

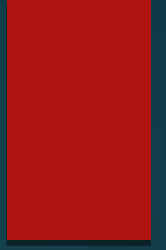
# Brief Overview about Language Access Support from Austin Police Department and Communications & Public Information Office

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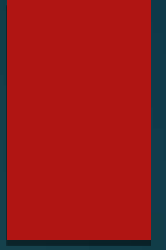
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# Austin Police Department



- When APD staff or police officers encounter someone who speaks a language other than English or Spanish, how do they identify the language need and provide translation and/or interpretation services?
- What kind of training do police officers receive for interacting with Asian communities?

# Communications & Public Information Office



- “iSpeak Austin”
- How do citizens learn about language access availability and how to use it?

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□ What can the Commission do to help support the Asian community about the language access availability from the city?

# Q & A

