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The Center for the American Woman and Politics (CAWP) is a unit of the Eagleton Institute of Politics at Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey. CAWP is a unique think tank, education, and resource center specializing in women's relationship to politics and government.

Before CAWP was founded in 1971, no organization or educational institution was compiling information about women in government and politics or studying and monitoring the status and prospects of those women. Today, CAWP has taken on the multiple roles of catalyst and resource, provider of data and analyses, interpreter and guide. CAWP raises and responds to emerging issues, working daily with women leaders as well as journalists, scholars, students, women's groups, governmental agencies, civic organizations, and political parties.

CAWP's major programs and activities include: a clearinghouse about women in politics and government; a data bank on women in public office; research about women in leadership; national surveys of elected and appointed women; an ongoing Program for Women Public Officials; a Subscriber Information Service and newsletter; conferences and seminars; programs for college and high school students; a specialized library collection about women in public life; books, monographs, reports, fact sheets, a documentary film; consulting services.

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Women Candidates in 1994: A Summary and List of Major Party Candidates U.S. Senate, U.S. House, Statewide Elective Executives

The following list includes information about women candidates who are still in the running as of August 10. While filing deadlines have passed in 49 states and primaries have been held in 31 states, CAWP has not received official lists from many of the states; much of the information has been gathered over the phone and may be incomplete. Although we use "filed" and "won primary," in some states candidates are selected at conventions or chosen by the governor. We will report on women candidates for state legislative seats in the next issue of *CAWP News & Notes*.

The list of women running for U.S. Senate, U.S. House, and statewide elective executives is sorted by state, then office, then district. Beneath the candidate's name, we have included information about occupation and/or public service, where available. This information was collected from the state parties, the candidates, and from organizations supporting the candidates. We have also noted those candidates endorsed (as of 7/94) by one of the national organizations which raises money for women candidates: EMILY's List (Early Money Is Like Yeast: It Makes the Dough Rise); NOW (National Organization for Women); NWPC (National Women's Political Caucus); WISH List (Women in the Senate and House); and the WCF (Women's Campaign Fund).

U.S. Senate - 12 (5D, 7R) - Still in the Running*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary	Nominees to Date			Nominees Race/Ethnic. White
					Incum.	Chall.	Open	
<u>Total</u>	26	14	8	4	2	1	1	4
Democrat	14	9	4	1	1	0	0	1
Republican	12	5	4	3	1	1	1	3

U.S. House - 133 (77D, 56R) - Still in the Running*

*In addition, 3 Democrats, whose primaries have not yet been held, have filed
for Delegate — 1 from the District of Columbia and 2 from the Virgin Islands.*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary	Nominees to Date			Nominees Race/Ethnic.**				
					Incum.	Chall.	Open	AP	B	H	NA	W
<u>Total</u>	198	65	61	72	24	36	12	1	10	2	1	58
Democrat	111	34	28	49	21	20	8	0	7	1	0	41
Republican	87	31	33	23	3	16	4	1	3	1	1	17

*Figures include candidates who have won their primaries and those whose primaries have not been held as of August 10.

**AP=Asian American/Pacific Islander; B=Black/African American; H=Hispanic/Latina; NA=Native American; W=White.

Total Statewide Elective Executives - 154 (77D, 72R, 2ACP, 3NP) - Still in the Running*

In addition, 3 (2D, 1R) women, whose primaries have not yet been held, have filed for lieutenant governor in Guam.

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	185	31	89	65
Democrat	99	22	41	36
Republican	81	9	46	26
ACP**	2	0	2	0
Nonpartisan	3	0	0	3

The following offices (pp. 4 & 5) are included in the above figures for statewide elective executives.

Governors - 23 (11D, 11R, 1ACP) - Still in the Running*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary	Nominees to Date			Nominees Race/Ethnic. White
					Incum.	Chall.	Open	
Total	33	10	18	5	1	3	1	5
Democrat	17	6	7	4	1	3	0	4
Republican	15	4	10	1	0	0	1	1
ACP**	1	0	1	0				

Lieutenant Governor - 33 (18D, 14R, 1ACP) - Still in the Running*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	37	4	22	11
Democrat	22	4	12	6
Republican	14	0	9	5
ACP**	1	0	1	0

Women Vie for Lieutenant Governor Posts in 77% of the 1994 Races

In 30 of the 50 states there are races for lieutenant governor in 1994. (In 6 additional states where the governor is up this year, the position of lieutenant governor does not exist.) A total of 33 women are still in the running for nominations in 23 states (77% of the 30 states). Three different routes to the post of lieutenant governor are reflected in these 23 states:

- In 5 of the states where women are still contenders, voters cast single ballots for a governor/lieutenant governor ticket in both the primary and general elections.
- In 10 of the states, voters nominate candidates for governor and lieutenant governor independently but cast one vote for a ticket in the general election.
- In the remaining 8 states, candidates for lieutenant governor run independent of the gubernatorial candidates all the way through the election process.

*Figures include candidates who have won their primaries and those whose primaries have not been held as of August 10.

