

**Minutes of the first (1<sup>st</sup>) meeting of the  
Hearst Accessibility Committee  
January 13, 2020**

The first (1<sup>st</sup>) meeting of this committee took place at 4:30 pm in the Hearst Town Hall conference room, located at 925 Alexandra Street.

In attendance:

Anne-Marie Portelance, President  
Claire Forcier

Tammy Coulombe  
Chantal G. Dillon

Julie Lanoix  
Agathe Cheff

### **1. Opening**

The President opened the meeting at 4:30 pm. She welcomed all members.

### **2. Review of the last Executive Committee meeting minutes (November 18, 2019)**

Anne-Marie Portelance reviewed the minutes of the previous meeting.

### **3. Business arising from previous minutes (November 18, 2019)**

The President provided an update on the grant received from the Ontario Trillium Foundation for the Al Kinsey Park's accessible play area.

### **4. New Business**

- **Promotional item**

A.-M. Portelance revealed the committee's new magnifying glass cards.

- **Classification of the Hearst Accessibility Committee members**

Directors discussed the representation of each member of the executive.

- **April 7, 2020 public meeting**

The president announced that Danielle Brunet from Voyages Lacroix Tours has accepted to do a presentation on their services. The theme will be: "Traveling as a person with limitations".

- **Université de Hearst's Audits**

A.-M. Portelance informed the members that the University de Hearst's audits will be held on January 20, 2020 at 4:15 p.m.

- **Brian's Independent accessible parking**

The President indicated that she received three complaints concerning the concrete slides that are installed in the accessible parking spaces at Brian's Independent. Customers can no longer drive their car forward to exit their parking space.

## **5. Tip of the month**

### **ONroute Service centers**

ONroute is the operating brand name of Host Kilmer Service Centres (HKSC), a Canadian service company which operates accessible highway rest areas on highway 400 and 401 in the province of Ontario.

Web site: <http://onroute.ca>

## **6. Adjournment**

- President adjourned the meeting at 5:55 pm.

The next public meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 7, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. at the Heritage Sawmill Marketplace. The next Executive Committee meeting will take place on Monday, June 15, 2020 at 4:30 pm in the Town Hall conference room.

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**Anne-Marie Portelance, President**