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Info Sheet

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BUILDING ACCESS & MOBILITY

Application

This sheet has been produced to assist those proposing to carry out building alterations to make a building accessible for people with disabilities.

Process

Altering a building to make it accessible for people with disabilities requires a Building Permit prior to commencement of work. *Contact Yarra Building Services on telephone 9205 5356.*

A planning permit may also be required. *Contact Councils Planning Office on telephone 9205 5373.*

Compliance

Building work to alter an existing building must comply with the current Building Regulations, Building Code of Australia and AS 1428 (Design for access and mobility).

Three types of ramps that comply with AS 1428 are shown below:

Figure 1. RAMPED THRESHOLD – *maximum length 450mm*