**ACP=A Connecticut Party (the party of the incumbent governor and lieutenant governor in Connecticut).

Secretary of State - 23 (10D, 13R)*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	28	5	12	11
Democrat	15	5	4	6
Republican	13	0	8	5

Commissioner of Labor - 3 (2D, 1R)*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	4	1	2	1
Democrat	3	1	1	1
Republican	1	0	1	0

Attorney General - 11 (5D, 6R)*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	13	2	8	3
Democrat	6	1	5	0
Republican	7	1	3	3

Commissioner of Insurance - 1D*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	2	1	0	1
Democrat	2	1	0	1
Republican	0	0	0	0

State Treasurer - 21 (13D, 8R)*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	22	1	9	12
Democrat	14	1	4	9
Republican	8	0	5	3

Railroad Commissioner - 2 (1D, 1R)*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	2	0	0	2
Democrat	1	0	0	1
Republican	1	0	0	1

State Auditor - 3R*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	4	1	1	2
Democrat	1	1	0	0
Republican	3	0	1	2

Corporation Commissioner - 4 (3D, 1R)*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	4	0	2	2
Democrat	3	0	2	1
Republican	1	0	0	1

Controller/Comptroller - 6 (4D, 2R)*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	7	1	2	4
Democrat	5	1	2	2
Republican	2	0	0	2

Public Service Commissioner - 4D*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	8	4	0	4
Democrat	4	0	0	4
Republican	4	4	0	0

Chief Education Official - 19 (5D, 11R, 3NP)*

	Total Filed	Lost Primary	Primary To Come	Won Primary
Total	19	0	13	6
Democrat	5	0	4	1
Republican	11	0	9	2
Nonpartisan	3	0	0	3

Agriculture Commissioner - 0*

1 Democrat Lost Primary

Commissioner of Public Lands - 1R*

1 Republican Won Primary

*Figures include candidates who have won their primaries and those whose primaries have not yet been held as of August 10.

Women Candidates in 1994 (continued)

St.	Candidate For	Dist.	Woman Candidate	Current Status	Pri. Date	Pri. Seat	GE Seat*	General Elect. Opponent (Or Cur. Incum. Other Party)
AK	Gov.		Sybil Skelton-Monroe (R)	Filed	08/23	O	O	()
AK	Lt. Gov.		Fran Ulmer (D) Current State Representative; runs w/ governor post primary NWPC, WCF	Filed	08/23	O	O	()
AL	Sec. St.		Vickie W. Gavin (R)	Won Pri.	06/07	O	O	Jim Bennett (D)
AL	St. Treas.		Lucy Baxley (D)	Won Pri.	06/07	O	O	Jim Martin (R)
AL	St. Aud.		Pat Duncan (R)	Won Pri.	06/07	O	O	Charles Baker (D)
AL	P.S. Comm.		Jan Cook (D) Current Public Service Commissioner	Won Pri.	06/07	I	I	Lee Helms (R)
AR	US Rep.	001	Blanche M. Lambert (D) Current U.S. Representative NWPC	Won Pri.	05/24	I	I	Warren Dupue (R)
AR	US Rep.	003	Berta L. Seitz (D) Businesswoman NWPC	Won Pri.	05/24	O	C	Tim Hutchinson (R)
AR	Lt. Gov.		Charlie Cole Chaffin (D) Current State Senator	Won Pri.	05/24	O	C	Mike Huckabee (R)
AR	Sec. St.		Sharon Priest (D)	Won Pri.	05/24	C	O	Julia Hughes Jones (R)
AR	Sec. St.		Julia Hughes Jones (R) Current State Auditor	Won Pri.	05/24	O	O	Sharon Priest (D)
AR	St. Treas.		Jimmie Lou Fisher (D) Current State Treasurer	Won Pri.	05/24	I/U	I/U	()
AZ	US Sen.		Cindy Resnick (D) Current State Senator, Minority Leader NWPC	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
AZ	US Rep.	001	Bev Hermon (R) Current State Senator	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
AZ	US Rep.	001	Linda Rawles (R)	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
AZ	US Rep.	001	Susan Bitter Smith (R) Fmr. Scottsdale Councilmember	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
AZ	US Rep.	004	Carol Cure (D) Attorney NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	O	C	Jon Kyl (R)
AZ	US Rep.	004	Joan Jugloff (R)	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
AZ	US Rep.	006	Karan English (D) Current U.S. Representative EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	I	I	()
AZ	US Rep.	006	Ramona Ortega Liston (R)	Filed	09/13	O	C	Karen English (D)
AZ	Gov.		Barbara M. Barrett (R) Fmr. Vice Chair, Civil Aeronautics Bd.; Fmr. Deputy Admin., FAA WCF	Filed	09/13	C	O?	()

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AZ	Sec. St.		Jane Dee Hull (R) Current State Representative; Fmr. AZ Speaker	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
AZ	Sup. P.I.		Lela Alston (D) Current State Senator	Filed	09/13	C	O?	()
AZ	Sup. P.I.		C. Diane Bishop (D) Current Superintendent of Public Instruction	Filed	09/13	I	I	Lisa Graham (R)
AZ	Sup. P.I.		Lisa Graham (R) Current State Representative	Filed	09/13	O	C	C. Diane Bishop (D)
AZ	Corp. C.		Debbie Davis (D)	Filed	09/13	O	C	Dale Morgan (R)
CA	US Sen.		Dianne Feinstein (D) Current U.S. Senator; Fmr. San Francisco Mayor EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	I	I	Michael Huffington (R)
CA	US Rep.	002	Mary Jacobs (D) Businesswoman NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Wally Herger (R)
CA	US Rep.	004	Katie Hirning (D) Corporate Vice President NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	John T. Doolittle (R)
CA	US Rep.	006	Lynn C. Woolsey (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	I	I	Michael Nugent (R)
CA	US Rep.	008	Nancy Pelosi (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC	Won Pri.	06/07	I	I	Elsa C. Cheung (R)
CA	US Rep.	008	Elsa C. Cheung (R) Businesswoman	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Nancy Pelosi (D)
CA	US Rep.	009	Deborah Wright (R) Writer	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Ronald V. Dellums (D)
CA	US Rep.	010	Ellen Schwartz (D) Businesswoman NOW, NWPC	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Bill Baker (R)
CA	US Rep.	012	Deborah Wilder (R) Small Business Owner	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Tom Lantos (D)
CA	US Rep.	014	Anna G. Eshoo (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC	Won Pri.	06/07	I	I	Ben Brink (R)
CA	US Rep.	016	Zoe Lofgren (D) Current Santa Clara Supervisor EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	O	O	Lyle J. Smith (R)
CA	US Rep.	022	Andrea Seastrand (R) Current State Assemblywoman	Won Pri.	06/07	O	O	Walter Holden Capps (D)
CA	US Rep.	033	Lucille Roybal-Allard (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	I	I/U	()

