## 504 ACCESSIBILITY SELF-EVALUATION Town of Allenstown

## Community Development Finance Authority Community Development Block Grant Program

	ACCESSIBLE	NOT ACCESSIBLE	VISION IMPAIRED	HEARING IMPAIRED	MOBILITY IMPAIRED	SENIORS
MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS						
Town Hall	Yes		Y	Y	Y	Y
Police Station	Yes		Y	Y	Y	Y
Library	Yes		Y	Y	Y	Y
Fire Station	Yes		Y	Y	Y	Y
PROGRAMS						

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## Town of Allenstown 504 Self-Evaluation Plan for Handicap Accessibility

Adopted: April 20th, 2015

PURPOSE: Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act provides that no otherwise qualified individuals with handicaps shall solely on the basis of their handicap, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program, activity or governmental unit that receives Federal Financial Assistance.

In its intent to comply with the terms of Section 504 and the Americans with Disabilities Act, the Municipality has conducted an evaluation of its buildings and policies. The evaluation was made to determine if any structures contained physical barriers to handicap persons. The evaluation also addressed what Municipal-adopted policies might prevent handicap persons from fully participating in services, programs, government or employment opportunities.

MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS: The following Municipal owned buildings are handicap accessible: Town Hall, Police Station, Library, Fire Station.

The following Municipal owned buildings are not accessible: Highway Department

Administrative actions to be taken: The grievance procedure in the Municipal Personnel Policies must include 504 Grievances (Titled: Grievance Procedure, including 504 Grievances).

Structural actions to be taken: The Municipality is making the following buildings accessible (note when): Study committee is developing options for a new public works facility. The committee was initiated on 3/23/15.

PROGRAMS: The Municipality has appointed the Town Administrator as the Municipality's 504 and ADA Compliance Coordinator. His function, in this capacity, is to keep abreast of all changes in handicap access regulations and to address the needs of handicap persons in gaining access to all Municipal Offices and activities.

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