



Northampton Disability Commission,
Northampton City Council,
Northampton School Committee, and the
Northampton Human Rights Commission

Judith Kimberly, Chair
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Special Meeting

Tuesday, December 13, 2016 / 4:00 pm
Northampton Senior Services, Great Room
67 Conz Street, Northampton, MA

Agenda

Film

LIVES WORTH LIVING

Subtitle

THE GREAT FIGHT FOR DISABILITY RIGHTS

Directed by Eric Neudel / Produced by Alison Gilkey
Originally broadcast by PBS through ITVS as part of the Independent Lens series.

Please join us for a showing of *Lives Worth Living, The Great Fight for Disability Rights*, a 2011 documentary film which chronicles the history of the American disability rights movement.

The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) was passed in 1990. This film documents how activists with disabilities played a key role in making this legislation possible through marches, protests, and civil disobedience. Their goal was to end discrimination against the disabled and to have better access to employment and other social opportunities.

Join us for refreshments following the film.