

VENTURA COUNTY COMMISSION FOR WOMEN

WOMEN'S POLITICAL APPOINTMENT COALITION

MINUTES

June 9, 1993

Oxnard Library, 251 So. "A" Street, Oxnard

6:30 p.m. - large meeting room

Present: *Roma Armbrust (LWV), Cheryl Heitman (NWPC-east), Virginia Rogalsky (VCCFW), Bonnie Warrington (Area Housing), and Celeste Weingardt (VCCFW).*

- Contacts made in the past month include a list of Thousand Oaks Women interested in Community Affairs to Councilmember Frank Schillo.
- Calls were made to women in Supervisor Vanderkolk's district regarding the opening on the Commission for Women.
- Trecy Carpenter (NWPC-west) reported that Lori Anderson had been appointed to the Self Esteem Board.
- Roma Armbrust will summarize her experience with the County Transportation Commission after her meeting with officials of that commission.
- Celeste will check with Joan Province at the County to see if the study on commissions has been completed.

The Computer status is unchanged. We are awaiting Marci Curran's return so that we can access the Talent Bank forms she has in her possession.

Governmental entities will be monitored by:

Camarillo	Virginia R.
Fillmore, Santa Paula	Peggy J.
Moorpark, Simi	Bonnie W.
Oxnard, Port Hueneme	Gloria P.
Thousand Oaks	Cheryl H.
Ventura, City	Roma A.
Ventura, County	Celeste W.
<i>Ojai</i>	<i>Ann W.</i>

Upcoming events:

1. Virginia had a conversation with Trecy Carpenter of Ojai and it was indicated that a presentation could be jointly sponsored with NWPC sometime next year.

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2. Contact will be made with Aurora DelaSelva or Eliza Thomas of the VCCFW to see what we could do in the Oxnard Community.

3. Roma reported that the LWV is planning an event at Rio Mesa High School next November dealing with empowerment. The coalition expressed interest in working with the LWV on that event. Roma is working with the County School Superintendent Jim Cowan and the incoming superintendent Chuck Weiss.

Can have input on issues

●●●There was discussion as to whether the basic positions of each group in the coalition are compatible. NWPC's key issues are: Choice, ERA, Child Care, and Comparable Worth. VCCFW exists at the behest of the County Supervisors and thus cannot screen out any women who apply based on their positions on an issue. LWV basically supports the same issues as NWPC but would not feel a need to screen applicants. An effort will be made to see how other counties and CEWEAR deal with this seeming conflict.

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Director - away from 2 weeks*

●●●Celeste suggested that we prepare an insert for our brochure stating "10 tips to get appointed". Please bring suggestions for this insert to our next meeting.

●●●A new roster is enclosed. If there are any errors or if you wish your name removed from the roster, please call Virginia at 491-0304.

NEXT MEETING: There will be no July meeting. Our next meeting will be August 4, 1993 6:30 P.M. at the Oxnard Library.

*10/16 Oxnard Women's Day
8/14 Discovery Day
Priscilla de Garcia
Laura Beerwick
Ox. Coll.
Reentry Center
986-5833*