



ADA Advocacy in the Post-ADA World

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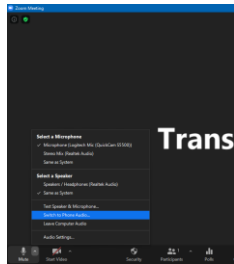
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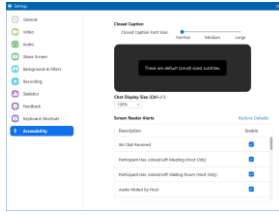
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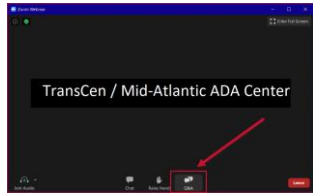
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- Improving the lives of people with disabilities through meaningful work and community inclusion

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- Funded by National Institute on Disability, Independent Living, and Rehabilitation Research (NIDILRR), Administration for Community Living, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services



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ADA National Network

- Ten regional centers provide guidance, training, and materials on the ADA
 - 1-800-949-4232
 - ADAta.org



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ADA Advocacy in the Post-ADA World
...and why we still need it



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2017: NC PA ADAPT Brings the Need for Access to the Public



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Williamsport's City Hall



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Accessible Path of Travel



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"Accessible" Entrance at City Hall



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Entrance Through the Police Department



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Police Dept/Accessible Path of Travel



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Accessible Path of Travel/Holding Bench



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Accessible Parking Violation by the Police Dept



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Review of Ramp Design in 2018

April 26, 2018

RTFCIL and ADAPT at the table with Williamsport City Council members to go over blueprints of the "new ramp"



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Graphic Explaining That Ramps Work for All



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Protest at City Council Meeting



"Move public meetings to an accessible location for ALL the public."



"Public meetings should be accessible 2 ALL"

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Protest at the Lycoming County Inauguration



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January 3, 2020

"Protest during inaugural ceremony disrupts swearing-in of city and county officials"



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Protest during inaugural ceremony disrupts swearing in of city and county officials
What began as a peaceful and orderly inaugural ceremony on Friday morning in Williamsport ...

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Protest and Arrest at City Council Meeting



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Press Release from the City of Williamsport

January 28, 2020

As a result of our work, last week on Ed Roberts Day, the **City of Williamsport has agreed to move public meetings!!**

JOB WELL DONE!! This right here is the result of what we do ... too bad it took civil disobedience to achieve this simple outcome but achieving the outcome is what is important for our people.



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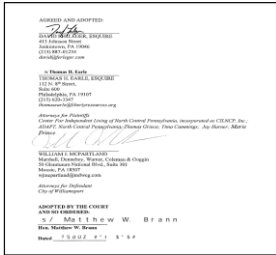


First Accessible City Council Meeting



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Consent Decree Signed by Judge Brann



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The Consent Decree

- Provided assurance that the elevator and ramp would be accessible
- Required an Accessibility Consultant
- Creation/implementation of a work plan
- Establishes the Joint Committee
- Requires Disability Awareness training for all employees
- Establishes a complaint/resolution process
- The City of Williamsport was responsible for plaintiffs' legal fees
- Development of reporting and monitoring tools
- DEADLINE: March 10th, 2022

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Local Press Covers Contempt Charges

July 6, 2021
 City Hall Renovations:
 The motion of contempt filed against Williamsport



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Groundbreaking for Ramp at City Hall



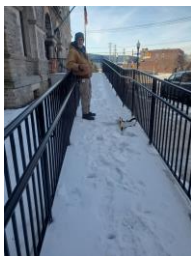
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Ramp at Main Entrance of City Hall



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Ramp Survey for Compliance



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RTF Recognition of Others

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