On March 6th, ACTF members Allaina Humphreys and Mary Hamill did a presentation on visitability at the City of Naperville Residential Builder's Breakfast. A copy of the packet given to all attendees is attached. The City will begin the proposed revisions to its building code in the 2nd quarter of 2024 and the ACTF plans to propose adding visitability to the building code.

At the April 17th Planning and Zoning Commission, the above new housing development was proposed. These new homes have a front step entrance making it impossible for persons who use mobility devices to enter these homes. Naperville needs visitability.

The ACTF began working on the City of Naperville Student Recognition Awards. These Awards recognize students from each of the schools within Naperville Community Unit School District 203 and Indian Prairie School District 204 who are making a positive difference in the lives of people with disabilities within their school or community. Six students from six were selected and will be recognized at the May 7th City Council meeting.

The ACTF has created a working group to learn more about the Accessible Icon Project https://accessibleicon.org and see about the feasibility of doing this in Naperville.

Mary Hamill attended the Riverwalk Planning, Design & Construction Meeting on April 2nd and offered comments in support of additional benches along the Riverwalk. Several types of benches were discussed as well. Mary Hamill also attended the Riverwalk Commission Annual Asset Management Plan Walk on April 18th.

At the March ACTF meeting, Kelly Hickey, a Wheatland Township trustee, presented information about services for persons with disabilities. The ACTF plans to contact the other five townships to learn more about services as well as encouraging all six townships to include information about services on their websites.

A follow-up to the February 7th ACD meeting: the ACTF supports the City funding 100% of sidewalk replacement so that more inspections and repairs could be initiated.

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