

# HURON COUNTY ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE



## IN-VEHICLE INCENTIVE PROGRAM



## **HURON COUNTY ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE: IN-VEHICLE INCENTIVE PROGRAM FOR SERVICE STATIONS**

**Proposal:** In order to accommodate persons with varying abilities, as well as the aging population, the Huron County Accessibility Advisory Committee is proposing an in-vehicle incentive program that will be supported across the County and, in time, implemented by service stations throughout the province.

The in-vehicle incentive program is designed to encourage service stations throughout the community to provide accessible in-vehicle service as an alternative to the existing self-service stations.

We propose this incentive program to acknowledge and recognize service stations that currently provide full in-vehicle service and encourage those who do not, to make their facility completely accessible.

While we recognize that this is a program that will encourage service stations to make their services accessible, we also recognize that not all stations are willing or able to provide such service and we propose that the eligibility criteria be designed by the Huron County Accessibility Advisory Committee as follows:

### **Criteria:**

1. Offer in-vehicle service by ensuring there is a service station attendant who can pump gas if a person cannot leave their vehicle.
2. Ensure there is a service station attendant who can receive payment if a person cannot leave their vehicle.
3. If and where possible, having a portable interac machine. (optional)

We recognize that a portable interac machine is not always feasible and encourage service stations to adhere to the criteria and where possible provide a portable interact machine.



## APPLICATION FORM

The Huron County Accessibility Advisory Committee was established in 2005 and is an advisory committee to County Council. The HCAAC advises, recommends and assists the County in promoting and facilitating a barrier-free Huron County for all citizens with varying abilities. This aim is to be achieved through the review of municipal policies and by-laws. A majority of the members of the HCAAC are people with disabilities, and is supported by various County staff. It is our goal to promote accessibility in Huron County, as well as to inform the public of the need for a barrier-free society. As the population is aging, more people require assistance in their day-to-day activity. The goal of this program is to identify the need for assistance at service stations and encourage local service stations to provide a service for people who are unable to pump their own gas.

**Service Station Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Service Station Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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### **Criteria:**

*Please check all boxes that apply.*

- Offer in-vehicle service by ensuring there is a service station attendant who can pump gas if a person cannot leave their vehicle.
- Ensure there is a service station attendant who can receive payment if a person cannot leave their vehicle.
- If and where possible, having a portable interac machine available. (optional)

*Please return completed application to: Huron County Accessibility Advisory Committee, Attn: Jennifer Cowan, 1 Court House Square, Goderich, ON N7A 1M2.*



**HURON COUNTY ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE:**  
**FEEDBACK FORM**

The Huron County Accessibility Advisory Committee would like to hear from you. Please fill out the attached form and let the Committee know what you think about the voluntary In-Vehicle Incentive Program.

**Service Station Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Service Station Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Comments** \_\_\_\_\_

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