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MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor and City Council  
Cc: Jimmy Liles, CA  
From: Doug Colvin, Jeff Roussell  
Date: 10.17.2019  
RE: Title II – Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Transition Plan Presentation

Over the past year staff has been working with a consultant, Bartlett and West, to complete a Title II compliance study and transition plan for all Nixa owned public facilities. This plan sets out a detailed list of ADA deficiencies including those on City sidewalks, handicap ramps, buildings, grounds and parking areas. The field work has been completed and the study compiled along with estimated cost and a ranked transition plan for correcting the deficiencies in phases over the coming years.

Todd Kempker, our consulting engineer with Bartlett and West, has been the project lead for this and will present the plan to City Council and the attending public. Mr. Kempker will provide information on the scope of service provided for this project, the work they have completed and results of their findings.

This presentation time also serves as an opportunity for the public to attend and offer input for consideration. I encourage you to ask any questions you may have and open up a public hearing for input while Mr. Kempker is in attendance. This satisfies one of our public meeting requirements but more importantly, allows us to document any additional requests or concerns to be incorporated into our plan.

As presented at the last meeting, we did incorporate a funding request in the 2020 Street budget towards making some high priority repairs outlined in the plan just as we have in this current budget year. The estimated cost for full compliance is well into the millions and therefore it will take many years before completion. The plan will assist staff in prioritizing this work within available budgeted funds and be a means to track progress towards compliance with the law.

Necessary action related to this plan includes the adoption of policies which will be presented to you for consideration in the near future.