

# ADA Reporting

## Transition Plans & Annual Updates

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# ADA Transition Plans - Overview

## History

- Title II of the 1990 Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) stipulated that every public agency with more than 50 employees have an ADA Transition Plan completed by **January 26, 1995**.
- WSDOT's first ADA Transition Plan was published in 1995, addressing accessibility barriers in WSDOT buildings, on-site facilities, safety rest areas, and Washington State Ferry (WSF) operations, but not pedestrian facilities in the public right-of-way.
- WSDOT's [2017 ADA Transition Plan Update](#) addresses those features that were not included in the 1995 plan.

## Requirements

An ADA Transition Plan is required to:

- (1) identify barriers that limit accessibility to services and programs;
- (2) describe the methods to be used to make the facilities accessible;
- (3) provide a schedule for achieving compliance; and
- (4) identify individuals responsible for implementation of the ADA Transition Plan.

## Goal

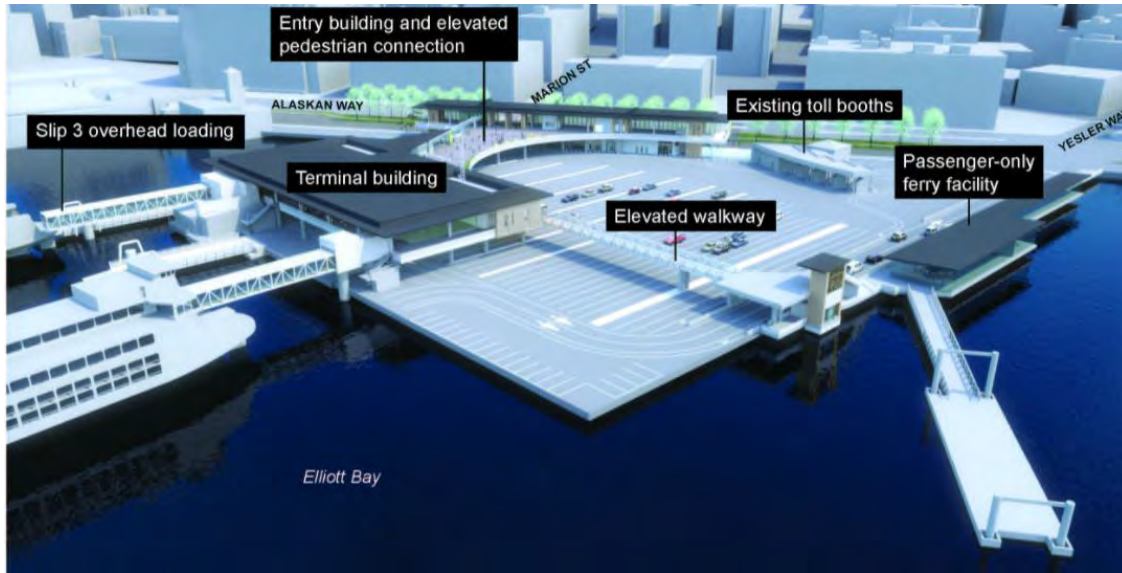
- The elimination of barriers listed in the ADA Transition Plan and compliance with the requirements of the ADA going forward.

# ADA Self-Evaluation Inventory

- WSDOT conducted an inventory of existing barriers in the facilities under the department's control between February 2009 and November 2012
- Based on the data collected, WSDOT established a schedule of ADA improvements to remove the barriers
- WSDOT's [Self-Evaluation Inventory](#) has scheduled ADA improvements out to 2064
- If complaints concerning barriers are received from the public, the prioritization of barrier removal may be altered

# Annual ADA Compliance Reports to FHWA

- The ADA Transition Plan should be viewed as a “living document” and updated regularly to reflect changes in real world conditions and to address any possible new areas of noncompliance.
- WSDOT is required to provide the FHWA with an Annual Report showing the progress the Agency has made removing barriers and attaining the goals outlined in WSDOT’s ADA Transition Plan.
- WSDOT’s [2021 ADA Annual Report](#) provides the FHWA and the public with a Report on what was accomplished in Federal Fiscal Year 2021 (October 1, 2020 – September 30, 2021).



## ADA Improvements –

### Seattle Multimodal Terminal at Colman Dock

- The new passenger only ferry terminal will be completely ADA compliant. The new Seattle terminal will include:
  - ADA bathrooms, doors, elevators, counter heights, turnstiles, ticket sales booths, audio and visual paging, detectable warning surfaces, detectable route finding.
- **Scheduled for completion in 2023**



### Mukilteo Multimodal Terminal

- New multimodal terminal is completely ADA compliant, including:
  - elevators, sidewalks, visual paging, walkway detector strips, ADA passenger dropoff/pickup, overhead walkway.

<u>ADA Component</u>	<u>Number of installations or activities</u>
Sidewalks	63
Curb Ramps	47
Detectable Warning Surfaces	25
Curb Ramps and Sidewalks	19

Description/Project Title (includes location)	APS Installed
I-5, SR 510 Interchange Reconstruct Interchange	12
Kitsap Area, Paving and ADA Compliance	20
96th St E to Orville Rd E-Paving And ADA	6
SR 6, Chehalis River Bridge to I-5 Pavement Rehab,	6
City of Sumner - E Main Project	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>46</b>

## Public Right-Of-Way (PROW) ADA Improvements - FFY 2021

### Sidewalks

- Alterations to width, grade, cross slope

### Curb Ramps

- Alterations to landings, side flares, running slope, cross slope

### Detectable Warning Surfaces

- Truncated domes, visual contrast, location

### Accessible Pedestrian Signals (APS)

- Location, height
- Audio, tactile or vibrotactile

# Resources

- [2017 WSDOT ADA Transition Plan Update.pdf](#)
- [2021 WSDOT ADA Annual Report.pdf](#)
- [ADA Transition Plans: A Guide to Best Management Practices](#) (NCHRP # 20-7 (232))
- Proposed Public Rights-of-Way Accessibility Guidelines – [PROWAG](#)
- Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (Federal Highway Administration, 2009) - [MUTCD\(current\)](#)
- ADA Title II Technical Assistance Manual - [ADA Title II Technical Assistance Manual](#)

# Questions?

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