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Primary Subject: ADA discrimination by the City of Rochester, NY; received via email
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (+) *

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Harrison, Brenda

From: Covington, Jeryl on behalf of Title VI Complaints
Sent: Thursday, October 15, 2015 9:58 PM
To: Peterson, Samuel; Keeler, Katsumi; Stein, Jonathan
Cc: Harrison, Brenda; Martinez, Brittany
Subject: FW: Rochester, NY (EPA grant recipient) discriminatory actions

Importance: High

From the website.

(b) (5), (b) (7)(A)

The contact in the letter will be Jonathan Stein (b) (6) such that he can work with the new attorney advisor, Ms. Khan.

Thanks!

-----Original Message-----

From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
Sent: Wednesday, October 14, 2015 5:04 PM
To: Title VI Complaints <Title_VI_Complaints@epa.gov>
Subject: Rochester, NY (EPA grant recipient) discriminatory actions

Hello. I would like to bring to your attention blatant ADA discrimination by the city of Rochester, NY - which is an EPA grant recipient. Besides the life-threatening air/noise pollution situation that Rochester has perpetrated despite 16 months of citizen attempts to halt the unnecessary project which precipitated the toxic situation, the manner in which Rochester pushed through this project was disabled-exclusionary - denying at least one disabled resident any input in the public forum concerning the project. That resident's life is now in danger and the city of Rochester officials responsible refuse to answer any communication attempts to rectify the situation and, thus, comply with EPA law.

I do not think that entities which knowingly and purposefully violate and flout EPA (and other federal) law should enjoy grants or other disbursements from the EPA (or other federal agencies). Please contact Mayor Lovely Warren at Rochester City Hall and advise her of this complaint.

I am able and would be most willing to substantiate the information given herewith.

Sincerely,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)