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Q1

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Q2

What are the goals and objectives of your project?

The goal of this project is to provide ADA compliant staff entrance doors while maintaining secure staff areas of the building. The ADA compliant handicap door openers will work with the library security system.

This project will provide appropriate access through the staff entrance for staff members who require a handicap door opener. It will also provide easier access through the doors staff pushing carts or carrying packages.

Q3

How will this project change the library building?

This project will provide additional ADA handicap door openers.

Q4

How will this project benefit your patrons?

This project will benefit patrons by ensuring there are no barriers to access for all our staff members.

Q5

What is the timeline for the project?

Approximately three months from the approval of funding.

Page 2: Project Assessment

Q6

EVALUATION: What tools will you use to evaluate the program quantitatively (i.e. statistics)? What tools will you use to measure the program's success qualitatively?

The project will be evaluated by observing the use of the door.

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Q7

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Upload PROJECT BUDGET

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Upload PHOTO DOCUMENTATION

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Q10

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Southern Adirondack Library System 2022 Challenge Grant Application

Budget:

In the "details" column, provide information on the item being budgeted for in this category.

Category	Project Funds Requested	In-Kind/Matching	Total	Details
Purchased Services			-	
Equipment	\$5,000	9,400.00	14,400.00	Puchae and install three automatic door openers on staff entrance doors
Materials/Supplies			-	
Personnel			-	
CE Program Registration			-	
Travel			-	
Total	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 9,400.00	\$ 14,400.00	

Library Director Signature: Abutilus

Board President Signature: Mario J...

Date: 3/18/2024

Submit all documents as PDFs through our online application portal.

Hand-written applications will not be accepted.

Walkthrough Participants:

Jamie Hanley, long term patron and member of the Friends of the Library

Exterior

- The exterior of the library includes 5 handicap parking spaces in the closest location to the Library's front entrance. There are no curbs from the handicap spots to the front entrance, but there are pavers, some of which have subsided and need to be removed and reinstalled flush.
- Patrons have reported that the pavers are difficult to cross when using a walker or manual wheelchair.
- At the east end of the sidewalk in front of the library, there is no curb cut to provide access to the parking lot and the multiuse path.

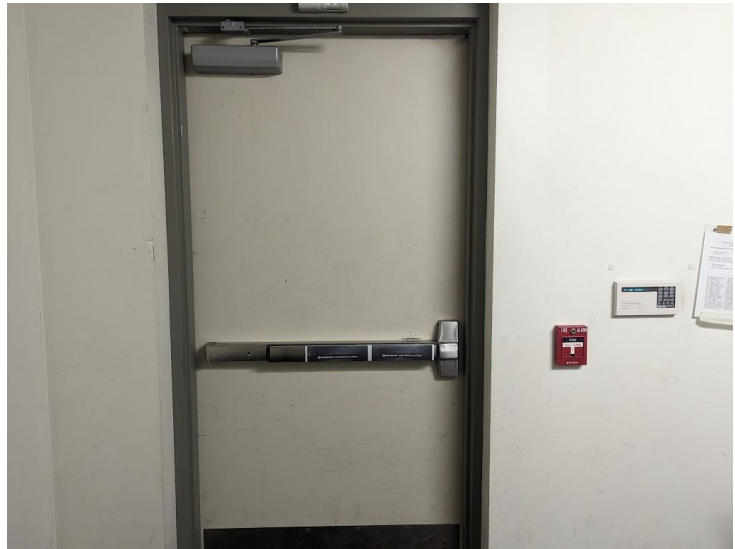
Interior

- The entrance to the library is accessible, with automatic opening doors.
- Public elevator provides accessible access to the second floor.
- Some items on lower and higher shelves might be difficult to access for patrons with limited mobility.
- Service desks are at accessible heights.
- Tables and study carrels are accessible.
- Main restrooms are accessible and doors have handicap accessible buttons.
- Restroom in Children's Library does not have handicap accessible button.
- Most interior doors have handicap accessible buttons – exceptions are the staff entrance doors.
- Staff restroom doors also do not have handicap accessible buttons.

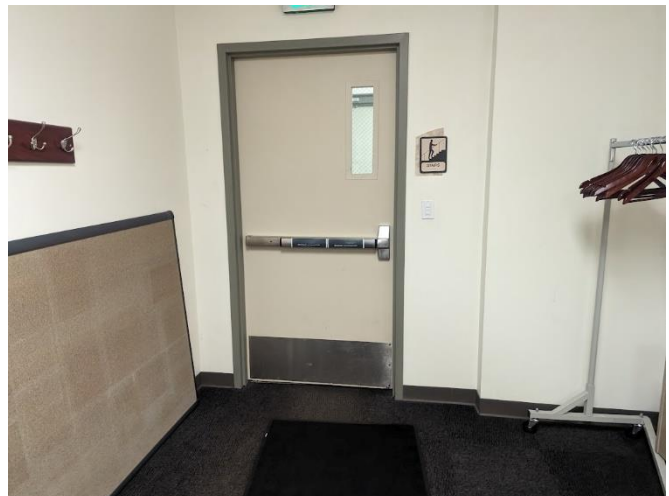
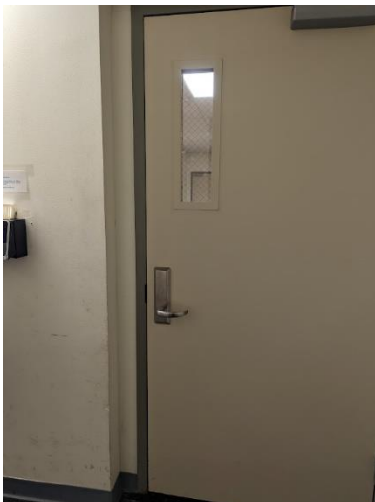


There are a series of three doors that staff members pass through when entering the Library at the staff entrance (see photos below). The project would provide ADA compliant access to the staff entrance.

Exterior Door



Interior door by time clock





Door between public and staff areas

