Community Development Department



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CONSTRUCTION HARDSHIP FORM

The provisions of Section 11B-202.4 Exception 8 apply to existing buildings or facilities used as public buildings, public accommodations, commercial buildings or public housing. When these buildings or facilities undergo alterations, structural repairs, or additions, an accessible path of travel must be provided to the specific area of construction.

When the adjusted construction cost¹ of **alterations, structural repairs, or additions to existing buildings and facilities** within three years of the original alteration <u>exceeds a valuation threshold</u> <u>of \$170,466.00</u>, the cost of compliance with Section 11B-202.4 exception 8 of the 2016 California Building Code shall be a minimum of 20% of the adjusted construction cost of alterations, structural repairs or additions.

In choosing which accessible elements to provide, priority should be given to those elements that will provide the greatest access in the following order:

- 1. An accessible entrance;
- 2. An accessible route to the area of alteration, structural repair, or addition (see definition of accessible route Section 202 & 11B-206.2.1 for more information on accessible routes and site arrival points);
- 3. At least one accessible restroom for each sex serving the area of alteration, structural repair or addition;
- 4. Accessible telephones, if provided, serving the area of alteration, structural repair, or addition;
- 5. Accessible drinking fountains, if provided, serving the area of alteration, structural repair, or addition; and
- 6. When possible, additional accessible elements such as additional parking, storage, signs and alarms.

Please complete the attached worksheet, and prepare a site and floor plan of the existing and proposed accessibility improvements along the accessible route to the area of alteration that shall be submitted to the Building Division in duplicate, prior to completing your plan review. One copy of the approval or denial of the unreasonable hardship request will be returned to the applicant.

Please note that this request for hardship is subject to approval by the Building Official and a ratification process by the access appeals board.

Additionally, barrier removal is ongoing obligation for ADA and this application does not exempt the applicant of any obligations to removing barriers in a reasonable time frame and by signing this report you understand that this 20% is for this addition/alteration alone.

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Project Address:			Application No.	Application No.				
Project Description/Location:			Permit Valuation:					
Type: 🛛 Alteration 🗆 Structural Repair 🗆 Addition			Adjusted Cost of Pr	Adjusted Cost of Proposed Construction:				
	PATH OF TRAVEL REQU	IREMENTS FOR AREA OF ALTI	ERATION, STRUCTURAL F	REPAIR, OR	ADDITION			
Accessible Features		Does existing feature meet accessibility standards of Chapt 11B of the current CBC?	Will this feature be re altered to meet Chap the current CBC?		If so, how much will be spent to make this feature accessible?			
1. Accessible entrance								
2. Accessible route to the altered area								
 Accessible restroom for each sex or a unisex restroom serving the area 								
4. Accessible telephones								
5. Accessible drinking fountains								
6. Other (Any of the below)								
A. Accessible parking spaces								
B. Signs	3							
C. Alarms								
D. Other:								
Cost of All Fea	tures Provided (A)	Summary of costs of Accessible	e Features Nos. 1-6 provided	l above.				
Total Cost on S	Same Path of Travel (B)*	Construction cost for all propose except proposed and previous						
Percentage Up	grades Provided (A / B)	Cost of all Features Provided /	Total Cost on Same Path of	Travel.				
Description of	f Access Features Provided:							
Hardship Req	uest:							
Applicant Certification I certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.								
Signature:		Date: / /	Company:					
Name: (print)			Address:					
Title:			City, State Zip:					
Agent for:	□ Owner □ Architect □ Engin	eer 🗆 Contractor	Phone No.:					
For Building Official Use Only								
Approved by:		Title:		Date:	/ /			
*If an area ha	s been altered without provid	ing an accessible path of trave	el to that area, and subse	quent altera	ations of that area or a			

*If an area has been altered without providing an accessible path of travel to that area, and subsequent alterations of that area or a different area on the same path of travel are undertaken within three years of the original alteration, the total cost of alterations to the areas on that path of travel during the preceding three-year period shall be considered in determining whether the cost of making that path of travel accessible is disproportionate.

¹ Adjusted cost of construction does not include the cost of alterations to path of travel elements required to be upgraded outside the area of alteration, structural repair, or addition.





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EXAMPLE FORM

Project Address: 123 Hope Street					Application No. B1409-241				
Project Description/Location: Office tenant improvement (2,040 SF) at 5th floor Suite No. 502				or Permit Valu	Permit Valuation: \$180,000.00				
Type <u>: X Alteration</u> Structural Repair Addition				*Adjusted (*Adjusted Cost of Proposed Construction: \$144,000.00				
	PATH OF TRAVEL REQ	JIREMENT	S FOR AREA OF ALTE	RATION, STRUC	TURAL REPAII	R, OR ADDITION			
Accessible Features		Does existing feature meet accessibility standards of Chapter 11B of the current CBC?			ture be replaced eet Chapter 11 CBC?				
1 Accessible entrance		NO			YES	\$ 2,400.00	\$ 2,400.00		
2 Accessib	ccessible route to the altered area		NO		PARTIAL	\$26,000.00	\$26,000.00		
3 Accessible restroom for each sex serving the area		NO			YES	\$ 8,000.00			
4 Accessible telephones		N/A			N/A				
5 Accessible drinking fountains		N/A							
6 Other (A	ny of the below)								
E. Accessible parking spaces		NO			YES	\$ 1,100.00			
F. Signs	3	NO							
G. Alarms		N/A							
H. Other	r:								
Cost of All Features Provided (A)		Summary of costs of Accessible Features Nos. 1-6 provided above				e. \$37,500.00			
Total Cost on Same Path of Travel (B)		Cost of F	Proposed Construction a	\$144,000.00					
Percentage Upgrades Provided (A / B)		Cost of a	all Features Provided / Te	. 26%					
Description of	f Access Features Provided:	L.							
	landing, new accessible fixtures	for the rest	rooms, properly mark an	d identify the acce	ssible parking a	area, and 27 cubic yards of con	ocrete		
(289 feet of sid	lewalk)								
Hardship Reg	uest: 345 lineal feet of exterior s	idewalk that	it exceeds 2.08% cross s	slope which is 3.4°	% - 3.8%. Witho	out this request approval the			
	be able to happen due to lack of								
Applicant Cer	tification e above information is true and c	orrect to the	e best of my knowledge	and belief.					
Signature:	John Smith		Date: 09 /12/2014	Company:	Johns' Smithing & Wesson				
Name: (print)				Address:	123 Broadway				
Title:	Architect of Record Ci			City, State Zip:	Oroville, CA,	, 95965			
Agent for:	X Owner X Architect Engineer Contractor Pt			Phone No.:	e No.: 530-000-0000				
8	Official Use Only								
Approved by:	-		Title:			Date: / /			
	s been altered without provid	ling on an		to that area ar	d oubocaucat				

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