

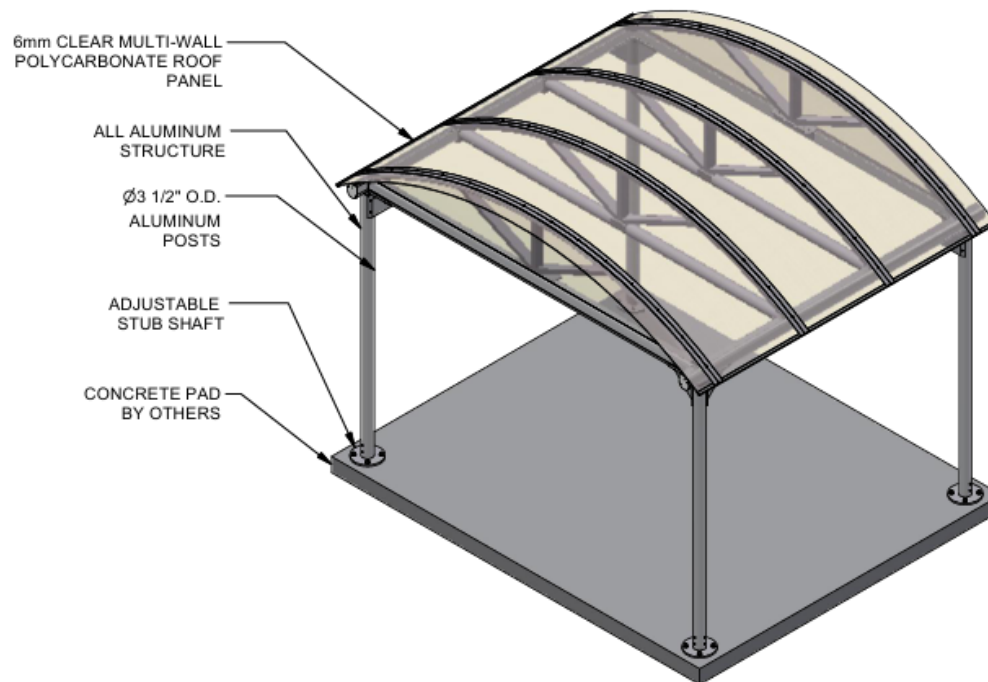


Proposed Enhancements to
Accessible Entrances / Exits at
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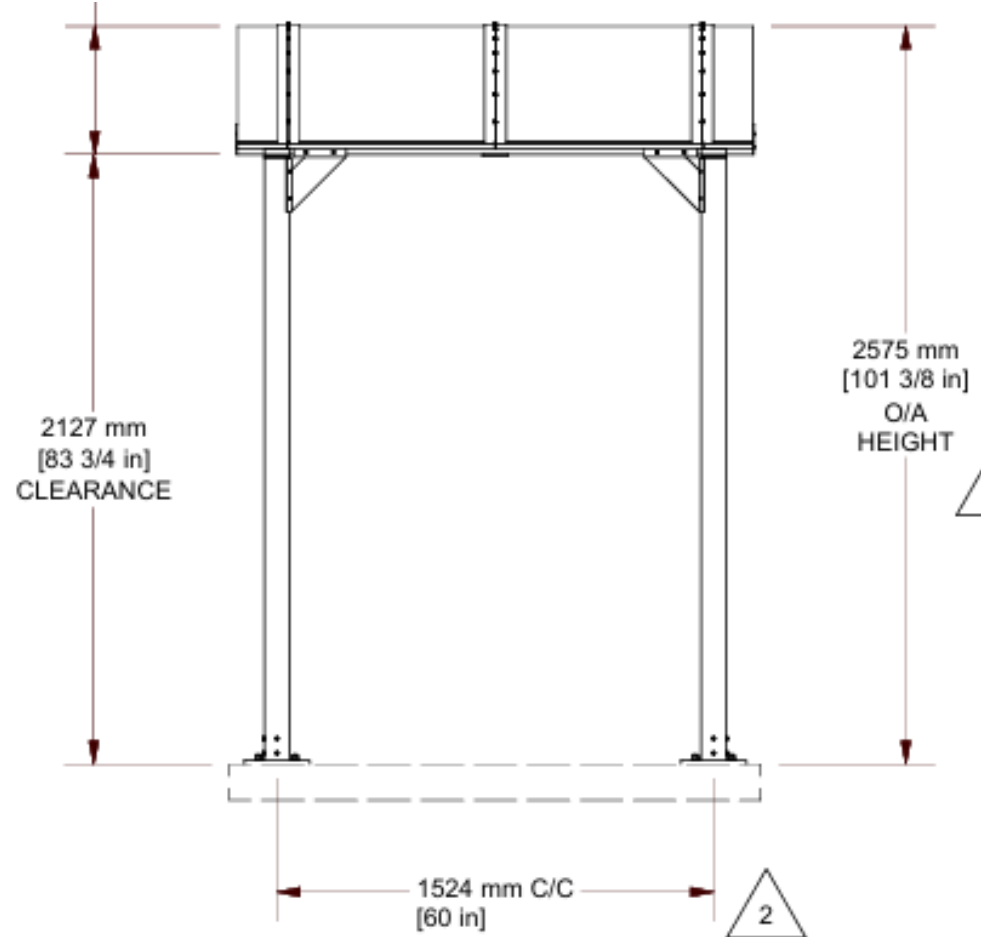
