

ADA Committee Meeting
Owens 207 3:00pm
Feb. 12, 2009

Present: Jeff Goebel, Dan Kirk, Greg Toutges, Becky Lindell, Kathryn Estee, Barb Seiler, Marc Holland, Ed Choate

Absent: Norma Andersen, Warren Wiese, Dave Holsen, Tom Schmidt

Jeff discussed Lommen Hall renovation process and some access issues. Asbestos removal will begin March 2. Access on 14th Street by the dorms and along the way to the Higher Ed Center is difficult for wheelchair travel. The city of Moorhead has not fixed the problem. Jeff stated the MSUM will no longer be leasing the HEC and therefore, SLHS and Alumni Foundation will be relocated. SLHS will go to King Hall and Alumni to the Centennial House. Both locations have handicapped accessibility.

There was discussion on handicapped permits and their use in Ulot. Cindy Sogn from Parking was called to verify rules for this.

Bob Schieffer requested continued use of the video phone for students on campus. The equipment was purchased through Human Resources special ADA equipment fund. The student who used this service is no longer here so Bob would like permission to keep this equipment for other students when needed. The committee agreed to continue to offer this service. Bob and Greg will check with the CMU and the Library to see if they have space for this.

Jeff asked if MSUM has an ADA policy /plan. He couldn't find anything on the website. Greg said he would like departments/programs to put a notice on their materials or ads for events, etc. as to who should be contacted for accommodations.

Meeting adjourned 4:00pm

Submitted by,
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