

After a recent safety and security assessment at the Coldwater Branch, the Michigan State Police recommended that access to our emergency exit stairways be one-way without a key. That is, everybody should be able to enter the stairway, but the doors should lock behind them and prevent entry from the stairway to other floors without a key. There are 6 such access doors.

Our locksmith has provided a quote for getting 6 ADA-compliant lever-handle locks, in the same bronze finish used throughout the building, keyed to the same building master that is issued to staff members.

Our locksmith provided a lengthy explanation as to how the Coldwater Building is keyed in an uncommon way. This, coupled with the bronze finish, accounts for the higher expense and 4-6 week wait to get the locks in.

Total for this job would be \$1655. We would recommend this come from our Fisher fund.