

Council can access these services on your behalf:



**National
Translating and
Interpreting
Service (TIS) -
131450**



**National Relay
Service**, for hearing
and speech
impairment services -
133677 (all calls within
Australia),
or **1800 555 677**
(all toll free calls within
Australia)

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**ACCESS FOR
ALL**



The City within a World
Heritage National Park

Access and Equity Information

Council has an Access and Equity Policy adopted in January 2000. Access and Equity helps to:

- Promote fairness in all Council business
- Ensure fair access to all Council Services, particularly for those most in need.

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Blue Mountains City Council Access and Equity Working Group

- Council's Access and Equity Working Group oversees Council's Access and Equity projects.
- The Working Group consists of staff representatives from all relevant Groups of Council and three community representatives.

Some projects of the Access and Equity Working Group

- Cliff View Lookout Access & Braille walk—Katoomba
- Hearing Loop at Mt. Vic Flicks
- Disability Action Plan (DAP) adopted in April 2003 outlining Council's program of actions to improve disability access over the next three years
- Access & Equity Web page with links to the A&E policy and the DAP.
- Multi-lingual welcome posters
- Staff Access and Equity Training
- National Relay Training for Council staff

Special events

Council co-ordinates or supports a number of activities during the year to help the community celebrate diversity.

EVENT NAME	DATE
Seniors Week	March
Youth Week	March / April
NAIDOC Week	July
Carnaval Multicultural Festival	September
Mental Health Week	October
Children's Week	October