosswalks will be striped, as necessary, in 2040.
- m. All ramps, cracked/damaged sidewalks and crosswalks not addressed above, will be made ADA compliant by 2043.

**4. Methods that will be used to make facilities accessible:**

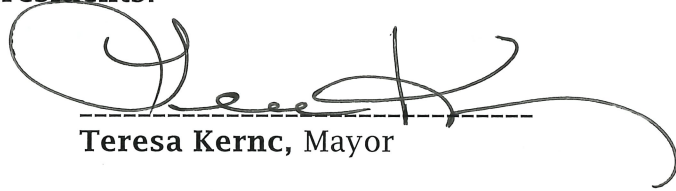
- a. The Diamond Village Hall has been made ADA compliant. There is an automatic front entrance door opener that grants entry into the secure foyer where most services are provided. The building is one level and entirely handicapped accessible. Both bathrooms are handicapped accessible. Employees assist opening the interior security door when necessary.
- b. The village park pavilion is ADA compliant.
- c. The village parking lot is ADA compliant.
- d. The multi-use path on IL 113 between Will Road and Frontage Road is ADA compliant.
- e. The multi-use path over the Claypool Ditch between Laura Lane and McGinty Road is ADA compliant.
- f. Replace existing non-complaint ADA ramps with ADA compliant ramps.
- g. Replace cracked/broken sidewalks with new, safe, ADA compliant sidewalks.
- h. Stripe ADA complaint crosswalks.

**5. How interested persons, including individuals with disabilities or organizations representing individuals with disabilities, can participate in the development of the transition plan by submitting comments and/or attending meetings:**

- a. The Plan will be posted on the village website. It will encourage the public's participation.
- b. The plan will be an agenda item at a public board meeting.

**6. A yearly review of the plan will occur to monitor progress and make periodic updates, as well as ensure the plan aligns with other local planning processes.**

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Village of Diamond adopts the Public Right-of-Way ADA Transition Plan 2022-2043 to provide for the health, safety, and general well-being, of their residents.

  
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Teresa Kernc, Mayor

Attest:   
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Lori Holmes, Village Clerk

