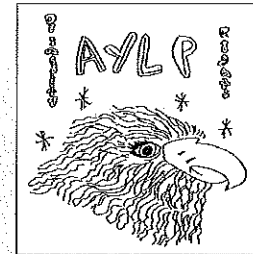


Join Access Living and AYLP

**Public Meeting on the Chicago Police Department and Interactions with the Deaf and Disability Communities**



Special Guests: U.S. Department of Justice

**ARE YOU A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY OR DEAF PERSON WHO HAS INTERACTED WITH THE CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT IN THE LAST FEW YEARS? PLEASE COME SHARE YOUR STORY FOR THE PUBLIC RECORD.**

The United States Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, and the United States Attorney's Office for the Northern District of Illinois have opened a civil pattern or practice investigation into the Chicago Police Department (CPD) to determine whether there are systemic violations of the Constitution or federal law by the CPD. The investigation is focused on: CPD's use of force, including racial, ethnic and other disparities in its use of force; and CPD's accountability systems, including how CPD conducts internal investigations, responds to citizen complaints, and handles officer discipline.

**WE NEED PEOPLE TO COME SHARE THEIR PERSONAL EXPERIENCES INTERACTING WITH THE CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT, GOOD OR BAD. JOIN US FROM THE WEST SIDE, SOUTH SIDE, NORTH SIDE! BE PREPARED TO SPEAK FOR FIVE MINUTES OR LESS. WRITTEN COMMENTS ACCEPTED!**

**Date: October 6, 2016**

**Where: Access Living, 115 W. Chicago Ave**

**Time: 5:30pm – 8:00pm**

**RSVP: Candace Coleman, 312- 640-2100  
[ccoleman@accessliving.org](mailto:ccoleman@accessliving.org)**

To confirm requests for accommodations please contact us by September 22, 2016

*ASL and Spanish translation will be available.*



This event is supported by the Chicago Hearing Society



# COMMUNITY NOTICE

## Civil Rights Investigation of the Chicago Police Department

The United States Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, and the United States Attorney's Office for the Northern District of Illinois have opened a civil pattern or practice investigation into the Chicago Police Department (CPD) to determine whether there are systemic violations of the Constitution or federal law by officers of CPD. The investigation is focused on: CPD's use of force, including racial, ethnic and other disparities in its use of force; and CPD's accountability systems, including, how CPD conducts internal investigations, responds to citizen complaints, and handles officer discipline.

If you have relevant information regarding the conduct of Chicago Police Department officers, please contact us:



844-401-3735 (*toll-free*)



[community.cpd@usdoj.gov](mailto:community.cpd@usdoj.gov)



U.S. Department of Justice  
Civil Rights Division, Special Litigation Section  
601 D St. NW, Rm. 5907A  
Washington, D.C. 20004  
Attn: DJ# 207-23-13