



Take Your Legislator To Work Application

The Michigan Developmental Disabilities Council is looking for individuals with developmental disabilities in the workforce for its Annual “Take Your Legislator to Work Campaign.” This Campaign is in celebration of National Disability Employment Awareness Month in October.

Please review the information below and submit nomination recommendation to Meredith Smith, smithm10@michigan.gov, by **Monday, May 2nd at 5:00p.m.**

Criteria :

- **Must** have competitive community- based employment with or without needed supports(*A community-integrated job is a job in the community, not a segregated setting*)
- **Must** be okay with having pictures, videos and other media taken of them
- **Must** have a developmental disability
- **Cannot** work in a sheltered workshop, have a micro-enterprise, be a peer mentor or work in a segregated setting

Questions:

1. Does this person have a community-integrated job?

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- Yes
 No

2. Why should he/she be featured?

3. Contact information of the **Recommender**



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Name: _____

Telephone number: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

4. Contact information of the **Nominee**

Name: _____

Telephone number: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

5. Where does the nominee **Work** (please include address)?

Name of company: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Employer Name (Boss's name): _____

6. Does he/she make minimum wage of \$8.50 an hour? *Please check a box:*

Yes, makes \$8.50/hour or more?

No, makes less than \$8.50/hour?

No, he/she is a volunteer

7. Does the nominee have benefits?

Yes

No

If, yes, what does it include: _____

8. How many hours per week does he/she work? What is his/her work schedule?



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9. What are his/her job duties?

10. How many years has he/she worked in his/her current position?

11. What is his/her disability? *Please check a box*

- Intellectual
- Physical
- Developmental
- Combination
- Other _____

12. What is his/her educational background? *Please Check a box*

- High School
- College
- Some College
- Vocational
- Other _____

13. Is the nominee comfortable being videotaped, having his/her picture shared, image shared to the public?

- Yes
- No

14. How did nominee obtain his/her job?

15. Does the nominee use any accommodations at his/her job to get the job done?



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16. Would the nominee be willing to participate in “Take Your Legislator to Work” day? (He/She will set up a time where his/her legislator will visit him/her at work)

- Yes
- No