Do You Want To...

- ... Take Control of Your Life?
- ... Live in Your Own Place?
- ... Get Where You Want To Go?
- ... Learn From Your Peers?
- ... Advocate for Change?
- ... Learn More About Your Rights?
- ... Find a Job?
- ... Learn New Skills?
- ... Learn About Technology?

Contact us if you want to make an appointment, or if you're interested in learning more about our services.

*All inquiries are confidential.



President George Bush signing into law the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 on the South Lawn of the White House. (Standing left to right) Rev. Harold Wilkie of Clairmont, California; Sandra Parrino, National Council on Disability; (seated left to right): Evan Kemp, Chairman, Equal Opportunity Commission; and Justin Dart, Presidential Commission on Employment of People with Disabilities. July 26, 1990.

(Photo credit: George Bush Presidential Library and Museum)



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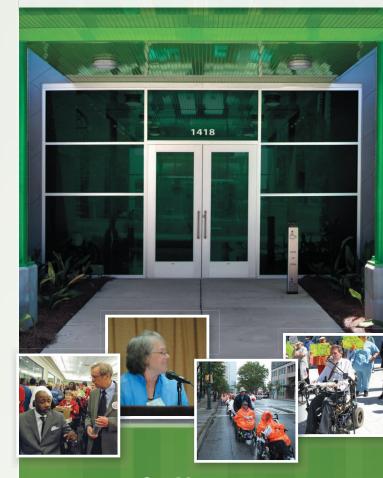
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Our Mission:
"To Empower People with
Disabilities to Fully Participate
in the Community"

We Believe

People with all disabilities should:

- ... Enjoy Equal Access.
- ... Know Their Needs Better Than Anyone.
- ... Have Control Of Their Life.
- ... Be Afforded The Dignity Of Risk.
- ... Exercise Their Rights.



Shown above is Josh Whitmire next to an accessible parking meter.

Disability Rights and Resources advocates for compliance with the ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) and other disability rights laws. The ADA requires that on-street parking be accessible to people with disabilities.

We Serve

- Peer Support
- Basic computer skills training
- Nursing Home Transition
- Home Modification
- Independent Living Skills Training
- Computer Lab
- Information Referral

Eligibility: People with disabilities who want greater independence and equal access to their community.



Dan Kessler is addressing the National Council on Independent Living (NCIL) rally prior to Hill visits.

Hundreds of advocates converge on Washington for the NCIL conference to represent millions of people with disabilities. A highlight of the conference is a march winding through the streets of Washington, ending in a rally in front of the U.S. Capitol.

Photo Credit: Tom Olin

We Advocate

- Self and System Advocacy
- Public Awareness and Education
- Disabilities Rights
- Employment Services
- Work Incentives
- Braille Services
- Information, training and technical assistance regarding ADA



Veteran and business owner Kenneth Marshall is seen here speaking at the Advocacy Day rally in front of the Alabama State House.

Concerned citizens from across the state make their voices heard at the Disability Advocacy Day rally in Montgomery. A range of issues are addressed from home and community based services to transportation. Disability Rights and Resources played a key roll in planning this event.