



Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Commission  
Meeting Agenda

Summary

Tuesday, July 22, 2025, 5:30 P.M.

Yuma City Hall, Room 190

Pursuant to A.R.S. #38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the ADA Commission of the City of Yuma and to the general public that the ADA Commission will hold a meeting open to the public on Tuesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> at 5:30 PM in room 190 of Yuma City Hall (1 City Plaza, Yuma, AZ).

**A. Call to Order 5:30 PM**

**B. Administrative Items**

- a. Roll Call Present: Virginia Avelar, Pamela Clark, Jason Giard, Leslie McClendon, Bill Mowczko, Mark Rummel
- b. Approval of Minutes- April 22, 2025 ACTION. Motion (Giard/Mowczko) to approve Minutes. Voice vote: Motion carried (6-0)
- c. Introduction of New Commission Members PRESENTED.

**C. Community Stakeholder, Guest Speaker – Arizona State Veteran Home – Yuma –**

David Barrientos, Administrator & Christina McLean, Director of Nursing PRESENTED.

AZ State Veteran Home presented on the services provided to veterans and how their facility operates. Volunteers and assistance are always encouraged to continue giving the best care.

**D. Yuma Police Department – Tom Garrity, Chief of Police RESCHEDULED.**

**E. CIP Update – ADA Elements – Steve Wilson, Assistant City Engineer PRESENTED.**

Steve Wilson presented a list of projects in roadway, pathway, buildings, and parks & rec that have ADA elements.

**F. Discuss Proposed ADA Education & Outreach Plan – Jenn Reichelt, Deputy City Administrator & Jennifer Miller, Communications Manager PRESENTED.**

Jen Miller presented an 8-week program that will roll out in January, highlighting different elements of ADA.

**G. Wheelchair Workshop Announcement – Pamela Clark, ADA Commissioner**

Saturday, August 16, 2025, at Yuma County Main Library from 10AM- 12PM PRESENTED. Items G and H were switched.

**H. Future Meeting Topics/Guest Speakers – Chairman Leslie McClendon & Jenn Reichelt, Deputy City Administrator DISCUSSED.**

Chief Garrity to be added to next agenda.

- a. Community Stakeholder Groups
- b. Possible Public Right-of-Way Accessibility Guidelines (PROWAG) training
- c. Interactive activity
- d. City Departments
  - i. October- Joel Olea, Public Works Director
  - ii. January- Eric Urfer, Parks and Recreation Director

I. **Call to the Public** NONE.

J. **Adjournment** 7:06PM

**Future Meeting Dates**

October 28, 2025

January 27, 2026

April 28, 2026

**Notice**

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Resolution R2015-047 that one or more members of the ADA Commission may participate telephonically. Voting procedures will remain as required by the Yuma City Charter and other applicable laws.

**Public Comment- ADA Commission**

In accordance with Arizona's Open Meeting Law, the Commission cannot engage in dialogue or respond directly to comments made during this portion of the meeting. Formal action cannot be taken on items not listed on the agenda. Comments may be referred to City staff for review or consideration at a future meeting.

Speakers are asked to clearly state their name for the record and limit remarks to five (5) minutes.

**Americans with Disabilities Act**

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the City of Yuma does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admission of or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs, activities, or services. For information regarding rights and provisions of the ADA or Section 504, or to request reasonable accommodations for participation in City programs, activities, or services contact: ADA/Section 504 Coordinator, City of Yuma Human Resources Division, One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364; (928) 373-5125 or TTY (928) 373-5149.

**Executive Session**

*The Commission may vote to hold an executive session for the purpose of obtaining legal advice from the Commission's attorney on any matter listed on the agenda pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3).*