

**Resolution Agreement
Sandusky City School District
OCR Complaint Docket# 15-18-1314**

The Sandusky City School District (the District) submits to the U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights (OCR), this Resolution Agreement to resolve the above-referenced complaint investigation and to ensure compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 29 U.S.C. § 794, and its implementing regulation, 34 C.F.R. Part 104, and with Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, 42 U.S.C. § 12131 *et seq.*, and its implementing regulation at 28 C.F.R. Part 35.

Action Steps

- I. The District agrees to make the modifications to Bill Deming Field and its supporting facilities listed in the attached Appendix by no later than beginning of the 2018-2019 baseball season. The District will make the modifications required by this Agreement in accordance with the 2010 Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Standards for Accessible Design.

REPORTING REQUIREMENTS: By March 31, 2019, the District will submit a report to OCR verifying the completion of the items listed in the Appendix and its compliance with the 2010 ADA Standards, including photographs, plans, work orders, invoices, and any other relevant documentation.

- II. The District will include information regarding the location of accessible parking for games and accessible seating locations at the field in any publications it produces to promote the athletic teams that use the field, and **it** will add information regarding the location of accessible parking and seating locations to the athletic department website. In addition, conspicuous signage about available accessible seating for the field must be posted at the field.

REPORTING REQUIREMENT: By March 31, 2019, the District will submit verification to OCR that the information listed above was included in any publications by the District, and on its website.

General Requirements

The District understands that, by signing this Agreement, it agrees to provide data and other information in a timely manner. Further the District understands that during the monitoring of this Agreement OCR may visit the District, interview staff and students, and request such additional reports or data as are necessary for OCR to determine whether the District has fulfilled the terms of this Agreement and is in compliance with the regulations implementing Section 504 at 34 C.F.R. §§ 104.21-104.23 and Title II at 28 C.F.R. §§ 35.149-35.151, which were at issue in this complaint.

APPENDIX

Modification	Relevant 2010 ADA Standards
<p>When the field is in use for games and other public events, the District will provide the appropriate number of accessible parking spaces, including appropriate number of van accessible spaces, at the field. The spaces shall be located in the area nearest to the accessible route to the field entrance in the northeast corner of the parking lot. The spaces will be conspicuously marked with signs that conform to the 2010 ADA Standards when in use as accessible parking, including identification of van spaces. The slopes and cross slopes of the spaces must not exceed the maximum permissible pursuant to the 2010 ADA Standards.</p>	<p>208 209 302 502 503 703</p>
<p>The District will provide marked crossings from the designated accessible parking spaces to the field to ensure safe passage.</p>	<p>502.3</p>
<p>When the field is in use for games and other public events, the District will conspicuously post signs informing the public that accessible parking is available and where it is located.</p>	<p>216 703</p>
<p>The District will make modifications to the surface and leveling of its route from the accessible parking to the accessible seating to ensure that it is stable, firm, slip resistant, and flat.</p>	<p>206 302 303 403</p>
<p>The District will install an appropriate pad to the home side seating area that is designed to provide space for a wheelchair and a companion seat, and ensure that the accessible spaces provide spectators with choices of seating locations and viewing angles that are substantially equivalent to the choices of seating locations and viewing angles available to all other spectators. The wheelchair and companion seating areas will be readily accessible to and usable by persons with disabilities in an integrated manner. The District will provide an accessible route to the accessible home side seating spaces.</p>	<p>221 802 405 505</p>