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CA	US Rep.	035	Maxine Waters (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC	Won Pri.	06/07	I	I	Nate Truman (R)
CA	US Rep.	036	Jane Harman (D) Current U.S. Representative EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	I	I	Susan M. Brooks (R)
CA	US Rep.	036	Susan M. Brooks (R) Businesswoman	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Jane Harman (D)
CA	US Rep.	049	Lynn Schenk (D) Current U.S. Representative EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	I	I	Bill Bilbray (R)
CA	US Rep.	050	Mary Alice Acevedo (R) Businesswoman	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Bob Filner (D)
CA	US Rep.	051	Rita K. Tamerius (D) Businesswoman NWPC	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Randy 'Duke' Cunningham (R)
CA	US Rep.	052	Janet M. Gastil (D) Businesswoman; '92 U.S. House Nominee NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Duncan Hunter (R)
CA	Gov.		Kathleen Brown (D) Current State Treasurer EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Pete Wilson (R)
CA	Lt. Gov.		Cathie Wright (R) Current State Senator (holdover)	Won Pri.	06/07	O	O	Gray Davis (D)
CA	St. Contr.		Kathleen Connell (D) Businesswoman NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	O	~ O	Tom McClintock (R)
CA	Sup. P.I.		Delaine Eastin (NP) Current State Assemblywoman NOW, NWPC	Won Pri.	06/07	O	O	Maureen DiMarco (NP)
CA	Sup. P.I.		Maureen DiMarco (NP)	Won Pri.	06/07	O	O	Delaine Eastin (NP)
CO	US Rep.	001	Pat Schroeder (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC	Won Pri.	08/09	I/U	I	Bill Eggert (R)
CO	US Rep.	002	Pat Miller (R) Fmr. State Representative	Won Pri.	08/09	O	C	David E. Skaggs (D)
CO	US Rep.	003	Linda Powers (D) Current State Senator (holdover)	Won Pri.	08/09	O/U	C	Scott McInnis (R)
CO	US Rep.	004	Cathy Kipp (D)	Won Pri.	08/09	O/U	C	Wayne Allard (R)
CO	Lt. Gov.		Gail Schoettler (D) Current State Treasurer; runs w/ governor post primary	Won Pri.	08/09	O/U	O	Bob Schaffer (R)
CO	Sec. St.		Sherrie Wolff (D)	Won Pri.	08/09	O/U	O	Vikki Buckley (R)

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CO	Sec. St.		Vikki Buckley (R)	Won Pri.	08/09	O/U	O	Sherrie Wolff (D)
CO	Aty. Gen.		Gale Norton (R) Current Attorney General	Won Pri.	08/09	I/U	I	Dick Freese (D)
CO	St. Treas.		Daphne Greenwood (D) Current State Representative	Won Pri.	08/09	O/U	O	Bill Owens (R)
CT	US Rep.	001	Barbara Kennelly (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC	Filed	09/13	I	I	()
CT	US Rep.	003	Rosa DeLauro (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	I	I	()
CT	US Rep.	003	Susan Johnson (R)	Filed	09/13	O	C	Rosa DeLauro (D)
CT	US Rep.	006	Charlotte Koskoff (D)	Filed	09/13	O	C	Nancy Johnson (R)
CT	US Rep.	006	Nancy Johnson (R) Current U.S. Representative NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	I	I	()
CT	Gov.		Eunice Strong Groark (ACP) Current Lieutenant Governor NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
CT	Gov.		Pauline Kezer (R) Current Secretary of State; Fmr. State Representative NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
CT	Lt. Gov.		Audrey Rowe (ACP) Current Commissioner of Social Services; runs w/ governor post convention	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
CT	Lt. Gov.		M. Jodi Rell (R) Current State Representative; runs w/ governor post convention	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
CT	Sec. St.		Julie Tashjian (D) Fmr. Secretary of State	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
CT	Sec. St.		Andrea Scott (R)	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
CT	Comptrol.		Nancy Wyman (D) Current State Representative NWPC	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
DC	US Rep.	AL	Eleanor Holmes Norton (D) Current U.S. Delegate NWPC	Filed	09/13	I/U	I/U	()
DE	US Rep.	AL	Carol Ann DeSantis (D)	Filed	09/10	O	C	Michael Castle (R)
DE	Aty. Gen.		M. Jane Brady (R) Attorney; '90 US Senate Nominee	Filed	09/10	O	C	Charles M. Oberly III (D)
DE	St. Treas.		Janet Rzewnicki (R) Current State Treasurer	Filed	09/10	I	I	()
FL	US Rep.	001	Lois Benson (R) Current State Representative	Filed	09/06	O	O	()

