

Motion not for Debate

The Council notes that:

- Ealing has a rich cultural heritage, and Ealing residents have a wealth of talents and traditions.
- Our borough is a microcosm of different cultures, each with a different array of traditions, food and entertainment.
- Ealing's Borough of Culture bid has already received the backing of thousands of residents, all three of our MPs and a number of local cultural stakeholders, with support still growing.

The Council believes that:

- The diversity of our borough deserves to be celebrated.
- The additional resources which come from becoming the Borough of Culture would enable us to build on our history, and improve cultural life across our seven towns for generations to come.
- We should be building on the excellent work contained in our cultural manifesto.

The Council resolves that:

- It will do everything possible in support of Ealing's bid for London Borough of Culture.