

# COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

## ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

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October 17, 1989

The Honorable Anne Rudin  
Mayor of Sacramento  
City Hall  
915 I Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Mayor Rudin:

In response to the recommendation of the Sacramento Transportation Authority, members of the Sacramento County Advisory Committee for Persons With Disabilities (ACPWD) formed an ad-hoc task force. The purpose of the task force was to gather information which would identify locations needing improvements for elderly and handicap access. Measure A sales tax revenues would be allocated for these projects.

The task force was formed and is comprised of:

Kim Yee - City of Sacramento (Public Works)  
Bob Wise - County of Sacramento (Public Works)  
Mike Wiley - Regional Transit  
Peter LeDoux - Paratransit  
Gene Lozano - ACPWD  
Ramona Garcia - ACPWD  
Scott Harger - Barriers Subcommittee (ACPWD)  
Martha Powers - Staff

The task force met on July 14, 1989, and reviewed the Amended Road Construction and Road Maintenance Portion of the Sacramento County "Entity Annual Expenditure Plan" (copy enclosed). Exhibit A, item 11, reflects the county's allocation for elderly and handicap access for the period of April 1, 1989, through June 30, 1990.

The members resolved to do two things:

1. Gather information on needed accessibility improvements both in the City and County of Sacramento. Members have been asked by persons with disabilities to give the highest priority rating to those improvements in the near proximity of medical facilities.
2. Request that the City of Sacramento decide upon a similar annual allocation for accessibility, as has been identified by the County.

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On September 7, 1989, Ramona Garcia and I met with you and City Council Members, Lynn Robie and Kim Mueller, to advise you of the decisions made by the task force. As requested, I am enclosing a list of locations within the city's jurisdiction that are in need of access improvements. We respectfully request that this proposal be brought to the attention of the City Council's Finance Committee.

During the September meeting, Ms. Garcia expressed concern regarding exceptions being granted to builders and contractors by the City Department of Public Works. These exceptions refer to public, as well as privately funded, buildings and facilities and the building standards relating to access for the physically handicapped. Ms. Garcia and other members of the disabled community would appreciate having the city's building department review their criteria for granting these exceptions.

Thank you for your attention to this matter which is vital to independent living for persons with disabilities.

Respectfully yours,



Martha J. Powers  
Handicap Compliance Coordinator

cp  
Enclosures

cc City Council Member Lynn Robie  
City Council Member Kim Mueller  
Kim Yee  
Bob Wise  
Mike Wiley  
Peter LeDoux  
Gene Lozano  
Ramona Garcia  
Scott Harger

Approved for Committee Agenda:



SOLON WISHAM JR.  
Assistant City Manager

## EXHIBIT A

SACRAMENTO COUNTY MEASURE "A"  
 RECOMMENDED COUNTY ROAD CONSTRUCTION EXPENDITURE PLAN  
 FOR THE 15-MONTH PERIOD, APRIL 1, 1989, THROUGH JUNE 30, 1990

The Department has only a few projects that have a significant amount of project development completed and have been dependent upon receiving additional funds. The greatest majority of the projects proposed will have to be done by beginning as soon as possible with initial project development. Some projects will include only preliminary engineering (PE) and right-of-way acquisition (ROW) in this first year. The following projects are proposed based on ability to deliver and current priority lists:

