



Metro Region

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The month of July is Disability Pride Month! That means it is an entire month dedicated to uplifting the voices of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, and celebrating them and their stories. It's also a reminder to think about the ways the world could change for the better to be more accessible for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, and how we might want to advocate for that change.

When thinking about advocacy, and July, we of course have to think about the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). The ADA was signed into law in 1990 by President George H.W. Bush. The ADA protects people with disabilities and makes sure that they have the same rights

and opportunities as everyone else. Which we know is an ongoing battle that we continue to advocate for.

Want to celebrate the Americans with Disabilities Act, and your right to advocate? Join our region in person for a poster making party on July 14th!

We will be meeting Tuesday, July 14th from 1:00 to 3:30 in person at the MASS office. We will be making posters and signs, playing a game or two of bingo, and coming together to celebrate the Americans with Disabilities Act! Poster supplies and snacks will be provided. Our exact office address is 200 Portland St, Boston, MA 02114.

If you'd like to attend, please let us know by filling out this registration form: <https://forms.gle/69XdegG7Uwy6gzWf7>.

If you need help filling out the form let me know, and I would be happy to help!

As always it's incredibly important to let the world know that you and everyone has a voice and it always deserves to be heard in any and in all capacities!



CELEBRATING THE ADA



**POSTER MAKING PARTY:
JOIN US IN PERSON AT THE MASS
OFFICE TO CELEBRATE THE ADA**



TUES JULY 14TH

1:00 PM

**POSTERS...BINGO
...AND MORE!**

