ADA committee Meeting

Monday, November 2nd

Commenced 5:32pm

Pledge of Allegiance

- Attendees:

  Jennifer Foster

  Gina Torres

  Steven Duryea

  Gerald Oney

  Timothy Monahan (via phone)

  Melissa Decker (via phone)

  John Harper (Independent Living, Inc.)

  Brian Flannery (Independent Living, Inc.)

Reading of the minutes of March 2, 2026

Public Comment:

- Brian Flannery spoke on services available to communities to serve those who would like to continue to live in a community of their choosing. Also, he is available to provide buildings with reviews to maximize ADA compliancy.
- John Harper spoke on a personal level as a resident of Port Jervis and his ability to move around as a disabled person

  Both gentlemen were very pleased with the actions and procedures of Port Jervis' ADA committee, commitment , and procedures to making accessible to all. They would like to use Port Jervis as a model for other cities and municipalities.

New projects:
Fowler street from Jersey Avenue to Main Street

- Digital Crosswalk
- Signage
- Benches
- Curbs
- Trees

All ADA compliant

Scheduled to begin April/May 2027

Mr. Duryea was approached about signage to notify those with disabilities about the elevator at City Hall.

He has done research and has found proper signs. Mr. Duryea made a motion and second by Tim Monahan. All agreed.

Adjourned 5:55pm
Motion by Steven Duryea, second by Gina Torres