



## Conducting Effective Accessibility Surveys –Part II

### Focus on the External Environment

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## Major Discussion Points

1. When Conducting An Access Survey In Outdoors What Are The Specific Variables That Will Or Can Change The Way You Approach Conducting A Survey In Contrast To A Facility Survey?
2. What Survey Tools Do You Use When Surveying A Trail, Docks And Harbors, Recreations Areas, The Public Right Of Way?
3. What Guidelines, Standards, Or Building Codes Should Be Addressed? How Effective Or Defensible Are Unenforceable Access Guide Lines?
4. What Are The Bright Lines Of Difference When Surveying For A Federal Entity, State Or Local Government, And Private Sector Client?
5. When Reviewing The Court Decisions Made In Yesky Vs Pennsylvania, And Barden Vs City Of Sacramento What Glaring Errors Were Made By The Defendants

## Preparation-Assessment of Client Need and Which Standards/Codes Apply

1. When Conducting An Access Survey In Outdoors What Are The Specific Variables That Will Or Can Change The Way You Approach Conducting A Survey In Contrast To A Facility Survey?
2. What Are Your Thoughts On Integrating Regulations With Standards?
3. How Do You Handle Elements Not Covered By Any Standard?
4. How Do You Separate Observation From Recommendations?

## Parameters of Access Audit

1. Identify The Team To Collect Data
2. Preparation- Assessment Of Client Need And Which Standards/Codes Apply?
3. What To Look For, Analyze, Summarize, And Prioritize.
4. Deliverables-final Report, Pictures Or Not?
5. What Survey Tools Do You Use When Surveying A Trail, Docks And Harbors, Recreations Areas, The Public Right Of Way?
6. Follow Up?

## Identify Team to Collect Data

- What Guidelines, Standards, Or Building Codes Should Be Addressed? How Effective Or Defensible Are Unenforceable Access Guide Lines?
- What Tools Does The Beginning Access Auditor Need To Have, Or What Advice Would You Give The Beginning Access Surveyor/Auditor?

## Requirements of Public, Federal and Private Sector

1. What Are The Bright Lines Of Difference When Surveying For A Federal Entity,
2. State Or Local Government,
3. And Private Sector Client?

## PROW Court Decisions

- When Reviewing The Court Decisions Made In:
  - Yesky Vs Pennsylvania
  - Barden Vs City Of Sacramento
  - Cal Trans Decision
- What Glaring Errors Were Made By The Defendants?
- What Did We Learn?

# QUESTIONS?