



Press release

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Citizens Advice calling for volunteers in Stotfold?

To improve access to its services Citizens Advice Mid Bedfordshire is working with Stotfold Town Council to recruit more local volunteers to join its information satellite held in the Town Council Offices on Tuesday mornings.

Citizens Advice has run an information satellite within the town council offices since December 2011 and is currently seeking to recruit local volunteer assessors to operate the service.

It takes several months to train to become an assessor but the service provides free formal accredited training with all expenses paid. Citizens Advice volunteers help people with a wide range of problems including debt, benefits, housing, employment and family matters.

Manager Jenny Hedges explained; "The first five weeks of training for the role takes place at the Ampthill bureau and so candidates must be able to get to the bureau and be willing to train for a minimum of five hours per week. All sorts of people volunteer for the CAB, but one thing that unites them all is that they find it challenging, rewarding and varied – and you never stop learning."

If you are interested in becoming a citizens advice, please contact:

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or call the Citizens Advice admin line: 01525 404715