

**COUNCIL MEETING – 26 JANUARY 2022
NOTICE OF MOTION**

COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE NOS. 53-60

MOTION NO.	PROPOSER	SECONDER	MOTION
151	Councillor M Storey	Councillor Rooney	<p>Middlesbrough Council expresses its support in marking February as LGBT+ History Month. The Council notes the historic struggles of members of the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender community and their contribution to Middlesbrough, and the UK.</p> <p>Despite much progress, members of the LGBT+ community are at a greater risk of violence, poor mental health outcomes and homelessness.</p> <p>The Council reaffirms its aim to be an inclusive and supportive employer to all our staff. The Council resolves to work with LGBT staff members, Council management and trade unions to review and implement policies which ensure LGBT staff members are supported, championed and equipped to deliver for the people of Middlesbrough.</p>