

Hampshire-Franklin Commission on the Status of Women & Girls

This commission was legislatively created in 2017 and is subject to Massachusetts open meeting laws. The commission represents and recognizes all women, regardless of their age, race, color, creed, abilities, socio-economic status, immigration status, sexual orientation, or gender identity at birth residing in Hampshire and Franklin Counties.

Meeting Agendas for: Strategic planning retreat for the 2019-2020 fiscal year,

Date: Saturday, August 24, 2019

Time: 10:00 am-2:00pm

Location: Hosted by Professor Ginetta Cadelario, 18 Henshaw B2 Hampshire, Meridians, Smith College, Northampton, MA

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AGENDA FOR ANNUAL RETREAT

- I. 10:00 am to 10:20 a.m: Call meeting to order, welcoming of guests and introductions, public speak out.
- II. 10:20 to 10:30 am: Check-In
- III. 10:30 am to 11:30 am: A look-back, reexaming the past year and discussions about our accomplishments.
- IV. 11:30 am to 12:15 pm: Review of bylaws. Discussions and recommendations for bylaw amendments.
- V. 12:15 to 1:00 pm: lunch break.
- VI. 1:00 to 2:00 pm: Setting our agenda and calendar for the upcoming year. Discussions and vote on advocacy and outreach actions.
- VII. Any Other Items that may lawfully come before this body.
- VIII. Adjournment
- IX. 2:00-2:30 pm: Media Committee meeting to discuss drafting outreach materials

Next Meeting: September 23, 2019 at the Community Health Center of Franklin County Conference Room, 102 Main St. Greenfield, MA

The Hampshire-Franklin Commission on the Status of Women and Girls is a regional commission. HFCSWG's duties include: studying, reviewing and reporting on the status of women in the county; promoting and facilitating collaboration among local women's organizations; recommending policies that benefit women to agencies, officers of the state, and local government; and holding fact-finding hearings and other public forums as it may deem necessary.

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