



Municipality of the District of Argyle

Item: Accessibility Plan 2025-2028

Date: March 13, 2025

## *Our Vision*

*Argyle is the community of choice to invest, live and play.*

## *Our Identity*

*Argyle **invests** time & talent in growth opportunities in fishing, tourism, and renewable energy sectors.*

*Argyle provides affordable taxation while providing safe and **livable** communities and strives to engage and inform our residents on decisions that affect them most.*

*Argyle provides high class, accessible recreational and cultural facilities for health and for **play**.*

### **Background:**

Under the **Nova Scotia Accessibility Act**, municipalities are required to develop, update, and maintain accessibility plans that promote the inclusion and participation of individuals with disabilities in all aspects of community life. The existing accessibility plan has been reviewed, and based on feedback from residents, stakeholders, and municipal staff, an updated plan for the upcoming 3 years has been prepared to reflect new requirements and ongoing improvements

### **Budget considerations**

Annual Budget line for Accessibility improvements.

### **Recommendation:**

Approval of the updated Accessible Plan is essential for ensuring compliance with the **Nova Scotia Accessibility Act** and our municipality's ongoing commitment to accessibility and inclusion. By implementing the proposed updates, we will continue to remove barriers and foster an inclusive environment for all residents and visitors.

### **Suggested motion:**

Move that council approve the Accessibility Plan for 2025 – 2028.