

INVITE YOU



TO COMPLETE YOUR APPLICATION AT OUR NEXT

CITIZENSHIP WORKSHOP

Saturday, June 18, 2011 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

St. James Church 134 North Ave, Highwood, IL 60040

Free legal consultation and assistance Free Classes to pass the test VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Training on Wednesday
June 15, 2011 at 6:00 PM
at Fr. Gary Graf Center
510 10th Street
Waukegan, IL 60085

DO YOU WANT TO APPLY FOR A FEE WAIVER?

- (1) If you or your legal spouse receive LINK/SNAP benefits; or
- (2) If you or your spouse receive All Kids insurance; or
- ➤ (3) If your household income is equal or lower than 150% of the Federal Poverty Guideline (We will have the Guideline at the workshop come ask or call in advance); or
- ➤ If you are under 21 years old, unmarried, live with your parent(s) and one of them qualifies under item 1 or 2 above listed or if they jointly qualify under item 3 listed above
- ➤ If you are under 24 years old, are currently enrolled in school, live with your parents when in school, your parents claim you as dependent on their tax return and they both qualify under item 3.

If you are not ready to apply for Citizenship, come to receive information and answers on the Citizenship application process or call: 847-244-0300 or 847-775-0858







CITIZENSHIP ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

You are eligible for US CITIZENSHIP if you:

- ➤ Have been a legal permanent resident for 4 years and 9 months and know Basic English.
- ➤ Have been a legal permanent resident for 2 years and 9 months, know basic English, and are married to an U.S. citizen.

English is NOT needed for US citizenship if:

- You have a disability and can obtain medical certification.
- You are 50 years old and have had your Resident Card for 20 years, or
- Are 55 years old and have had your Resident Card for 15 years.

TO BE ABLE TO FILL OUT YOUR CITIZENSHIP APPLICATION PLEASE BRING TO THE WORKSHOP THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. Money order of \$680 payable to <u>US Department of Homeland Security</u> \$595 for those over 75 years, (loans may be available at Consumers Credit Union). If you are disabled, unemployed or receiving public aid the fee may be waived). Ask at the workshop.
- 2. Two photos (frontal view) passport style.
- 3. You're resident card, social security card and your driver's license or State ID (originals and 2 copies).
- 4. Dates of all travels outside the U.S. since you received your legal residence card and number of days absent.
- 5. A list of all your addresses where you have lived for the past 5 years.
- 6. The name and addresses of your employers for the last 5 years.
- 7. Your spouse's name, date of birth, social security and card number if she is a resident or the date and place of naturalization if she is a US citizen.
- 8. Date of current marriage.
- 9. If you or your spouse were married before bring all divorce decrees.
- 10. The names of <u>all your children</u>, date of birth and legal residence card numbers (if they are legal residents) and their addresses if not living with you.
- 11. If you have had courts bring your certified court dispositions. You may obtain them where you went to court.
- 12. For males: Bring your Selective Service number and registration date. If you don't know it call (847) 688-6888 or go to www.sss.gov
- 13. Donation to cover mailing: \$15.00

If you need additional information please call:

HACES: 847-244-0300 Fr. Gary Graf Center: 847-775-0858