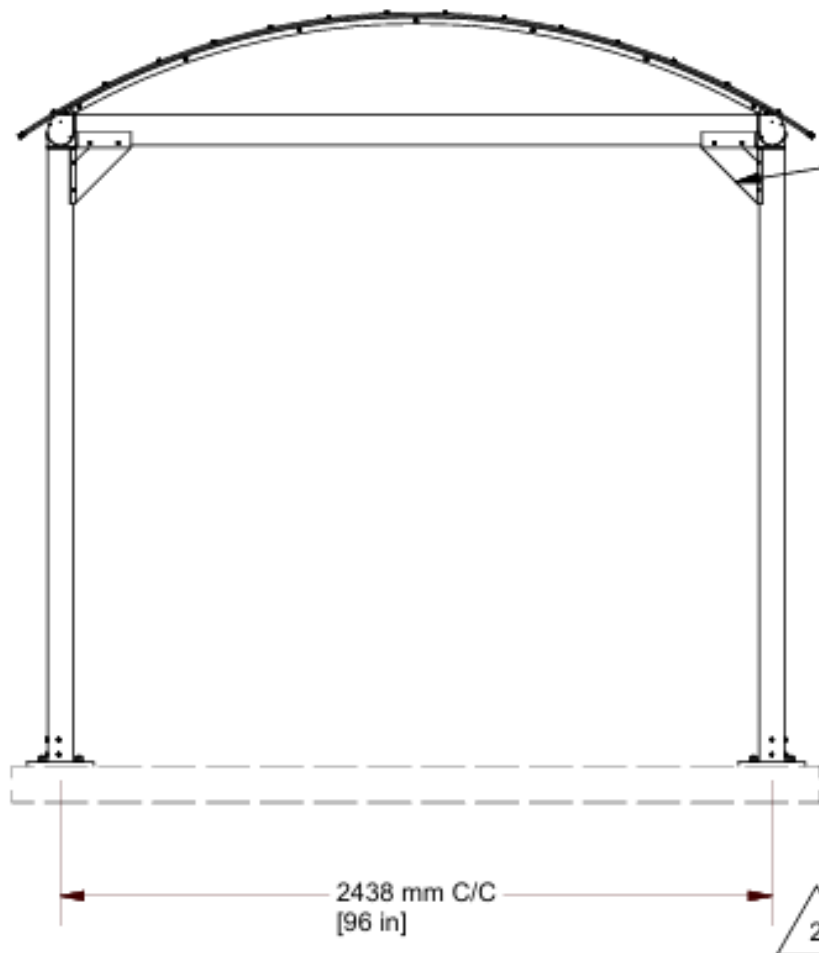
Accessibility Advisory Committee
May 14, 2026

Upstairs (Committee Room A)

- ▶ Looking to install a vestibule similar to one depicted below
- ▶ Arch would be parallel to the building