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FL	US Rep.	002	Carole Griffin (R)	Filed	09/06	0	C	Pete Peterson (D)
FL	US Rep.	003	Corrine Brown (D) Current U.S. Representative NWPC	Filed	09/06	1	I	()
FL	US Rep.	003	Gwen Chandler-Thompson (R) Physician	Filed	09/06	0	C	Corrine Brown (D)
FL	US Rep.	004	Tillie Fowler (R) Current U.S. Representative	Filed	09/06	1/U	1/U	()
FL	US Rep.	005	Karen Thurman (D) Current U.S. Representative	Filed	09/06	1/U	I	()
FL	US Rep.	012	Cheryl Davis Knapp (D) Nurse; '92 U.S. House Nominee NWPC	Filed	09/06	0	C	Charles T. Canady (R)
FL	US Rep.	015	Sue Munsey (D) Fmr. Cocoa Beach Chamber of Commerce President NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/06	0/U	0	()
FL	US Rep.	015	Carol Jean Jordan (R) Businesswoman	Filed	09/06	0	0	()
FL	US Rep.	016	Audrey Vickers (R) Current Highlands County Commissioner NWPC	Filed	09/06	0	0	()
FL	US Rep.	017	Carrie Meek (D) Current U.S. Representative NWPC	Filed	09/06	1/U	1/U	()
FL	US Rep.	018	Ileana Ros-Lehtinen (R) Current U.S. Representative	Filed	09/06	1/U	1/U	()
FL	US Rep.	020	Beverly Kennedy (R) '92 U.S. House Nominee	Filed	09/06	0	C	Peter Deutsch (D)
FL	US Rep.	022	Hermine Weiner (D) Current City Councilmember NWPC	Filed	09/06	0	C	E. Clay Shaw, Jr. (R)
FL	Gov.		Jo Arnold (R) Physician	Filed	09/06	0	C	Lawton Chiles (D)
FL	Lt. Gov.		Barbara Sheen Todd (R) Current Pinellas County Commissioner; runs w/ governor	Filed	09/06	0	C	Buddy McKay (D)
FL	Sec. St.		Sandy Barringer Mortham (R) Current State Representative	Filed	09/06	0	0	()
FL	St. Treas.		Elizabeth Coffee (D)	Filed	09/06	0	0	()
FL	St. Treas.		Karen Gievers (D) Attorney NWPC	Filed	09/06	0	0	()
FL	C. Educ.		Polly Demma (R)	Filed	09/06	0	0	()

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FL	C. Educ.		Linda Ossorio (R)	Filed	09/06	O	O	()
GA	US Rep.	011	Cynthia McKinney (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	07/19	I/U	I	Woodrow Lovet (R)
GA	Lt. Gov.		Nancy Schaefer (R)	Won Pri.	07/19	O/U	C	Pierre Howard (D)
GA	Sch. Sup.		Linda Schrenko (R)	Won Pri.	07/19	O/U	C	Warner Rogers (D)
GA	P.S. Comm.		Earleen Sizemore (D) Fmr. State Representative	Won Pri.	07/19	C	O	Dave Baker (R)
GU	Lt. Gov.		Gloria Nelson (D) Current Guam Senator; runs w/ governor	Filed	09/03	O	O	()
GU	Lt. Gov.		Madeleine Bordallo (D) Current Guam Senator; runs w/ governor	Filed	09/03	O	O	()
GU	Lt. Gov.		Doris Brook (R) Current Guam Senator; runs w/ governor	Filed	09/03	O	O	()
HI	US Rep.	001	Yvonne Peiper Perry (R)	Filed	09/17	O	C	Neil Abercrombie (D)
HI	US Rep.	002	Patsy Mink (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC	Filed	09/17	I	I	()
HI	Gov.		Pat Saiki (R) Fmr. SBA; Fmr. U.S. Rep.; Fmr. St. Sen. & St. Rep.; '90 U.S. Senate Nominee NWPC, WCF, WISH	Filed	09/17	O	O	()
HI	Lt. Gov.		Mazie K. Hirono (D) Current State Representative; runs w/ governor post primary NWPC	Filed	09/17	O	O	()
HI	Lt. Gov.		Jackie Young (D) Current State Representative; runs w/ governor post primary	Filed	09/17	O	O	()
IA	US Rep.	003	Elaine Baxter (D) Current Secretary of State; '92 U.S. House Nominee NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Jim Ross Lightfoot (R)
IA	US Rep.	005	Sheila McGuire (D) Dentist EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/07	O	O	Tom Lathan (R)
IA	Gov.		Bonnie Campbell (D) Current Attorney General EMILY, NOW, NWPC	Won Pri.	06/07	O	C	Terry Branstad (R)
IA	Sec. St.		Anne Pedersen (D)	Won Pri.	06/07	O	O	Paul Pate (R)
ID	US Rep.	001	Helen Chenoweth (R)	Won Pri.	05/24	O	C	Larry LaRocco (D)
ID	US Rep.	002	Penny Fletcher (D)	Won Pri.	05/24	O	C	Mike Crapo (R)
ID	Sec. St.		Edith M. Stanger (D)	Won Pri.	05/24	O	C	Pete T. Cenarrusa (R)
ID	St. Treas.		Lydia Justice Edwards (R) Current State Treasurer	Won Pri.	05/24	I/U	I/U	()

