Commission on Disability Concerns

Architectural Compliance Committee Meeting Minutes Tuesday, April 1, 2008 6:00 p.m. Pyle Adult Center 655 E. Southern Avenue, Tempe, AZ

In attendance: Tom Ringhofer (Chair), Larry Randall, Janie Shelton, Jacque Olsen, Dan Olsen, Brenda Simmons, Matt Jellison

- 1. Meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.
- 2. There were no members from the public present for comments.
- 3. Old Business
 - (a) Broadway Apartments: Karl will be asked to speak with APS and Broadway Apartments with regards to items of deficiency outlined in Kathleen Green's letter.
 - (b) 2006 IBC (International Building Code): Commissioner Larry Randall continued discussion from last month's meeting
 - (1) Discussed Section 1104 addressing accessible routes. Nothing has changed from previous IBC
 - (2) Discussed Section 1106 regarding failure to address accessible routes for hospital & institutional sites
 - (3) No specific changes were suggested by committee members
 - (4) Larry will speak with Karl regarding the logistics involved with our committee and/or the full commission in the adoption of this code. Larry will request current requirements for accessibility including "yet to be built" sidewalks.
 - (c) Public Awareness: Discussed various ways our committee can publicize our objectives and our availability as a resource to the citizens of Tempe. Discussed if our committee could/should be a resource for accessible single or multi-family rental housing. Tom will speak with the City of Tempe's publicity person regarding ways to highlight our committee's availability to address accessibility issues. In addition to general media, we should consider outreach via newsletters of disability-related organizations.

Next meeting date: May 6, 2008

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.