

Open Public Meetings Act

ADA Compliance

Accessibility Requirements

The Open Public Meetings Act requires that all meetings of the governing body of a public agency, as well as other meetings regarding policies affecting the public, be open to the public. In addition, the public must be notified of such meetings in a timely manner.

In order to afford members of the public who have disabilities an equal opportunity to participate, meetings subject to the Open Public Meetings Act require the following:

- That the meetings be held in facilities which are wheelchair accessible
- That public notices regarding such meetings shall include a statement that necessary auxiliary aids will be provided with advance notice at no cost to the person requesting such assistance
- That notices of meetings should include the name and phone number of the individual responsible for coordinating such requests

If you require any accommodation for an open meeting you plan to attend, please be sure to contact the person or group listed on the meeting notice in advance of the meeting and let your requirements be known.