

# The DC Poet Project

## Community or Chaos: A Poetry Reading and Open Mic

The Anacostia Coordinating Council is pleased to partner with Day Eight and the Office of Councilmember Trayon White to offer a poetry event, featuring Regie Cabico and Anne Becker, to reflect on the memories of 1968. We invite you to offer your own poetic reflections, and to enjoy those of others, at this event. The DC Poet Project is a poetry open mic and reading series featuring top local authors who will select winning Open Mic readers for a \$100 CASH PRIZE and chance to compete for a book contract. Open mic time is limited. Reserve an open mic spot at [dayeight.org](http://dayeight.org).



Regie Cabico's work appears in over 30 anthologies including *Aloud: Voices from the Nuyorican Poets Café*, *Spoken Word Revolution & The Outlaw Bible of American Poetry*. The *Kenyon Review* called Regie Cabico the "Lady Gaga of Poetry".



Anne Becker is past Poet Laureate of Takoma Park. She leads an ongoing workshop, *Writing the Body*, for those who have experienced life-threatening or chronic illness as patient, caregiver or family member, and her latest collection of poetry, *Human Animal*, is forthcoming from Pond Road Press in 2018.

### The R.I.S.E Center

2730 Martin Luther King Jr Ave SE  
Washington, DC 20032

Saturday, March 17  
2:30 p.m | Adults

