

**NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING OF
THE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN**

**THURSDAY, September 1, 2016, 5:30 P.M.
McCLOSKEY ROOM, SUITE #135
CITY HALL
401 N. MORTON STREET, BLOOMINGTON, IN**

AGENDA

BCSW Goals:

- Identify the needs of, resources for, and services available to women in order to improve opportunities for women in Bloomington.
 - To stimulate and encourage legislation for the development of services that benefit women.
 - To educate ourselves on federal, state and local issues as they relate to women and identify participation efforts to assure women's equity. Strategy will include issuing publications, materials, and research findings and educational opportunities for our community.
 - To maintain a close liaison with other women's commissions and advocacy groups.
1. Call to Order
 2. Discussion – Cornelius Wright – Commission on the Status of Black Males
 3. Request for Additional Agenda Items
 4. Approval of Minutes – July (no quorum in August)
 5. Old Business
 - A. WHM Lunch and WLD Event
-date for 2017 WHM Lunch is Wednesday, March 22, 2017
 - B. Monroe County Women's Commission Report (Debby)
 - C. High School Liaison check-in
- New Business
 - A. Local issues related to violence against women
 - B. Liaison Report
 - C. Collaboration with Commission on Hispanic and Latino Affairs – Voter Literacy Event
 - D. Discuss way to recognize women of color and address their issues (Penny)
 - E. Future Planning
 - F. Leadership Scholarship Initiative
 - G. NAACP Freedom Fund Banquet - Souvenir Booklet Advertisement
 - Public Input
 - Adjournment