

## Standing Committee Annual Report

Name of Committee or Council:

Accessibility committee

Chair:

Jamue McCrary

Meeting Dates in Current Year:

October 2021

**Major Actions or Accomplishments:** committee met to discuss current physical accessibility improvement needs such as improvements to the University bookstore, stairways/sidewalks improvements, curb cuts on University property, lecture hall stairwells and accessible entrances to building. In addition university architect made committee aware of a potential \$250,000 grant provided by TBR this academic year to provide funding for accessibility initiatives brought forth by the University. University architect also made the committee aware of the need to install two elevators in two of campuses oldest building where accessibility greatly needed. There was a discussion to readdress/update the University accessibility plan the upcoming academic year. An email from the university architect in February 2022 stated that the University did not receive the \$250,000 grant from TBR and therefore initiatives for improvements have now been put on hold. Accessibility committee will now reconvene together next academic year.