

ARLINGTON COUNTY  
 COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN  
 October 13, 2016 Meeting Minutes

**Meeting date/time:** October 13, 2016 at 7:00 pm      **Meeting location:** Azalea Conference Room  
**Minutes by:** Margaret Patterson      **Minutes approved:** February 12, 2017

<u>Commissioners</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Absent</u>
1. Stephanie Dix Clifford		X
2. Marguerete Luter (Vice Chair)		X
3. Caroline Romano (Chair)		X
4. Alejandra Santaolalla	X	
5. Amanda Herrmann		X
6. Sasha Alegbeleye	X	
7. Kaitlin Cooke	phone	
8. Margaret Patterson	X	
9. Jill Caiazzo	X	
10. Azadeh Meshkaty		X
11. Catherine Smolka	X	
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>

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<u>County Liaison/Advisor</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Absent</u>
Anthonia Sowho	X	

**Meeting called to order by/at:** Margaret Patterson at 7:02 pm

**Previous minutes were:** Not considered

**Guest(s):** Lauren Stienstra and Will Flagler, Office of Emergency Management

**Other New Business and Announcements**

*Lauren Stienstra and Will Flagler, Office of Emergency Management*

The Office of Emergency Management presented information about HERicane, a leadership camp for girls and young women. The purpose of the camp is to promote interest in the emergency management field among 8-12th graders. Laura and Will requested the Commission's help in promoting the camp.

**Forums and Special Events Department**

*Kaitlin Cooke, Director      Jill Caiazzo and Caroline Romano, Event Coordinators*

1. Women and Politics, October 24, 2016
2. ASK NoVA App, October 19, 2016

**Chair/Vice Chair**

*Caroline Romano, Chair and Marguerete Luter, Vice Chair*

None

**Research and Investigation Department**

*Stephanie Clifford, Director and Sasha Alegbeleye, Deputy Director*

None

**Public Relations Department**

*Amanda Herrmann, Director and Meg Patterson, Deputy Director*

None

**Women of Vision Committee**

*Kaitlin Cooke, Chair*

*Committee: Amanda Herrmann, Sasha Alegbeleye, Caroline Romano, Jill Caiazza, Marguerete Luter, Alejandra Santaolalla*

None

**Meeting Adjourned at:** 9:36 pm