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# SOLICITATION TO FILL COMMUNITY VACANCIES ON THE LOS ANGELES WORLD AIRPORT'S (LAWA) DISABILITY ACCESS and ACCOMMODATION ADVISIORY COMMITTEE (DAAAC)

The City of Los Angeles Commission on Disability (COD), is soliciting applications to fill two vacant positions on Los Angeles World Airports Disability Access and Accommodation Advisory Committee (DAAAC). Candidates must live in an are a served by Los Angeles World Airports. These areas include Los Angeles County, Orange County, San Bernardino County, Riverside County and Ventura County.

In order to balance the membership of the committee, the ideal candidate should have a vision, mobility, hearing; cognitive disability or works with people who have cognitive disabilities, vision loss, hearing loss or persons with mobility issues. The candidate should be an experience air travel who uses Los Angeles International Airport (LAX).

The Committee assists Airport Management in identifying barriers to travel, and recommends ways to address the needs of the traveling public with disabilities. Committee members serve as eyes and ears of the disability community in helping make our airports more accessible and user friendly. Committee members also serve as a catalyst for informing the disabilities community of initiatives LAWA is taking to serve them better.

Service on the Committee is voluntary and there is no monetary compensation for this service. Meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month from 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., at the Flight Path Museum, 6661 West Imperial Highway, Los Angeles, CA., (at the end of the 105 Freeway). Access Services does provide rides to qualified persons with disabilities to the meeting site. Occasional field trips may occur. Los Angeles World Airports will provide transportation for field trips.

# **Committee Composition:**

Six members from the Community (appointed by the Commission on Disabilities) One Airline Representative (appointed by the Airlines) Two Airport Representatives (appointed by LAWA) One TSA Representative Total composition of the Committee is 11 members.

#### **Qualifications:**

The Committee member should have a keen understanding of the barriers faced by travelers with various disabilities. The successful candidate must be committed to attending one meeting lasting two hours per month. There may be occasion where Committee members may be asked to participate in special events or special meetings.

Applicants must be able to travel to Los Angeles International Airport for meetings.

## How to Apply

Persons interested in serving on the Airport Citizens ADA Committee should provide:

- Cover letter
- Completed "Application for Appointment (provided below)
- Copy of your resume (if available)
- The completed package should be mailed to:

Lawrence J. Rolon LAWA Coordinator for Disability Services Los Angeles World Airports 1 World Way Los Angeles, California 90045-5803

#### **Deadline:** Applications will be accepted until the positions are filled.

**Questions**: Questions should be addressed to:

Lawrence J. Rolon LAWA Coordinator for Disability Services (424) 646-5005 (Relay Service: 711 or (800) 735-2929) e-mail: jrolon@lawa.org

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND APPLICATION GO TO: www.flylax.com/en/lax-americans-with-disability-act and click on ADA Committee

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#### City of Los Angeles Commission on Disability

### APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO LOS ANGELES WORLD AIRPORTS DISABILITY ACCESS and ACCOMMODATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (DAAAC)

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ADDRESS		CITY			ZIP CODE
PHONE	CELL		E-MAIL ADDRESS		

#### REFERENCES

NAME (FIRST REFERENCE)	PHONE NO.	
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE ZIP
NAME (SECOND REFERENCE	PHONE NO.	
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE ZIP
NAME (THIRD REFERENCE)	PHONE NO.	
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE ZIP

I authorized the DAAAC Committee, Los Angeles World Airports, and Commission on Disability to share information in this application as part of their background check.

Signature

Date

Please respond to the questions on the next page and enclose them with this form. Also attach a resume (if you have one) with the application.

Mail your completed package to:

Lawrence J. Rolon LAWA Coordinator for Disability Services Attn: ADA Committee Selection Panel Los Angeles World Airports 1 World Way Los Angeles, California 90045-5803

# YOU MAY USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF MORE SPACE IS NEEDED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS.

1) Why would you like to serve on the Committee?

2) What background or experience do you have that would contribute to the Airport's desire to better serve people with disabilities

3) List affiliations you have with groups representing or serving persons with disabilities.