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# Statement of ADA Compliance

As part of our ongoing commitment to inclusivity and accessibility, the City of Carlton is dedicated to ensuring that all members of our community have equal access to public facilities, services and information. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), we are taking proactive measures to guarantee that individuals with disabilities can fully participate in all aspects of community life.

The ADA mandates that public entities, like the City of Carlton, must remove barriers to accessibility and provide reasonable accommodations to ensure that individuals with disabilities can access public spaces, programs and services. In line with these requirements, we have undertaken several initiatives to enhance accessibility throughout our city:

1. **Physical Accessibility:** We are conducting regular assessments of public buildings, parks, sidewalks, and other facilities to identify and address physical barriers to accessibility. This includes installing ramps, handrails, and curb cuts, as well as ensuring that parking spaces designated for individuals with disabilities are properly marked and maintained.
2. **Digital Accessibility:** We are working to ensure that our website, online services and digital communications are accessible to all. This includes providing alternative formats for documents and optimizing our website for screen readers.
3. **Community Outreach and Education:** Actively engaging with residents, businesses and organizations to raise awareness about ADA compliance and the importance of accessibility. We aim to foster a culture of inclusion and understanding within our community.
4. **Feedback and Collaboration:** We welcome feedback from residents regarding accessibility concerns or suggestions for improvement. By actively soliciting input from individuals with disabilities and community stakeholders, we can better identify areas for enhancement and work collaboratively to address accessibility challenges.

Ensuring accessibility is not just a legal obligation but a fundamental value that enriches our community and enhances the quality of life for all residents. By embracing diversity and promoting inclusivity, we can create a more welcoming and equitable city for everyone.

If you have any questions, concerns or feedback regarding ADA compliance in the City of Carlton, please don't hesitate to contact us! You can reach City Hall by phone at 503-852-7575 or you can fill out and submit Comment/Concern Form in person or online at:

<https://www.ci.carlton.or.us/sites/default/files/fileattachments/administration/page/6221/2024-0418-comment-concern-inquiry-form-fillable.pdf>

Thank you for your continued support and partnership in our efforts to make Carlton a more accessible and inclusive community for all.