## North Superior Broadcasting Ltd.



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Marc Morin, Secretary General Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0N2

## Update on 2024 to 2027 Multi-Year Accessibility Plan

Re: 1101-NOC2020-0124 and 1011-NOC2021-0069

The following notice outlines the progress on the 2024 to 2027 Multi-Year Accessibility Plan. The plan includes the seven priorities areas of accessibility as outlined by the Accessible Canada Act.

Updates in each area as of May 2025, are as follows:

Priority Areas	Activities / Events	Policy Integration (2024 to 2025 updates that include Accessibility Elements)	PPW Integration (2024 to 2025 updates that include Accessibility Elements)
Employment	Input during 2023 and 2024 Employee I&E Sessions	<ul> <li>Employee Manual v2         (deployed 2022); v3 (to         be deployed fall 2025)</li> <li>HR Recruiting Policy</li> <li>HR Employee Benefits</li> <li>On Air Cultural Diversity         Policy (2025)</li> <li>Vehicle use Policy</li> <li>DougallMedia         SuccessCycle Policy</li> <li>Others in progress</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>HR Recruiting PPW</li> <li>HR Employee Benefits PPW</li> <li>Various Department Operational PPWs in News, TV, Radio and Engineering</li> <li>Vehicle use PPW</li> <li>DougallMedia SuccessCycle PPWs</li> <li>Others in progress</li> </ul>
The Built Environment	<ul><li>Health and Safety Audits</li><li>Accessibility Audit</li></ul>	Heath and Safety Policy	<ul> <li>Health and Safety PPWs</li> <li>Facility Upgrade Plans for 2024 to 2027 (year 1 elements)</li> </ul>
ICT	<ul> <li>Software and platform review</li> </ul>	In progress	<ul> <li>In progress</li> </ul>
Communications other than ICT	<ul> <li>2024-27 Policy         Available on Websites</li> <li>Policy Overview         available on Corporate         Website</li> <li>Accessibility Feedback         Form available on all         consumer-facing         websites</li> </ul>	• In progress	• In progress
The Procurement of Goods,	<ul> <li>Amazon Business         Procurement Program         review     </li> </ul>	• In progress	In progress

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Services and Facilities			
Priority Areas	Activities / Events	Policy Integration (2024 to 2025 updates that include Accessibility Elements)	PPW Integration (2024 to 2025 updates that include Accessibility Elements)
The Design and Delivery of Programs and Services	<ul> <li>Incorporated into annual planning</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>TV Described Video</li> <li>TV Closed Captioning</li> <li>Annual Planning</li> <li>DougallMedia SuccessCycle</li> <li>Others in progress</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>TV Described Video</li> <li>TV Closed Captioning</li> <li>DougallMedia         SuccessCycle Manuals     </li> <li>Others in progress</li> </ul>
Transportations	• n/a	• n/a	• n/a

## **UPDATE REQUIREMENTS:**

The organization adopted the philosophy that ongoing identification and removal of barriers should be integrated into Policies, Procedures, Annual Planning, and Perpetual Programs rather than conduct a gap audit once, and develop a gap removal plan only. As such, this update document reflects the majority of the work related to policy and PPW (Processes, Procedures and Workflows) integration. This work continues within the confines of organizational capacity.

Stakeholders were consulted through employee input and engagement sessions, health and safety audits, accessibility audits, and requests for feedback located on the various listener-facing websites. These remain ongoing or part of annual programs as appropriate.

Gaps and barriers continue to be identified and incorporated into planning activities based on urgency, risk and priorities including access to available funding.

Yours,

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