City of North Bay

Report to Council

Report No: CSBU 2014 – 27 **Date**: April 22, 2014

Originator: Kathleen Fralic, Secretary-Treasurer

Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee

Subject: 2013 Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee (MAAC) Annual

Report

Recommendation

That the 2013 Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee Annual Report be received and referred to Committee.

Background

Attached is the 2013 Annual Report of the Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee (MAAC). The Annual Report was adopted by the Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee at their regular meeting held on April 3, 2014 and describes the activities of the Committee over the past year. Highlights of the report include the following:

- The Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee was consulted by the City on a variety of projects including pedestrian crosswalk timers in the downtown, paved sidewalks in the community and the Memorial Gardens renovations.
- The Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee held its annual Awareness Initiative and BBQ on June 5th, 2013.
- The Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee's Chair, Nora Long, attended the "Engaging Effectively with your Community" forum presented by the Accessibility Directorate of Ontario on May 7th, 2013.

A full listing of Committee activities and a work plan for 2014 is contained in the attached report.

Respectfully submitted,

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Kathleen Fralic, Secretary-Treasurer Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee

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We concur with this report and recommendations.

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Personnel designated for continuance: Secretary-Treasurer, Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee