

COMMITTEE ON PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES







6 P.M. - 8 P.M. • IN-PERSON & VIRTUAL

LOCATION:

CWA Local 1180
6 Harrison St.
3rd Fl Conference Room
New York, NY

Left lobby elevator entrance door is 33" wide

RSVP HERE

OR call or text Edward Yood at 718.454.9132

Registration closes Monday, Oct. 7 Space is limited.

Dinner will be provided.

For questions or to receive virtual access to this meeting via Ring Central, email Edward Yood by 5 p.m. on Oct. 9, at envpush.yme@verizon.net.

For IT assistance to access the meeting, contact Francisco Gomez at 917.239.7492

AGENDA



Come and meet one of the Grand Marshals for the Sunday, Oct. 20, 2024 NYC Disability Pride Parade

Guest Speaker: Isabela Mavrides-Calderón

Isabel Mavrides-Calderon, 18 years old, is a Latina disability justice activist and organizer. Her work focuses on advocating for policy change, accessibility, and anti-ableism. She has hosted numerous campaigns and protests for disability rights bills with the ACLU, Patients Rising, and the Center for Disability Rights, and was one of the leaders of a successful campaign to take down *CVS vs DOE*, a Supreme Court case that threatened to gut the Americans with Disabilities Act.

In addition to organizing, Isabel advocates for the disabled community as a public speaker. She is currently hosting a series with the ACLU called "Educating for Access" where she breaks down disability history and current events issues. Isabel was named one of *Teen Vogue*'s 21 Under 21 Revolutionary Youth for her advocacy work. She is currently working with Disability Rights International, an organization that strives to end institutionalization and ensuring the safety and rights of disabled people in war-torn countries.

This will also be a planning meeting for CWA Local 1180 delegation to attend the 2024 Disability Pride Parade. We will gather in Madison Square Park at 10 a.m. At 11 a.m. we will parade, roll, scoot, march, ride, and walk down Broadway to Union Square for a Disability Justice, Rights, and Fun Festival with the Disability Community. CWA Local 1180 will be meeting on the Southwest corner of East 26th St. and Madison Ave. and will be marching in Section A.

Please wear your red 1180 t-shirt, hat, and/or jacket if you have them. For more information and to RSVP for the parade call or email Eddie Yood at

718.454.9132 or envpush.yme@verizon.net.



Report on the Oct. 5 protest at the Judge Rotenberg Center in Canton, Massachusetts. Read more about this by <u>Clicking Here.</u>