

SUBJECT: 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 15, 2012

INTERPRETATION NUMBER: ADM – 1.1100

SEE ALSO: City of Salina Municipal Code 8-13

INTERPRETATION SUMMARY

Section 8-13 of the Municipal Code requires that buildings or portions of buildings shall be accessible to persons with disabilities as required by the Americans with Disabilities Act Accessibility Guidelines (ADAAG) and Kansas Statutes K.S.A. 58-1304.

It has been determined that the **2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design** is a continuation of the 1991 (1994 amended) ADAAG Standards as published on September 15, 2010 by the Department of Justice. Beginning March 15, 2012, compliance with the 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design will be required for new construction, additions and alterations in the City of Salina.

This Interpretation includes a general “safe harbor” under which elements in covered facilities that were built or altered in compliance with the 1991 Standards would not be required to be brought into compliance with the 2010 Standards for Accessible Design until the elements were subject to a planned alteration.