

2011 Disability Day at the Capitol

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13th Annual
Disability Day
at the Capitol

February 24, 2011
9:00am to 2:00pm



Unlock the
Doors to
Real Communities!

Real Supports Real Careers Real Homes Real Learning Real Influence Real Communities!

Celebrating &
Reflecting
40th
Anniversary
(1971–2011)

DD Act
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Georgia Council on Developmental Disabilities (GCDD)

Presents

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Schedule of Events

9:00am - Georgia Freight Depot

Registration | Exhibit Hall | Activities

- Sign-in, lunch bands, t-shirts distribution
- World languages sign-making workshop
- 2011 Disability Day Giant Poster: *Add your name and hometown!*
- Exhibition Hall Open - Blue Room
- Throughout the day view the finalist entries in the "Credo for Friendship" high school video contest - Sponsored by Partnerships for Success

11:00am - Rally on the Capitol Steps

Welcome and Greetings

- Tom Seegmueller, GCDD Chairperson

Keynote Speaker - **Governor Nathan Deal**

- Introduction by: Scott Crain, GCDD Council Member

Recognition of Fallen Heros

- Rev. Ginny Ferrell, Central Congregational United Church of Christ

Legislative Update

- Patricia Nobbie, GCDD, Deputy Director

Georgia's Outstanding Self-Advocate of the Year Award - In Loving Memory of Natalie Norwood Tumlin

- Presenters: The Tumlin Family

Samuel Mitchell Lifetime Achievement Award

- Presented by: Cheri Mitchell, People First of Georgia

House and Senate Leadership

- State Legislators are invited to bring greetings from the podium and have lunch with their constituents at the Georgia Freight Depot as their schedules permit.

Closing Remarks

- Eric E. Jacobson, GCDD Executive Director

Unity March to the Freight Depot!

12:00pm - Georgia Freight Depot

Lunch | Exhibit Hall | Program

- Enjoy lunch catered by Chick-fil-A with other advocates, their families, friends and legislators from across Georgia.
- A special large screen presentation of *Waddie Welcome and The Beloved Community*, featuring multiple voices of guest readers from the community. Co-authors Tom Kohler and Susan Earl.

Thank You

- Eric E. Jacobson

Please complete the evaluation on your table at the Georgia Freight Depot. Leave them on the table to be collected by GCDD staff after the event or go to www.gcdd.org to complete the evaluation electronically.

The Members and Staff of GCDD extend a very special thanks to our Disability Day Volunteers and Partnering Organizations.

Additional Accessible Portable Bathrooms are available close to the ramp outside of the Freight Depot and Capitol building.