

Outreach Working Group's May Update for the ACPD's 2022 Accessibility Fair

I am in contact with staff regarding getting the appropriate permits and permissions to have an event in City Hall, in the Forecourt and behind City Hall. We will require a parking permit out back for the HSR/DARTS vehicles. I have started filling out the food service paperwork to allow for a food vendor. I have described, in detail, the events that we want to hold in the Forecourt and should get an answer soon on what is required there and the costs involved. So far, there is no selling of products even for fundraising purposes in the Forecourt, but should have more information there soon.

I have also been in communication with the City's Communication Department regarding setting up a webpage. After consultation and due to the fact that we are going to be using the Mac students to help us, it was recommended that we host the webpage separately and then have the City host the links. I will try to find a free webpage hosting service, but we may have to pay for one for the next four months. We will also produce banner ads for the homepage.

Presenters: I have no update here, we need to come up with a list and send out invites.

Food Service: No update yet, will have more soon.

Activities: Potential activities already in rough planning stages are the obstacle courses: White Cane, Wheelchair, Walker. One of them will involve the transportation services out back. Product demonstrations/ care demonstrations; Still have to reach out to mobility vendors and see what participation we can expect. Mobility Device “Car Wash”. This is on our maybe pile only because it will be very labour intensive.

Stakeholder/Informational Tables: We need to make a list and make contact with the various organizations around the city.

I have reached out to Lovaye this week so we can discuss what volunteer labour force we may have and when they are all available.