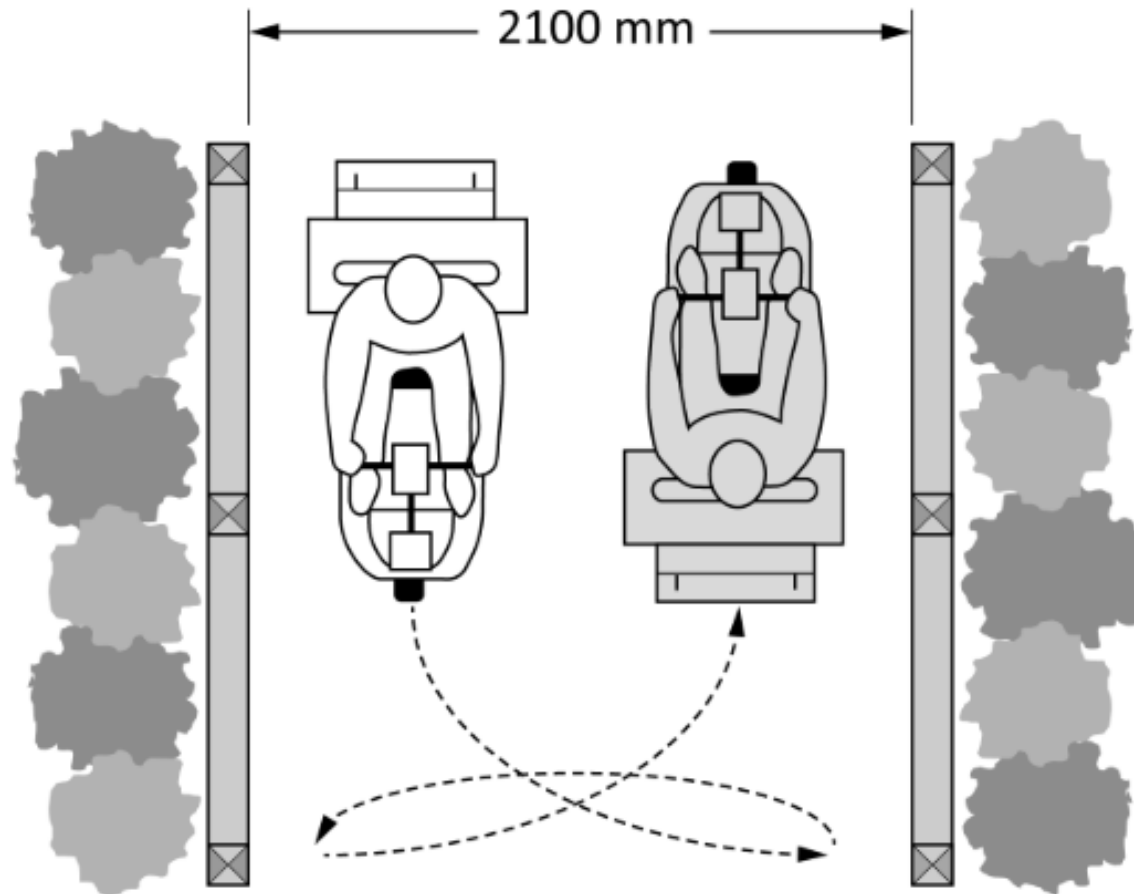
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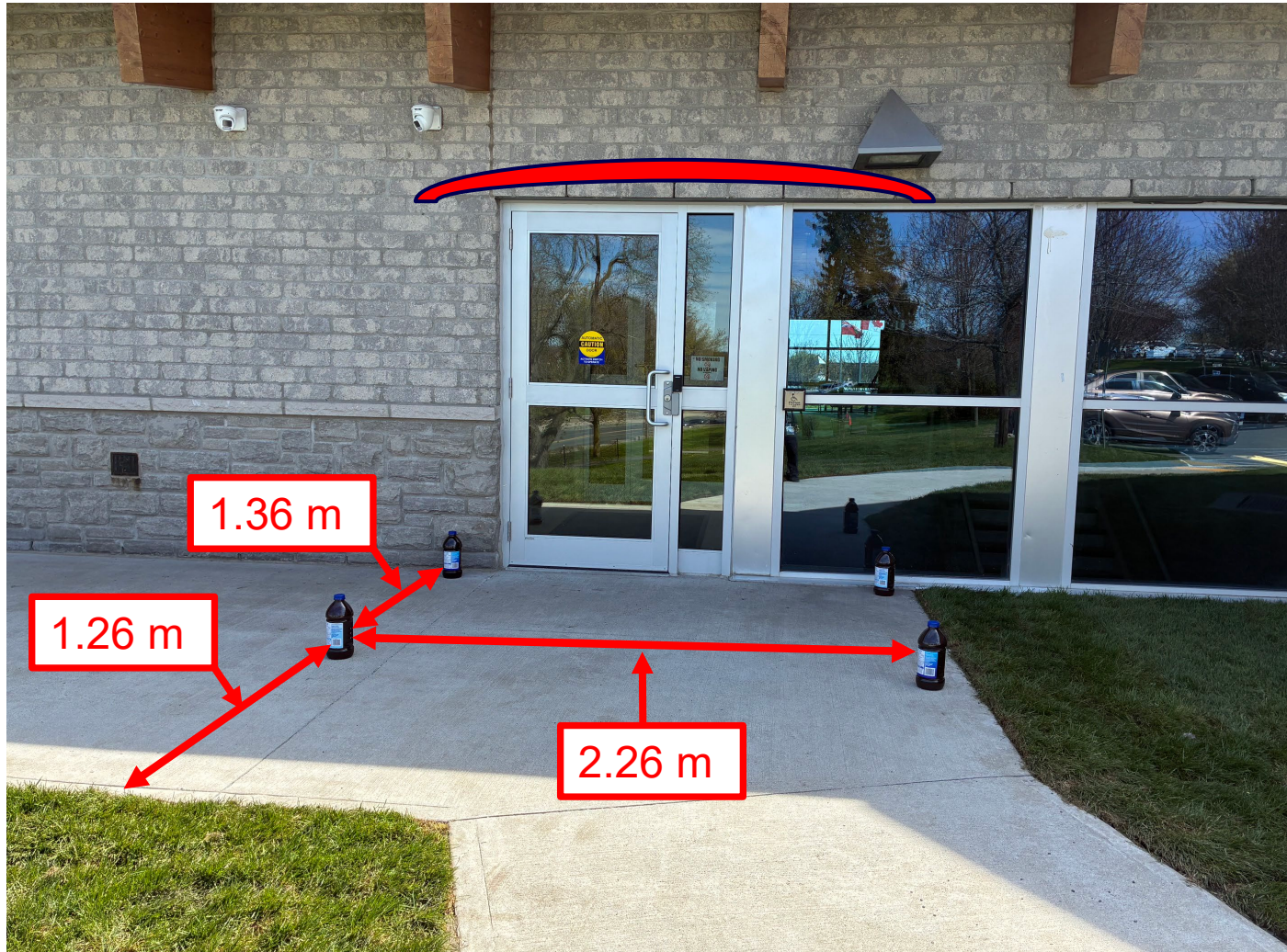
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- ▶ Accessible Standards Canada (6.1.3 – Turning Spaces) notes that in an outdoor space, when a user may be required to perform a turning manoeuvre, there shall be a minimum turning space of 2100 mm x 2100 mm
- ▶ We have allotted for this in our proposed layout (2260 mm x a min. of 2600 mm)

Upstairs (Committee Room A)



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Downstairs (Committee Room B)

- ▶ Understand NAAC has some suggestions relating to the accessible emergency exit and walkway associated with Committee Room B:
 - ▶ Railings
 - ▶ Lighting

Downstairs (Committee Room B)

- ▶ Proposing to place a section of railing along a portion of the patio area / walkway in the vicinity of the steeper sloped section
- ▶ Railing would be similar to what was installed near Committee Room A

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- ▶ Having a railing on North side of the patio, and along portions of pathway without slope concerns may result in individuals climbing over the railing, if it impedes their shortest desired travel route
- ▶ Having shorter railings along the portion of pathway without slope concerns could pose a tripping hazard if people try to step over it.

Downstairs (Committee Room B)



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- ▶ The accessible exit off Committee Room B does not permit access from outside (no electronic swipe)
- ▶ Not intended for staff or public to use outside of an emergency
- ▶ Given that operations are typically during daylight hours (8:30 am to 4:30 pm) don't feel additional lighting is warranted

Downstairs (Committee Room B)



THANK-YOU

