

Committee on Accessible Transportation (CAT) Annual Report



CAT Committee Overview

“... The objective of the CAT is to offer advice to UTA on ways to provide access to fixed route and rail services and to complementary Paratransit service for people functionally not able to use the fixed route system. The CAT will provide broad representation of the disability and senior communities, as well as representation of UTA.”



Membership



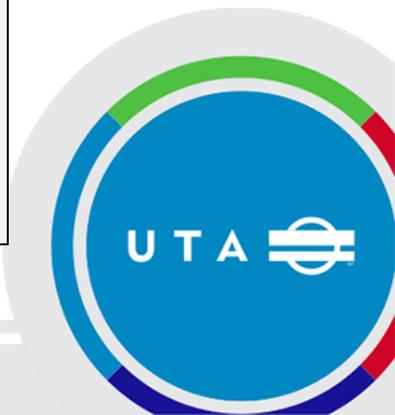
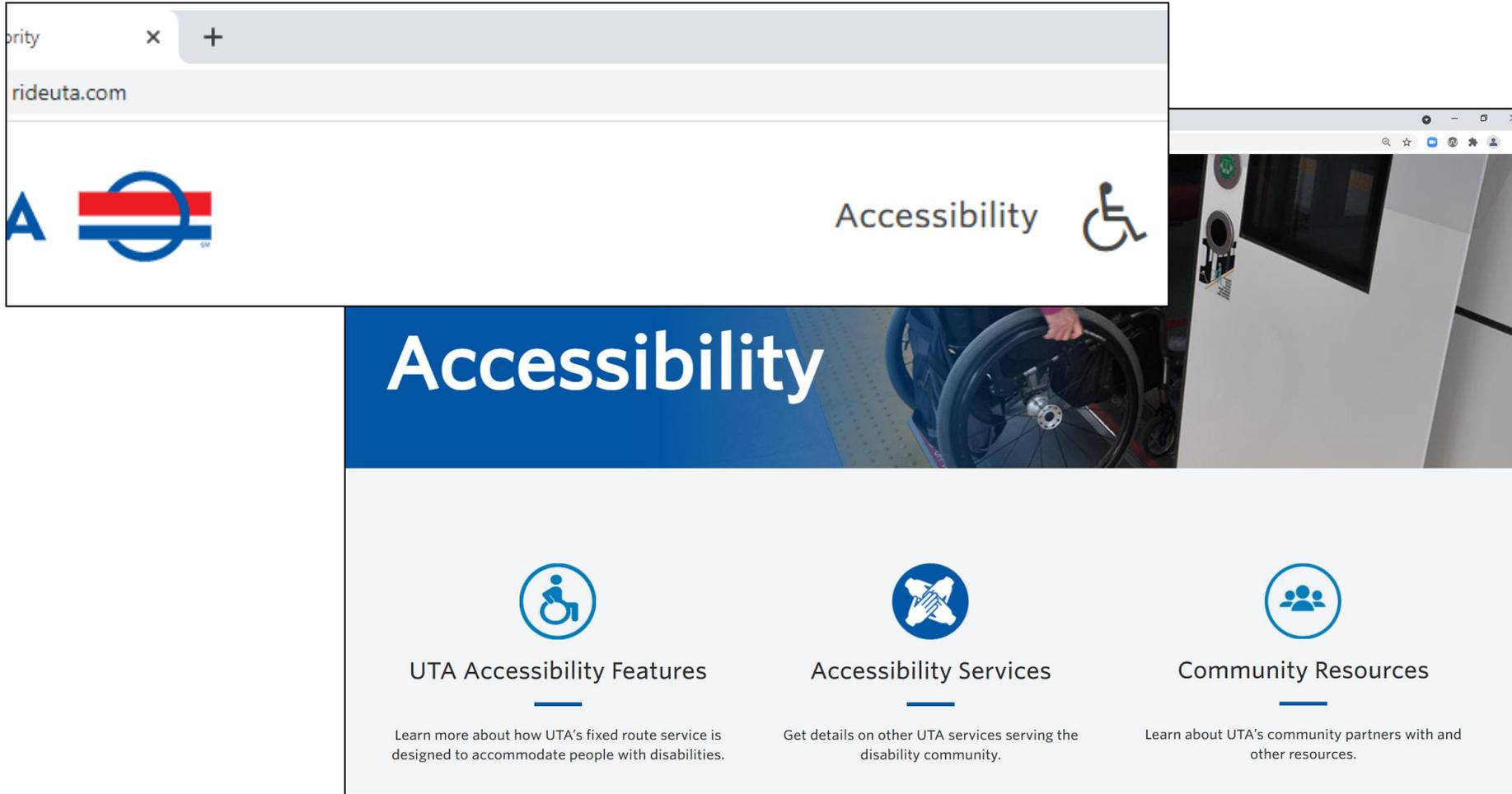
Significant Contributions



Accessible Virtual Meetings



Website Improvements



Current Initiatives

- Accessible boarding locations on TRAX
- Access to priority seating on TRAX
- Accessible platform seating locations on FrontRunner



Past Initiatives

- Celebration of ADA 30th anniversary
- Shifted from annual to quarterly employee, rider recognition
- Data collection and ongoing monitoring of external announcement reliability
- Installation of shoulder belts on paratransit vehicles



Bus Stop Identification Kit (“Flip Cards”)



Current Feedback

- Travel training curriculum
- Electronic reduced fare application
- System map accessibility
- Via/paratransit integration



Past Feedback

- National Aging and Disability Transportation Center
- Paratransit:
 - Call out system
 - Improving ride times
 - Rider's guide
- Various facility improvements



Improved Wayfinding Accessibility



Bus Stop Pole Improvements



Ongoing Accessibility Improvement Opportunities

- Testing of new content, tools, and services prior to implementation
- Monitoring of ADA service requirements, including external announcements and facility accessibility
- Disability sensitivity, awareness, and inclusion efforts



Disability History Month & Annual ADA Celebration



Americans with Disabilities Act



Questions?