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ID	Sup. P.I.		Anne Fox (R)	Won Pri.	05/24	O	C	Will E. Sullivan (D)
IL	US Rep.	007	Cardiss Collins (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC	Won Pri.	03/15	I	I	Charles Mobley (R)
IL	US Rep.	012	Jan Morris (R)	Won Pri.	03/15	O	C	Jerry F. Costello (D)
IL	Gov.		Dawn Clark Netsch (D) Current State Comptroller; Fmr. State Senator EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	03/15	O	C	Jim Edgar (R)
IL	Lt. Gov.		Penny Severns (D) Current State Senator (holdover); runs w/ governor post primary	Won Pri.	03/15	O	C	Bob Kustra (R)
IL	St. Treas.		Nancy Drew Sheehan (D)	Won Pri.	03/15	O	O	Judy Barr Topinka (R)
IL	St. Treas.		Judy Barr Topinka (R) Current State Senator (holdover)	Won Pri.	03/15	O	O	Nancy Drew Sheehan ()
IL	Comptrol.		Earlean Collins (D) Current State Senator (holdover) NOW	Won Pri.	03/15	O	O	Loleta A Didrickson (R)
IL	Comptrol.		Loleta A. Didrickson (R) Fmr. State Representative NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	03/15	O	O	Earlean Collins (D)
IN	US Rep.	004	Jill L. Long (D) Current U.S. Representative	Won Pri.	05/03	I	I	Marc E. Souder (R)
IN	US Rep.	006	Natalie M. Bruner (D) '92 U.S. House Nominee	Won Pri.	05/03	O	C	Dan Burton (R)
IN	US Rep.	009	Jean Leising (R) Current State Senator (holdover)	Won Pri.	05/03	O	C	Lee H. Hamilton (D)
IN	Sec. St.		Sue Anne Gilroy (R)	Won Pri.	05/03	O	O	Tim Jeffers (D)
IN	St. Treas.		Katie Humphreys (D) Fmr. Indiana Dept. of Administration Commissioner	Won Pri.	05/03	O	O	Joyce Brinkman (R)
IN	St. Treas.		Joyce Brinkman (R) Current State Representative	Won Pri.	05/03	O	O	Katie Humphreys (D)
KS	US Rep.	003	Judy Hancock (D) Attorney	Won Pri.	08/02	O	C	Jan Meyers (R)
KS	US Rep.	003	Jan Meyers (R) Current U.S. Representative NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	08/02	I	I	Judy Hancock (D)
KS	Lt. Gov.		Carol Sader (D) Current State Representative; runs w/ governor	Won Pri.	08/02	O	O	Sheila Frahm (R)
KS	Lt. Gov.		Sheila Frahm (R) Current State Senator; runs w/ governor	Won Pri.	08/02	O	O	Carol Sader (D)
KS	Sec. St.		Fran Lee (D)	Won Pri.	08/02	O	O	Ron Thornburg (R)

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KS	Aty. Gen.		Carla Stovall (R)	Won Pri.	08/02	0	0	Richard Schodorf (D)
KS	St. Treas.		Sally Thompson (D) Current State Treasurer	Won Pri.	08/02	1	1	Randy Duncan (R)
KS	C. Insur.		Kathleen Sebelius (D) Current State Representative	Won Pri.	08/02	0	C	Ron Todd (R)
KY	US Rep.	003	Susan B. Stokes (R) '92 U.S. House Nominee; Fmr. State Representative NWPC, WCF, WISH	Won Pri.	05/24	0	0	Mike Ward (D)
KY	US Rep.	004	Sally Harris Skaggs (D)	Won Pri.	05/24	0	C	Jim Bunning (R)
MA	US Rep.	004	Denise Ham (D)	Filed	09/20	C	0?	()
MA	US Rep.	007	Patricia Long (R)	Filed	09/20	0	C	Edward Markey (D)
MA	Aty. Gen.		Janis M. Berry (R)	Filed	09/20	0	C	L. Scott Harshbarger (D)
MA	St. Treas.		Shannon O'Brien (D) Current State Senator	Filed	09/20	0/U	C	Joe Malone (R)
MD	US Sen.		Ruth Anne Aron (R) Current Montgomery County Planning Commissioner	Filed	09/13	0	C	Paul Sarbanes (D)
MD	US Rep.	002	Cornie Galiazzo-Dejulias (D) Current State Delegate NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	0	0	()
MD	US Rep.	004	Michele Dyson (R) '92 U.S. House Nominee NWPC	Filed	09/13	0	C	Albert R. Wynn (D)
MD	US Rep.	008	Connie Morella (R) Current U.S. Representative NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	1	1	()
MD	Gov.		Mary Boergers (D) Current State Senator NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	0	0	()
MD	Gov.		Ellen Sauerbrey (R) Current State Delegate, Minority Leader	Filed	09/13	0	0	()
MD	Gov.		Helen Delich Bentley (R) Current U.S. Representative	Filed	09/13	0	0	()
MD	Lt. Gov.		Barbara Kreamer (D) Fmr. State Delegate; runs w/ governor	Filed	09/13	0	0	()
MD	Lt. Gov.		Kathleen Kennedy Townsend (D) '86 U.S. House Nominee; runs w/ governor	Filed	09/13	0	0	()
MD	Aty. Gen.		Eleanor Carey (D) Fmr. Deputy Attorney General NWPC	Filed	09/13	C	0?	()
ME	US Sen.		Olympia Snowe (R) Current U.S. Representative NWPC, WCF, WISH	Won Pri.	06/14	0	0	Thomas H. Andrews (D)

