**Wandsworth Disabled People's Forum Consultation Survey**

Ruils Independent Living is a local charity supporting Disabled people to live independent lives. We are setting up a forum led by Disabled Wandsworth residents to give you the space to share your experiences, challenges and work toward solutions.

We want to know what is important to you! Would you like to meet in person or online? What topics and issues are important to you? What access needs can we accommodate?

Fill in our survey by Friday 6th June to tell us what your top priorities are and your ideas for the Forum.

1. **What would you like to get out of the Wandsworth Disabled People's Forum?** (select all that apply)

* Meet and work with other local Disabled people
* Discuss experiences of being Disabled and the impact it has on my life
* Learn new skills and increase my confidence to help me better express my views
* Work on projects to make Wandsworth more accessible and inclusive
* Get involved in the wider Disabled People's Movement through campaigns
* Access training to develop my leadership and campaigning skills
* Step into a leadership role where I can support other Disabled people to share their views
* Work with the Council and other organisations to express the views of Disabled people

2. **Is there anything else you'd like to achieve by being a part of the Forum?**

3. **What issues are affecting you personally?** (select all that apply)

* Cost of Living Crisis
* Access to healthcare
* Inaccessible public transport
* Access to community spaces
* Housing
* Benefits cuts
* Lack of support services
* Hate Crime and/or Disability discrimination

4. **Are there any other issues that are affecting you?**

5. **Are you interested in joining a steering group made up of Disabled people which will guide the forum?** If yes, please include your contact details so we can get in touch.

* Yes
* No

6. **How often would you like the Forum to meet?** If you can do all, please select all of the options.

* Every month
* Every two months
* Quarterly (every three months)

7. **Which location options would work for you?** If you can do all, please select all of the options.

* Nine Elms
* Wandsworth Town
* Battersea
* Putney
* Tooting
* Roehampton
* Balham

8. **Which meeting options would work for you?** If you can do all, please select all of the options.

* In person
* Hybrid (online option available for access needs)
* Online only

9. **If you have access needs, please select all accommodations you may need**:

* Speech to text/Palantypist
* BSL Interpreter
* Language Interpreter
* Level access/Wheelchair access
* Accessible Toilet
* Hearing Loop
* Space for a guide dog/assistance dog
* Easy read materials
* Access to meeting online
* Disabled parking
* Quiet room/space

Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

10. **Please elaborate on any access needs you may have. We want to make sure that these meetings are inclusive of everyone who would like to attend.**

11. **Do you have any other ideas for the Forum?**

12. **What is your name?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

13. **How would you engage with the Wandsworth Disabled People's Forum?** (select ALL that apply)

* As a Disabled person
* As a Parent/Carer
* As a Personal Care Assistant
* As a Professional
* Representing an organisation (Charity, Council, etc.)
* Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

14. **Do you identify as Disabled?**

* Yes
* No
* Prefer not to say

15. **If yes, please check all that apply or add details in the other section:**

* Physical Disability
* Sensory Impairment
* Learning Disability/Difficulty
* Older Person (65+)
* Mental Health
* Social and Communication Disability
* Long Term Health Condition
* Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

16. **What is your ethnic background?**

* White British or other white background
* Asian or Asian British or other Asian background
* Black, Black British or other black background
* Mixed or multiple ethnic groups
* Other Ethnic Group (please specify)
* Prefer not to say

17. **How would you like to receive updates about the Forum?** (select ALL that apply)

* Email
* Phone Call
* WhatsApp - Individual
* WhatsApp Channel
* Facebook Group
* Post
* Email Newsletter
* Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

18. **What is your email address?** Please complete if you would like to be contacted via email.

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19. **What is your phone number?** Please complete if you'd like to be contacted via phone.

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20. **What is your postcode?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Please return this completed survey addressed to:**

Attn Hallie Banish, LU 412, The Lightbulb, 1 Filament Walk, London SW18 4GQ

If you have any questions email [halliebanish@ruils.co.uk](mailto:halliebanish@ruils.co.uk) or call 07908 616082.