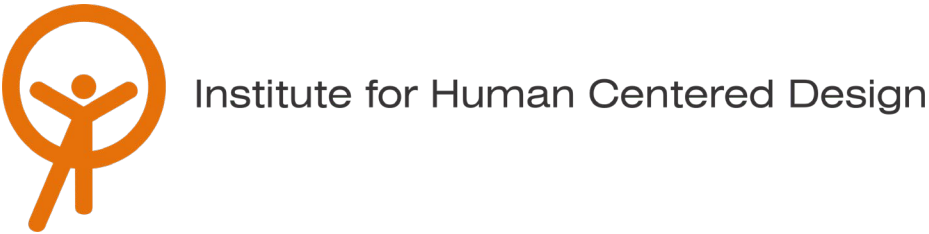


Willow Park



Town of Fairhaven ADA Transition Plan

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Background

Willow Park is located on Morse St. and is also known as Leonard E. Pierce Memorial Park. The park is adjacent to the Phoenix Rail Trail Bike Path.

Key Accessibility Issues

Exterior Routes

Accessibility issues include routes with excessive cross slopes, lack of stable, firm and slip-resistant surfaces, and lack of an accessible route to a bike rack and bench.

Order of Magnitude Cost Estimates

- Providing directional signage: \$450

Total: \$450*

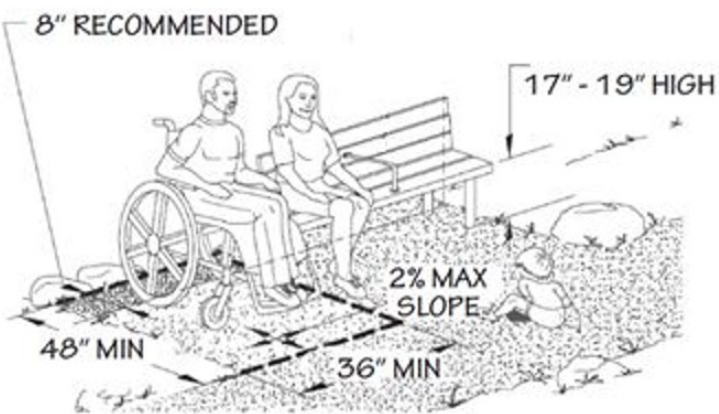
***Note:** IHCD is not providing costs for some exterior issues such as estimating the cost to repair or provide expanses of sidewalk and walkways.





Best Practice and Inclusive Design

Best practice and inclusive design recommendations include elements that are not required in the standards but may create enhanced experiences for all users.



- Recommend providing a 36" min. by 48" min. stable, firm and slip-resistant surface adjacent to at least one of the existing benches in each unique program area in the park in a manner that is substantially similar to what is shown in Figure 1.

Figure 1 shows a stable, firm and slip-resistant surface adjacent to a bench positioned to allow a person in a wheeled mobility device and a person sitting on the bench to have their shoulders aligned:



ID	Location	Floor	Room	Element	Type	Photo	Issues	Current Measure	Recommendations	Quantity	Price	Cost Estimation
Approach and Entrance												
Exterior Access Route												
1	Morse Street	Ext.		Exterior Access Route	Sidewalk		Cross slope > 1:50 (2.00%)	7.5%	Reduce cross slope to be no steeper than 1:50 (2.00%).	1	-	-
2	Entrance From Morse Street	Ext.		Exterior Access Route	Exterior		Surface is not stable, firm, and slip-resistant	-	Repair surface to be firm, stable, and slip-resistant.	1	-	-
3	Bike Rack	Ext.		Exterior Access Route	Exterior		Accessible route not provided	-	Ensure an accessible route is provided to the bike rack.	1	-	-
Entrance												
4	Phoenix Bike Trail	Ext.		Entrance	N/A		Directional sign to accessible entrance not provided	-	Provide a directional sign or a series of signs directing visitors to the accessible entrance at Morse Street.	1	450	\$450
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Access to Goods and Services												

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Exterior Benches												
5	Park	Ext.		Exterior Benches	N/A		No accessible route to one bench in area	-	Relocate one bench to an accessible route.	1	-	-
Best Practice												
6	Park	Ext.							Recommend providing a 36” min. by 48” min. stable, firm and slip-resistant surface adjacent to at least one of the existing benches in each unique program area in the park.	1	-	-