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MEMORANDUM

To: Finance and Personnel Committee Members
From: Eric Pearson, Budget and Policy Manager
Subject: Status of DOJ ADA Compliance Recommendations for MPL Facilities

The Committee requested information on the status of the Department of Justice (DOJ) Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliance recommendations at Milwaukee Public Library (MPL) facilities.

The ADA settlement agreement with DOJ identified 196 items at MPL facilities that need to be brought into compliance. As of early October 2018, a total of 89 of these items have been remediated.

The Independent Licensed Architect (ILA) hired by the City to work on the ADA Compliance project identified additional compliance items not included in the DOJ agreement. The ILA identified an additional 54 non-compliant items that will require actions to bring the City into compliance with ADA requirements.

MPL is working with the DOA ADA Coordinator and the ILA to remediate the remaining items within the compliance deadlines established by DOJ.

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