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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
19 SEPTEMBER 2013**

A meeting of the Access and Disabilities Working Group will be held on **THURSDAY 19 SEPTEMBER 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 20 JUNE 2013	1-5

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4.	MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES	-
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Civic Offices Working Group • Changing Places • Reading Station - Disabled Toilets • Reading Station - Readibus and Drop-off • Reading Station - Signage and Tactile Paving • Entry to Civic Offices • Royal Berkshire Hospital Car Park 	
5.	HOME CARE USERS RESEARCH PROJECT	6-20
	JANETTE SEARLE, RBC AND MANDEEP SIRA, HEALTHWATCH	
6.	HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD MINUTES	21-33
7.	PEDESTRIAN AND CYCLE BRIDGE OVER THE THAMES	-
8.	ISSUES IN SOCIAL CARE	-
9.	WELFARE RIGHTS UPDATE	-
10.	PUBLIC HEALTH	-
11.	INFORMATION ITEMS	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FEEDBACK FROM NEXUS ARIADNE AUDIBLE/TACTILE MAP DEMONSTRATION - HELEN BRYANT • PRESS RELEASE - CONSULTATION ON HOUSING ALLOCATIONS SCHEME • PRESS RELEASE - MAJOR WORK PLANNED FOR READING'S WOODLANDS 	- 34 35-37
12.	ISSUES LIST - a look at the progress with the ongoing 'Issues List' (please see form printed at the back of the agenda papers)	38
13.	ANY OTHER BUSINESS	-

14. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

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

- Thursday 5 December 2013
- Thursday 20 March 2014

All meetings will commence at 2pm.