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Get Cleared, Chicago

Collaborates with City Clerk Anna Valencia To Provide "CityKey" I.D. Cards to the Formerly Incarcerated



Over 50 individuals, including 23 individuals preparing for "RapSheet Day" at the Chicago Police Department, received CityKey I.D. cards at the collaborative outreach event with 006th District CAPS, "CityKey Re-Entry and Workforce Opportunity Day". Collaborative partners included: North Lawndale Employment Network, lead agency partner, coordinated by Pauline Sylvain-Lewis, Teamwork Englewood (Mark Mitchell), and The Employment Resource Center of St. Sabina.

J. Minor Allen, coordinator for "Say Yes to Life", and RapSheet Project coordinator, stated, "CityKey I.D. cards is a valuable I.D. that the formerly incarcerated must have not only for obtaining their CPD "Rap Sheets", but to enable them to navigate opportunities for successful re-entry for which our campaign is advocating".

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