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DISABILITY TOWN HALL TO BE HELD IN ANN ARBOR

Panel Discussion and Audience Participation

Ypsilanti, Michigan June 15, 2019- General Public are invited to attend and participate in a panel discussion with members of the Michigan Legislature and advocacy groups about Medicaid funding for supports and services for people with developmental disabilities. This Disability Town Hall is an opportunity to hear from people with disabilities, their families, caregivers and community partners from our region about the things that matter most to them. Our intention is to generate a comprehensive discussion with a cross section of people and organizations that have a vested interest in policy decisions being made in Lansing as it relates to disability services.

The Disability Town Hall will take place Saturday, June 15, 2019 at 10:30 am, at Washtenaw County Community College, 4800 E Huron River Drive, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105 in the Morris Lawrence Building Room 101.

"This will be an amazing opportunity for policy makers, advocates and recipients of services to have a dialog about what people with disabilities need from their legislators," said Katherine Grant, Executive Director of Community Alliance who will be hosting and facilitating the event. "We've gotten a lot of support from Senator Jeff Irwin's office and we are looking forward to generating a comprehensive discussion about services for people with developmental disabilities" she said.

Panel members:

- Michigan Senator Jeff Irwin
- Michigan Representative Yousef Rabhi
- Michigan Representative Donn Lasinski
- Michigan Assisted Living, Robert Stein
- Michigan Caring Majority Director, Laura De Palma

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