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ME	Gov.		Susan Collins (R) Fmr. State Cabinet Official; Fmr. New England NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/14	0	0	Joe Brennan (D)
MI	US Rep.	003	Betsy J. Flory (D) Educator; Fmr. County Party Treasurer	Won Pri.	08/02	0	0	Vernon J. Ehlers (R)
MI	US Rep.	009	Megan O'Neill (R) '92 U.S. House Nominee	Won Pri.	08/02	0	C	Dale E. Kildee (D)
MI	US Rep.	013	Lynn Nancy Rivers (D) Current State Representative EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	08/02	0	0	John Schall (R)
MI	US Rep.	015	Barbara-Rose Collins (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC	Won Pri.	08/02	I	I	John Savage II (R)
MI	Lt. Gov.		Connie Binsfield (R) Current Lieutenant Governor; runs w/ governor	Filed	08/02	I	I	()
MN	US Sen.		Ann Wynia (D) Fmr. Human Services Commissioner; Fmr. State House Majority Leader EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	0	0	()
MN	US Sen.		Joanell Dyrstad (R) Current Lieutenant Governor NWPC, WCF, WISH	Filed	09/13	0	0	()
MN	US Rep.	005	Dorothy LeGrand (R) Businesswoman NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	0	C	Martin Olav Sabo (D)
MN	US Rep.	006	Natalie Haas Steffen (R) Fmr. MN Commissioner of Human Services NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	0	0	()
MN	US Rep.	006	Beatrice Mooney (R)	Filed	09/13	0	0	()
MN	Lt. Gov.		Paula E. Hanson (D) Current State Senator; runs w/ governor	Filed	09/13	0	0	(R)
MN	Lt. Gov.		Nancy Larson (D) Runs w/ governor	Filed	09/13	0	0	(R)
MN	Lt. Gov.		Kim Stokes (D) Runs w/ governor	Filed	09/13	0	0	(R)
MN	Lt. Gov.		Joanne Benson (R) Current State Senator (holdover); runs w/ governor	Filed	09/13	0	0	()
MN	Sec. St.		Joan Anderson Growe (D) Current Secretary of State NWPC	Filed	09/13	I/U	I	Dick Kimbler (R)
MN	Aty. Gen.		Sharon Anderson (R)	Filed	09/13	0	C	Hubert H. Humphrey III (D)
MN	St. Treas.		Joan Siers (R)	Filed	09/13	0	C	Michael McGrath (D)
MN	St. Aud.		Judi Dutcher (R)	Filed	09/13	0	0	()

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MO	US Rep.	005	Karen McCarthy (D) Current State Representative NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	08/02	0	0	Ron Freeman (R)
MO	US Rep.	006	Pat (Patsy Ann) Danner (D) Current U.S. Representative	Won Pri.	08/02	I	I	Tina Tucker (R)
MO	US Rep.	006	Tina Tucker (R) Administrative Aide NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	08/02	0	C	Pat Danner (D)
MO	St. Aud.		Margaret Kelly (R) Current State Auditor	Won Pri.	08/02	I	I	Steve Danner (D)
NC	US Rep.	001	Eva M. Clayton (D) Current U.S. Representative EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	05/03	I	I	Ted Tyler (R)
NC	US Rep.	009	Sue Myrick (R) Fmr. Charlotte Mayor	Won Pri.	05/03	0	0	Rory Blake (D)
NC	US Rep.	011	Maggie Palmer Lauterer (D) Fmr. Television Reporter NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	05/03	0	C	Charles H. Taylor (R)
ND	P.S. Comm.		Julie Hill (D) Fmr. State Representative; '92 Lt. Gov. Nominee	Won Pri.	06/14	0	0/U	()
NE	US Sen.		Jan Stoney (R) Businesswoman	Won Pri.	05/10	0	C	Bob Kerrey (D)
NE	Lt. Gov.		Kim Robak (D) Current Lieutenant Governor (appointed); runs w/ governor post primary	Won Pri.	05/10	I	I	Kate Witek (R)
NE	Lt. Gov.		Kate Witek (R) Current State Senator (holdover); runs w/ governor post primary	Won Pri.	05/10	0	C	Kim Robak (D)
NE	St. Treas.		Dawn Rockey (D) Current State Treasurer	Won Pri.	05/10	I	I	Dave Heinenman (R)
NH	US Rep.	002	Brenda Elias (R) Fmr. Franklin Mayor	Filed	09/13	0	C	Dick Swett (D)
NJ	US Rep.	005	Marge Roukema (R) Current U.S. Representative NWPC	Won Pri.	06/07	I	I	Bill Aeur (D)
NJ	US Rep.	007	Karen Carroll (D) Administrator	Won Pri.	06/07	0	C	Bob Franks (R)
NM	Lt. Gov.		Patricia Madrid (D) Runs w/ governor post primary	Won Pri.	06/07	0	0	Walter Bradley (R)
NM	Sec. St.		Stephanie Gonzales (D) Current Secretary of State	Won Pri.	06/07	I	I	Gloria F. Baca-Griego (R)
NM	Sec. St.		Gloria F. Baca-Griego (R)	Won Pri.	06/07	0	C	Stephanie Gonzales (D)
NM	Corp. C.		Gloria Tristani (D) NOW	Won Pri.	06/07	0	0	Peggy Helgeson (R)

