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## **Two-Day Training in Restorative Justice**

Saturday, April 9 & Saturday, April 16, 2011

9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

VORP of Denver is providing this training for volunteers who will be facilitating its RESTORE and Community Group Conferencing programs. The training requires attending both days.

Trainers: Anne Rogers and Araceli Rascón,

### **What you can expect to gain from this training in Restorative Justice (RJ)?**

- Develop the ability to help young offenders dialogue with their families, their peers, and victims or victim representatives, to accept accountability, repair harm and restore peace.
- Learn techniques to assist in facilitating dialogue between the victims, the offenders and the community.
- Expand skills in alternative dispute resolution approaches.
- Help our youth facing court actions for minor offenses, lower the rate of recidivism, and ultimately help our families and communities break cycles of poverty and despair.

**The cost for this training is \$50.** Limited scholarships are available, please ask about them. **VORP is asking a minimum of one year commitment as a volunteer facilitator.** RESTORE, a Restorative Justice program for youth ticketed for shoplifting, meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month. Community Group Conferencing, victim-youth offender mediation for vandalism, theft, burglary and graffiti, is scheduled at the convenience of facilitators and participants.

**Location: Northwest Denver-Details provided when you pre-register**

**Additional information & Pre-registration: Contact Rose Romero**  
**rose@vorpoedenver.org or 720-275-1095, by March 25<sup>th</sup>. Submit a volunteer**  
**application and \$25 deposit, or request a scholarship, by April 1<sup>st</sup>.**

To keep our kids out of jail by restoring relationships with self, family, and community