COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA



Commission Women

Fiscal Year 2012-2013



Mission Statement

The Commission for Women promotes the well-being and equal status of women in Santa Barbara County.

- Helps women in need
- Collaborates with other agencies
- Facilitates, recognizes and recommends programs
- Gathers and disseminates information
- Conducts public meetings
- Advises the Board of Supervisors



2009-2013 Goals

Accountability

Will reflect and give voice to the diversity of women in our local community through public comment, our activities and Commission membership.



2009-2013 Goals

Customer Focus

Will be a resource for women to express community concerns about issues affecting children and families. Will form effective, ongoing collaborations with other community organizations that impact societal issues that affect the health, well-being, safety, and security of women in our community.



2009-2013 Goals

Efficiency

Will create a strategic relationship with the Board of Supervisors and act in a meaningful advisory capacity to the Board, encouraging and supporting them in developing and implementing programs that enhance the status and well-being of women in our County.



CFW Public Policy Priorities

2010-2011:

Education

 STEM & Underserved Population

Family Law

 Foster Care & Transitional Youth

2011-2012:

Health

- Domestic Violence and Pathways to Tolerance
- Transitional Foster
 Youth

Outreach and Legislation Events

 Miss Representation Screening and Community Forum

2012-2013:

Outreach

- Women's Resource Guide North and South
- Facebook Group and Page

Events

ACCW Meeting Santa Barbara Middle School



2012-2013 Accomplishments

2013 Service Award Recipients

First District

Girls Inc. of Carpinteria Eureka Program

Second District

California Youth Connection Santa Barbara Chapter

Third District

Women's Independent Giving Society (WIGS)

Fourth District

WonHeart

Fifth District

North County Rape Crisis and Child Protection Center



2012-2013 Accomplishments CFW Participation

- Attended 2013 Women's Economic Policy Summit -Sacramento
- Attended National Association of Commissions for Women - Sacramento
- Attended the Report on the Status of Women and Girls in California – Los Angeles
- Hosted the Association of California Commissions for Women's Conference at Santa Barbara Middle School



2012-2013 AccomplishmentsCollaboration with other agencies

- Association of California Commissions for Women
- National Association of Commissions for Women
- Santa Barbara County Veterans Stand Down
- Santa Barbara Pro-Choice Coalition
- Women's Literary Festival



2012-2013 Accomplishments CFW Memberships

 Association of California Commissions for Women (ACCW)

 California Commission on the Status of Women and Girls

 National Association of Commissions for Women (NACW)



2012-2013 CFW Community Visibility

CFW Website www.countyofsb.org/cfw

CFW Facebook Group and Page Updates
http://www.facebook.com/groups/sbcountywomen/
https://www.facebook.com/cfwsb

CFW Resource GuidesOver 8,000 copies distributed

Community Guest Speakers

Angela Sells – Pacifica Institute, Dating Violence and Literacy

Mary Jane Alumbaugh, Ph.D., Child Abuse Listening Mediation

(CALM)



2012-2013 CFW CFW Facebook Page



2013-2014 Future Opportunities

- Community Outreach and Events
- Guest Speakers & Collaborations with groups involved with CFW priority issues
- Recruit Friends of the CFW and CFW Facebook Friends



2013-2014 Future Opportunities

2013-2014 CFW Committees

Women in Leadership

Women Veterans



Santa Barbara County Commission for Women Thanks and Appreciates

The County of Santa Barbara
Board of Supervisors
and
EEO Staff







Santa Barbara County Commission for Women <u>Retreat Pictures</u>





