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└ To All Members of the Access & ┘
Disabilities Working Group ┘

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**NOTICE OF MEETING - ACCESS AND DISABILITIES WORKING GROUP - THURSDAY
20 JUNE 2013**

A meeting of the Access and Disabilities Working Group will be held on **THURSDAY 20 JUNE 2013 at 2.00pm in the Kennet Room**, Civic Offices, Reading. The Agenda for the meeting is set out below.

AGENDA

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1. WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS AND APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE	-
2. COUNCILLORS' DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS Councillors to declare any personal and prejudicial interests they may have in relation to the items on the agenda.	-
3. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 21 MARCH 2013	1-6

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4. **MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES**
- Royal Berkshire Hospital
 - New Civic Offices - Working Group
 - Changing Places at the Oracle Shopping Centre
 - Reading Station - Disabled Toilets
 - Reading Station - Readibus & Shopmobility
5. **ACCESS & DISABILITIES WORKING GROUP - ACHIEVEMENTS AND PRIORITIES** 7-8
- Councillor Ruhemann, Chair of Access & Disabilities Working Group
6. **MONITORING THE IMPACT OF WELFARE CHANGES** Verbal
7. **HEALTH AND WELL BEING STRATEGY** Verbal
- Helen Bryant, Access Officer
- The strategy is available on the Reading Borough Council website - search for 'health and well being strategy'
8. **INFORMATION ITEMS**
- **EU DISABILITY CARD & OTHER INITIATIVES FROM THE EU** 9-13
 - **CARERS WEEK 2013** 14-15
9. **ISSUES LIST - a look at the progress with the ongoing 'Issues List' (please see form printed at the back of the agenda papers)** 16
10. **ANY OTHER BUSINESS** -

11. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

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Dates for the meetings in the 2013-14 Municipal Year are as follows:

- Thursday 19 September 2013
- Thursday 5 December 2013
- Thursday 20 March 2014

All meetings will commence at 2pm.