**Province-Wide Parties Debate on Accessibility and Disability Issues**

Community Partners invite people with disabilities and their allies from across Ontario to ask questions to each party regarding: Accessible/Subsidized/Supportive Housing, Employment, Poverty Reduction Strategies, Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA), Ontario Disability Support Program (ODSP), Education and other disability issues on

**DATE:** **Wednesday May 16, 2018
TIME: 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. (Doors open at 5:30pm)
LOCATION: Tecumseh Auditorium, Ryerson Student Centre,**

**55 Gould St. (south-west side of Gould Street and Church Street)**

**Co-Moderators: Mark Wafer and Michelle McQuigge**

**The following candidates/representatives are confirmed to attend:**

**Green Party – Mike Schreiner, Leader, Guelph**

**New Democratic Party - Monique Taylor, Hamilton Mountain**

**Progressive Conservative Party – Christine Elliott, Newmarket-Aurora**

**Liberal Party – (to be confirmed)**

**ASL** **English Interpreting, real time captioning and attendant services will be provided.** **Organizers promote a scent-free environment.**

 **RSVP by Friday May 11, 2018. Seating is limited.**

**Register by Eventbrite** [**https://disabilitydebate2018.eventbrite.ca**](https://disabilitydebate2018.eventbrite.ca)

**or contact Robin Simmons at** **inquiry@cilt.ca** **or 416-599-2458 ext. 293**

**Submit your debate questions on Eventbrite or Twitter #disabilitydebate2018**

**Debate Livestream Webcast:** <https://ryecast.ryerson.ca/72/live/1807.aspx>

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