

Stating Our Case: Preserving the Disability Safety Net



March 12, 2010

The Neighborhood Club of Quincy

27 Glendale Rd.
Quincy, MA 02169
@ 8:00 am

Concerned that the state's fiscal 2011 budget could further erode much-needed services for local residents with intellectual and developmental disabilities, the **Arc of the South Shore** is participating in a major campaign to avert what could be devastating reductions in those services.

The centerpiece of this campaign are statewide forums, dubbed "**Stating Our Case - Preserving the Disability Safety Net**" which will deliver to the governor and local legislators a firm message that basic services promised to the disability community cannot be curtailed.

This will be a great opportunity to meet with your legislator, in a face-to-face setting, and let him/her know how important services provided by the Arc are to you and your family.

If you do not see your legislator on the list of CONFIRMED attendees, call and ask that they come to learn more about the Arc. The confirmed list will be updated on the Arc website.
(legislative district information and contact information can be found at www.mass.gov)

\$20 per person - Tickets may be purchased at www.arcsouthshore.org; or by contacting **Marilyn Garland** at;
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As of 2/4/2010

CONFIRMED ELECTED OFFICIALS:

Mayor Susan M. Kay - Weymouth
Christy Mihos - Gubernatorial Candidate
Kim Aruca - representing Congressman William Delahunt
Representative A. Stephen Tobin - 2nd Norfolk
Anthony O'Brien - Plymouth County Commissioner

Tentative

Mayor Thomas Koch - Quincy
Representative Ronald Mariano - 3rd Norfolk
Representative James M. Murphy - 4th Norfolk
Representative James Cantwell - 4th Plymouth
Representative Michael Brady - 9th Plymouth
Representative Linda Dorcena Forry - 12th Suffolk
Senator Robert Hedlund - Weymouth
Senator Brian Joyce—Milton
Timothy Cahill—State Treasurer

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