

## NOTICE OF MOTION

To be submitted to the meeting of Full Council to be held on: 7  
December 2022

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in accordance with Standing Order Number 6.

	Name (in capitals)	Signature
Proposer:	Councillor Abbott	<i>Jon Abbott.</i>
Seconder:	Councillor Wallace	<i>Mr P Wallace.</i>

### Government "Access To Work" Programme

Halton Borough Council" recognizes that many of the 22% of our local population who have a disability are excluded from employment often because they cannot physically get to a workplace or there is a lack of appropriate work place equipment.

HM Government "Access to work" programme enables people with disabilities to access funding to pay for transport to work and equipment in the work place.

However this scheme is millions of pounds under claimed and many local people live in poverty on benefits even though they have the skills and abilities to undertake decent paid employment. This lack of support excludes many local people from the work force.

Halton Borough Council commits itself to publicize and promote "Access to Work" to help tackle this inequality.