

OKANOGAN COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS (OCOG)

ADA Policy

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ADA Policy Introduction

The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) is a federal civil rights law that prohibits discrimination against people with disabilities in everyday activities. The ADA prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability just as other civil rights laws prohibit discrimination on the basis of race, color, sex, national origin, age, and religion. The ADA guarantees that people with disabilities have the same opportunities as everyone else to enjoy employment opportunities, purchase goods and services, and participate in state and local government programs.

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Information

The Okanogan Council of Governments (OCOG) is committed to providing equal access to its facilities, programs and services for persons with disabilities. This material can be made available in an alternate format by emailing Jon Neal at jneal@co.okanogan.wa.us or by calling 509-422-7100. Persons who are deaf or hard of hearing may make a request by calling the Washington State Relay at 711.

Title VI Notice to the Public

The OCOG hereby gives public notice that it is the agency's policy to assure full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, and related statutes and regulations in all programs and activities. Title VI requires that no person shall, on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or other activity for which OCOG receives federal financial assistance. For additional information regarding a subrecipient's Title VI obligations, a public information request form must be completed and filed with the OCOG Title VI Coordinator.