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MARYLAND COMMISSION FOR WOMEN

A State Advocacy and Education Agency for Women

Membership:

A 24 member volunteer commission appointed by the Governor.

Commissioners represent the 23 Maryland county jurisdictions and Baltimore City.

Mission of the Commission

Review the needs of women throughout the State.

Recommend progressive policy changes to promote economic self-sufficiency, domestic security, and political empowerment.

History of the Commission

Created in 1965 by Executive Order of Governor J. Millard Tawes.

Enacted as a statutory agency in 1971 by the Maryland General Assembly.

Commission's Activities

Outreach

Expand, inform, and maintain dynamic network of public and private interest groups and individuals concerned about women's issues.

Education

Appoint task forces to study critical issues affecting women.

Publish and distribute publications. Sponsor the Maryland Women's Hall of Fame recognizing women's contributions and achievements.

Advocacy

Expand, inform, and maintain legislative coalitions to recommend legislative and executive positions to promote the status of Maryland Women.

Encourage women to seek political office and appointment to local, state, and national boards and commissions.

Inform and report on the status of Maryland women on key legislative issues to the Governor and the General Assembly.

MCW Publication List (copies available free through MCW)

- Battered: A Survival Manual for Battered Women
- Sexual Harassment in the Workplace is ...
- Sexual Harassment in Schools: It's Not A Joke
- The Legal Rights of Women in Marriage and Divorce in Maryland
- Pregnancy Rights of Working Women in Maryland
- Gender Composition of Statewide Boards, Commissions and Task Forces: 1965-1993
- Profile of Maryland Women: 1980-90
- The Maryland Commission for Women, Who and What We Are
- "Maryland Women", MCW News letter
- Maryland Women's History Month Resource Packet

1994 Commission Accomplishments

Third Annual Conference to Establish a Legislative Agenda for Maryland Women and Children

Tenth Annual Maryland Women's Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony

Reports: Gender Composition of Maryland Boards & Commissions: 1965-93

Profile of Maryland Women: 1980-90

Looking Ahead in 1995

February 15 Susan B. Anthony Birthday

March Women's History Month

March 7 Maryland Women's Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony

May 6 Fourth Annual Conference to Establish a Legislative Agenda for Maryland Women and Children

July 19-22 Annual Convention of National Associations of Commissions for Women, 30th Anniversary of MCW

August 26 75th Anniversary of Women's Suffrage in U.S.

December 5 23rd Anniversary of MD Equal Rights Amendment (ERA)

Please contact the MCW office for information on other MCW activities

Becoming a Commissioner

Please contact MCW office.