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# Immigrant resources database launching in southeastern Michigan

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Southfield — An [online, searchable database](#) is being launched that catalogs immigrant [resources](#) and service providers across southeastern Michigan.

The Welcome Mat Detroit website launches Tuesday. The occasion will be marked with an event at the Southfield Public Library featuring [immigrant](#) service providers, community members and government officials.

Welcome Mat Detroit, which bills itself as an “immigrant integration network,” says newcomers need access to such resources in a region with a foreign-born population of 365,000.

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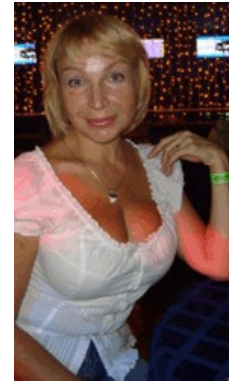
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