

Reduce Bureaucracy & Restore Democracy

Mothers On a Mission to Stop Violence (MOMSV) and House Bill Sponsor, State Representative Rita Mayfield will host a public forum and introduce the Survivor Rights Act.

Emmons School (in the Band Room)
Friday, January 14, 2011
6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
24226 W Beach Grove Rd
Antioch, IL 60002



Why is this important? In particular, why is this important to you? Victims' rights in Illinois remain unenforceable and victims are further victimized by the criminal justice system.

*"The only measure of justice residents have to protect their children, loved ones or themselves is the law
Justice is the law. Get involved and take action to enforce justice on behalf of the People."*

-- Denise Rotheimer, Founder, MOMSV

The Survivor Rights Act will establish enforcement mechanisms to assert victims' rights throughout the criminal justice system, promote compliance among law enforcement officials, prosecutors and judges who work directly with victims of violent crime and impose civil liability on offending government agencies that violate victims' rights. Enforcement, compliance, and civil liability will result in a stronger system of justice.

If you would like to speak at this event and share your experience as a victim of a violent crime who was denied access to justice or became further victimized by the system, please contact, Denise Rotheimer at 847-406-8566 or denise@momsv.org to reserve your time. Please R.S.V.P. at www.momsv.org no later than January 10, 2011, seating is limited.

Co-Sponsors:

Mothers On a Mission to Stop Violence, Superintendent Dr. Robert Machak of District 33, Stand Up For Something Now
ALL Exchange Club, Jail Jon Burge Coalition, B.A.M.M., N.A.N., Taskforce on Violence Reduction, CLC Women's Center