1. Major roadway widening--(PE and ROW only)	\$ 600,000
Greenback Lane, I-80 to e/o Auburn Blvd.	
Elkhorn Blvd., w/o 32nd Street to Watt Avenue	
Elk Grove-Florin Road, s/o Bond Road to n/o Calvine	
Franklin Blvd., Ehrhardt to South City Limit*	
2. Major intersection to provide additional turning lanes	
Coloma Road at Sunrise Blvd.	130,000
Fulton Ave. at Marconi Ave. (PE & ROW only)	76,000
3. New traffic signals	740,000
Folsom Blvd. at McGregor Rd.	
Fruitridge Rd. at Del Norte/42nd Street	
Howe Ave. at Wyda Way	
Hurley Way at Morse Ave.	
San Juan Ave. at Sperry Way	
4. Upgrade traffic signal systems	
Stockton Blvd. at McMahon and Jansen*	150,000
5. New bike lanes	
Van Alstine Ave.--Fair Oaks Blvd. to California Ave.	265,000
6. Two-way, left turn lanes	700,000
Fair Oaks Blvd.--Fairchild to Garfield Ave.	
Hazel Ave.--Central to Oak	
La Riviera Drive--Waterton to Woodman	
7. Replacement of deficient bridges and approaches	
Cherry Ave.--east of Granite Ave.	250,000
El Verano Rd.--north of Elverta Rd.	250,000
Hood Franklin Road--east of Community of Hood	1,500,000
Twin Cities Road--west of Bruceville Road	250,000
8. Median improvement for safety	
Sunrise Blvd.--Douglas Blvd. to Folsom Blvd.	100,000
9. Project study	
Watt Ave.--Folsom Blvd. to Fair Oaks Blvd.	200,000
10. Speed control on various streets	100,000
11. Elderly and handicapped improvements	200,000
12. Safety improvements--island modifications	100,000
13. PE and ROW required for future identified Measure "A" projects	200,000
14. First Year Start-up Costs--equipment, fixed assets, and interest on loan from road fund	222,250
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COUNTY ROAD TOTAL	\$6,033,250
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\*City-County cooperative projects  
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## NEEDED CURB CUT LOCATIONS

The following locations have been identified by community members and local agencies (Voter Registration, RT Light Rail, etc.) as needing curb cuts within City jurisdiction:

ALKALI FLAT OFFICE  
CORNER CUT AT ENTRANCE  
530 - 12th STREET  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95814

SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER  
FOUR CORNERS AROUND BUILDING  
915 - 27th STREET  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95816

BIG TREES APARTMENTS  
IN FRONT OR AT CORNER  
2616 H STREET  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95816

FREMONT SCHOOL  
CORNER OF 24th AND O STREET  
NEAR SCHOOL  
2420 N STREET  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95816

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS  
IN FRONT OF BUILDING  
2201 BROADWAY  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95818

INTERFAITH SERVICE BUREAU  
CORNERS 38th STREET SOUTH SIDE  
3720 FOLSOM BLVD.  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95816

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF LDS  
CORNERS NEAR CHURCH  
2331 K STREET  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95816

SIERRA TWO CENTER  
IN FRONT NEAR RAMP  
2791 - 24th STREET  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95818

NEWMAN CENTER  
PEDESTRIAN PATH, ALSO WOODEN  
BRIDGE - CROSSING FROM  
H STREET AND J STREET -  
CARLSON

ARDEN WAY AT EMPRESS STREET - BOTH CORNERS  
ON NORTH SIDE OF ARDEN WAY.

ARDEN WAY AT CAMBRIDGE STREET - BOTH CORNERS  
ON NORTH SIDE OF ARDEN WAY.

ARDEN WAY AT OAKMONT STREET - BOTH CORNERS  
ON NORTH SIDE OF ARDEN WAY.

ARDEN WAY AT FORREST STREET - BOTH CORNERS  
ON NORTH SIDE OF ARDEN WAY.

FOLSOM BOULEVARD AT 65th STREET - NORTHEAST,  
NORTHWEST, AND SOUTHWEST CORNERS.

ON 29th STREET AT N STREET - NORTHEAST  
CORNER.

ON 29th STREET AT P STREET - NORTHWEST  
CORNER.

ON 29th STREET AT Q STREET - NORTHEAST  
CORNER.

VALLEY HI DRIVE AT BAMFORD - OF FOUR  
CORNERS, ONLY ONE IS RAMPED.

FAIR OAKS AND HOWE - BRIDGE, SIDEWALK  
TOO NARROW FOR WHEELCHAIRS, SIDEWALK ENDS  
ABRUPTLY, APPROACHES ON BOTH SIDES DAMAGED  
IN 1986 FLOOD.

COLLEGE TOWN AND HOWE - SIDEWALK NEEDED