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NM	Corp. C.		Peggy Helgeson (R)	Mon Pri.	06/07	O	O	Gloria Tristani (D)
NV	US Rep.	002	Janet Greeson (D)	Filed	09/06	O	C	Barbara Vucanovich (R)
NV	US Rep.	002	Barbara Vucanovich (R) Current U.S. Representative	Filed	09/06	I	I	()
NV	Gov.		Jan Lavery Jones (D) Current Las Vegas Mayor EMILY, NOW, WCF	Filed	09/06	C	O?	()
NV	Gov.		Cheryl Lau (R) Current Secretary of State	Filed	09/06	O	C	Bob Miller (D)
NV	Gov.		Suzanne Mounna (R)	Filed	09/06	O	C	Bob Miller (D)
NV	Lt. Gov.		Maizie Harris Jesse (D)	Filed	09/06	O	O	()
NV	Sec. St.		Karen Zupon Korcheck (D) Fmr. Chief Deputy Secretary of State	Filed	09/06	O	O	()
NV	Aty. Gen.		Frankie Sue Del Papa (D) Current Attorney General	Filed	09/06	I	I	Bill Maddox (R)
NV	Aty. Gen.		Margot Sierra Holcomb (D)	Filed	09/06	C	O?	()
NV	St. Contr.		Mary Sanada (D)	Filed	09/06	O	C	Darrel Daines (R)
NY	US Sen.		Bernadette Castro (R) Businesswoman	Filed	09/13	O	C	Daniel Patrick Moynihan (D)
NY	US Rep.	003	Norma Grill (D) Tax Attorney NWPC	Filed	09/13			()
NY	US Rep.	008	Deborah Green (D)	Filed	09/13	C	O?	()
NY	US Rep.	012	Nydia Velazquez (D) Current U.S. Representative NWPC	Filed	09/13	I	I	()
NY	US Rep.	013	Susan Molinari (R) Current U.S. Representative NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	I	I	()
NY	US Rep.	014	Carolyn Maloney (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	I	I	()
NY	US Rep.	018	Mita Lowey (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC	Filed	09/13	I	I	()
NY	US Rep.	019	Sue Kelly (R) Attorney NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
NY	US Rep.	025	Rhea Jezer (D) Activist and Lecturer; '92 U.S. House Nominee NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	O	C	James T. Walsh (R)

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NY	US Rep.	028	Louise Slaughter (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	I	I	()
NY	US Rep.	028	Renee Davison (R) Monroe County Legislator	Filed	09/13	O	C	Louise M. Slaughter (D)
NY	US Rep.	030	Ellen Kennedy (D) Current Nat'l Chair of Citizen Action and NY President NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	O	C	Jack Quinn (R)
NY	Gov.		Lenora B. Fulani (D) Fmr. Independent Presidential Candidate	Filed	09/13	C	O?	()
NY	Lt. Gov.		Elizabeth McCaughey (R) Runs w/ governor post primary	Filed	09/13	O	C	Stanley Lundine (D)
NY	Aty. Gen.		Karen Burstein (D) Fmr. Judge; Fmr. State Senator WCF	Filed	09/13	C	O?	()
OH	US Rep.	009	Marcy Kaptur (D) Current U.S. Representative	Won Pri.	05/03	I	I	R. Randy Whitman (R)
OH	US Rep.	012	Cynthia L. Ruccia (D) Businesswoman NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	05/03	O	C	John R. Kasich (R)
OH	US Rep.	015	Deborah Pryce (R) Current U.S. Representative	Won Pri.	05/03	I	I	Bill Buckel (D)
OH	Lt. Gov.		Nancy P. Hollister (R) Runs w/ governor	Won Pri.	05/03	O	O	Peter Lawson Jones (D)
OH	Aty. Gen.		Betty Montgomery (R) Current State Senator (holdover)	Won Pri.	05/03	O	C	Lee Fisher (D)
OH	St. Treas.		Barbara Sykes (D) County Deputy Auditor; Fmr. City Councilmember WCF	Won Pri.	05/03	O	O	Ken Blackwell (R)
OK	US Rep.	001	Joan King Hastings (R)	Filed	08/23	O	O	()
OK	US Rep.	001	Paula Unruh (R)	Filed	08/23	O	O	()
OK	Gov.		Bernice Shedrick (D) Current State Senator (holdover) NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	08/23	O	O	()
OK	Gov.		Virginia Hale (R)	Filed	08/23	O	O	()
OK	Lt. Gov.		Nance Diamond (D) Educator NWPC	Filed	08/23	O	O	()
OK	Lt. Gov.		Terry Theresa Neese (R)	Filed	08/23	O	O	()
OK	Lt. Gov.		Mary Fallin (R) Current State Representative	Filed	08/23	O	O	()

