

community justice & mediation center

COME TO THE TABLE 2019

an evening with

JEANNINE BELL

Bridging the Divide: Hate, Racism and Polarization

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

the Woolery Mill

2250 W Sunstone Dr.

5:30 pm Reception

6:30 pm Dinner &
Program



about the event

CJAM has been helping our community overcome barriers to understanding since 1995. We invite you to join us for our annual fund raising event that inspires peaceful resolution of conflict. Maurer Law School Faculty, and nationally-recognized scholar Jeannine Bell, will headline the evening, as she challenges us to "come to the table". In an era of increasing polarization and division—politically, racially, and economically—can one be a good neighbor? It's not as simple as many assume. Professor Bell, who has written about hate crime and housing integration for the last 20 years, grapples with these issues in her talk. She will explore how the current state of housing segregation leads most Americans to live racially separate lives. She will close with a discussion of repairing this fracture, a challenge both harder and easier than one might think. An audience Q & A will follow!

The thought-provoking event takes place this year at the historic Woolery Mill, with catering provided by One World. The evening includes a cocktail reception, silent auction, and dinner. After dinner, guests can practice negotiation skills during the *Dessert Dash*, competing for delicious desserts, including ones prepared by local bakers and eateries! Please take a look at the enclosed sponsorship levels to see how you can participate. *Come to the Table* has sold out for the past four years, so don't delay in reserving your sponsorship and tickets now.

please join us



ABOUT CJAM



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Envisioning a fair community that learns from conflict, prevents harm, and grows in understanding, CJAM promotes civility and peace through mediation, education, and restorative justice. As a local non-profit organization with over 40 community volunteer mediators, our work focuses on restoration, education, empathy, empowerment, and community-building.

CAJM programs serve over 400 individuals each year through:

- Victim & Offender Restoration Program
- Shoplifting & Theft Education Program
- Neighborhood, workplace, school & community mediation
- Conflict coaching and group facilitation
- Conflict resolution education & training programs

finding common ground

building community

inspiring peace