



Somerville Commission for Women Monthly Meeting Agenda

December 13, 2012



The Monthly Meeting of the SCW will be at the Central Branch Library in the Community Room at 79 Highland Avenue at 7:00 p.m.

I. Welcome and Introductions

II. Q&A from Director's Report

- Report is delivered by email no later than the Monday before the monthly meeting
- Updates presented at the meeting

III. Policy Update

On-going: Paid Sick Days, Comparable Worth & Pay Equity, Violence Against Women Act (VAWA)

IV: Old Business

- Domestic Violence Awareness Month Candlelight Vigil Report Back (Commissioners)
- Girls High Risk Behavior Taskforce (Nancy, Sonja)
- City-wide Women's Needs Assessment Report (Sonja)
 - ⇒ Report draft ready to be reviewed week of Dec. 13; final to be released in January.
 - ⇒ Discussion: propose the release event in Spring at upcoming March SCW Women's History Reception
- Intimate Partner Violence and Sexual Assault Prevention Activities and Updates

V. New Business

- MLK Jr Day Participation
 - ⇒ Event is Monday, Jan 21 at 11am-1pm at the Somerville Theatre
 - ⇒ Discussion: postering from Jan. 9 for both MLK Day and V-Monologue performances
- Vagina Monologue
 - ⇒ Two shows are both on Saturday, Feb 9 at 3pm and 8pm at the Somerville Theatre
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VI. Review of assigned tasks for action items and events

VII. Adjourn (9:00 pm is maximum end time for SCW meetings)

The next public meeting of the SCW will be **Wednesday, January 16, 2013** in the City Hall Annex, First Floor Conference Room, 50 Evergreen Avenue, at 7:00 p.m.

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