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Recognizing Community Partners who Demonstrate the Value of People of All Abilities

The Abilities Alliance, a workgroup of the Human Services Collaborative Body (HSCB), seeks to recognize individual businesses and organizations in Livingston County that demonstrate a value of people of all abilities. The purpose of this award is to:

- Recognize efforts to ensure that individuals of all abilities are provided meaningful opportunities to be actively engaged in the community.
- Provide encouragement and inspiration for other businesses and organizations
- Acknowledge incremental improvement, not just financial investments

According to Doug Haseley, co-chair of the workgroup, “The local agencies, organizations, and individuals that make up the Abilities Alliance want to celebrate the amazing community partners who value people of all abilities and integrate this value into their workplace practices.”

The Nomination Categories include Digital Accessibility, Environmental Accessibility, Employment Accessibility, Accessibility Training and Awareness, and Communication Accessibility.

Please see the [Nomination Categories](#) and use the [Nomination Form](#) to help us identify the community partners who demonstrate the value of people of all abilities. **Nominations will be accepted through Friday, December 10, 2021.** Winners will be notified in January and recognized at the Human Services Collaborative Body’s Annual Meeting on February 11, 2022.

The link to the Nomination Form can be found here:

<https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/sv/07lyGUN/accessandinclusionaward>.

To learn more about the Abilities Alliance Workgroup for the Livingston County Human Services Collaborative Body, visit: <https://www.livgov.com/hscb/Pages/Abilities-Alliance.aspx> or check out <https://www.facebook.com/livingstonabilitiesalliance>. To obtain more information, contact Amy Johnston at 810.772.4827 or ajohnston@cmhliv.org.

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