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OK	St. Treas.		Claudette Henry (R) Current State Treasurer	Filed	08/23	I	I	()
OK	Sup. P.I.		Sandy Garrett (D) Current Superintendent of Public Instruction	Filed	08/23	I	I	Linda Murphy (R)
OK	Sup. P.I.		Linda Murphy (R)	Filed	08/23	O/U	C	Sandy Garrett (D)
OK	C. Labor		Virginia Blue Jeans Jenner (D)	Filed	08/23	C	O?	()
OK	C. Labor		Brenda Reneau (R)	Filed	08/23	O	C	Mike Renfro (D)
OK	Corp. C.		Delphia McBrayer-Hawkins (D)	Filed	08/23	O	O	()
OR	US Rep.	001	Elizabeth Furse (D) Current U.S. Representative EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	05/17	I	I	Bill Witt (R)
OR	US Rep.	002	Sue C. Kupillas (D) Current County Commissioner EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	05/17	O	O	Wes Cooley (R)
OR	US Rep.	005	Catherine Webber (D) Current State Senator EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	05/17	O	O	Jim Bunn (R)
OR	Sup. P.I.		Norma Paulus (NP) Current Superintendent of Public Instruction NWPC	Won Pri.	05/17	I	I/U	()
OR	C. Labor		Mary Wendy Roberts (D) Current Commissioner of Labor EMILY, NWPC	Won Pri.	05/17	I	I	Jack Roberts (R)
PA	US Rep.	007	Sara Nichols (D) Attorney NOW, NWPC	Won Pri.	05/10	O	C	Curt Weldon (R)
PA	US Rep.	013	Marjorie Margolies-Mezvinsky (D) Current U.S. Representative EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	05/10	I	I	Jon Fox (R)
RI	US Sen.		Linda Kushner (D) Current State Representative NOW, NWPC	Filed	09/13	O	C	John Chafee (R)
RI	US Rep.	001	Valerie Southern (R) Current Deputy to RI Secretary of Transportation NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
RI	Gov.		Myrth York (D) Current State Senator NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/13	C	O?	()
RI	Gov.		Louise Durfee (D)	Filed	09/13	C	O?	()
RI	Lt. Gov.		Gloria Nerney (R)	Filed	09/13	O	C	Robert Weygard (D)
RI	Sec. St.		Julie Califano (D)	Filed	09/13	O/U	C	Barbara Leonard (R)

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RI	Sec. St.		Barbara Leonard (R) Current Secretary of State	Filed	09/13	I/U	I	Julie Califano (D)
RI	Aty. Gen.		Sara Quinn (D)	Filed	09/13	O	C	Jeff Pine (R)
RI	St. Treas.		Nancy Meyer (R) Current State Treasurer	Filed	09/13	I/U	I	Richard James (D)
SC	Lt. Gov.		Liz J. Patterson (D) Fmr. U.S. Representative	Runoff	08/09	O	O	()
SC	Sup. Educ.		Sylvia Weinberg (D)	Won Pri.	08/09	O/U	C	Barbara Nielsen (R)
SC	Sup. Educ.		Barbara Nielsen (R) Current Superintendent of Education	Runoff	08/09	I	I	Sylvia Weinberg (D)
SD	Sec. St.		Joyce Hazeltine (R) Current Secretary of State	Filed	08/09	I/U	I/U	()
TN	P.S. Comm.		Sara Kyle (D)	Won Pri.	08/04	O	O	()
TX	US Sen.		Kay Bailey Hutchison (R) Current U.S. Senator; Fmr. State Treasurer	Won Pri.	03/08	I	I	Richard Fisher (D)
TX	US Rep.	002	Donna Peterson (R) Business Consultant; '90 & '92 U.S. House Nominee	Won Pri.	03/08	O	C	Charles Wilson (D)
TX	US Rep.	010	A. Jo Baylor (R)	Won Pri.	03/08	O	O	Lloyd Doggett (D)
TX	US Rep.	018	Sheila Jackson Lee (D) Current City Councilmember NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	03/08	C	O	Jerry Burley (R)
TX	US Rep.	026	LeEarl Ann Bryant (D) Engineering Consultant	Won Pri.	03/08	O	C	Richard K. Armev (R)
TX	US Rep.	030	Eddie Bernice Johnson (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC	Won Pri.	03/08	I	I	Lucy Cain (R)
TX	US Rep.	030	Lucy Cain (R) Account Representative AT&T; '92 U.S. House Nominee	Won Pri.	03/08	O	C	Eddie Bernice Johnson (D)
TX	Gov.		Ann W. Richards (D) Current Governor; Fmr. St. Treasurer; Fmr. County Commissioner EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	03/08	I	I	George W. Bush (R)
TX	St. Treas.		Martha Whitehead (D) Current State Treasurer (appointed)	Won Pri.	03/08	I	I	David Hartman (R)
TX	Comptrol.		Teresa Doggett (R) Businesswoman	Won Pri.	03/08	O	C	John Sharp (D)
TX	C. Lands		Marta Greytok (R)	Won Pri.	03/08	O	C	Garry Mauro (D)
TX	Rail Comm.		Mary Scott Nabers (D) Current Railroad Commissioner	Won Pri.	03/08	I	I	Carole Keeton Rylander (R)
TX	Rail Comm.		Carole Keeton Rylander (R)	Won Pri.	03/08	O	C	Mary Scott Nabers (D)

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Women Candidates in 1994 (continued)

St.	Candidate For	Dist.	Woman Candidate	Current Status	Pri. Date	Pri. Seat	GE Seat*	General Elect. Opponent (Or Cur. Incum. Other Party)
UT	US Rep.	001	Bobbie Coray (D) Cash County Economic Development Director NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/28	O	C	James V. Hensen (R)
UT	US Rep.	002	Karen Shepherd (D) Current U.S. Representative EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/28	I	I	Enid Greene Waldholtz (R)
UT	US Rep.	002	Enid Greene Waldholtz (R) Attorney; '92 U.S. House Nominee	Won Pri.	06/28	O	C	Karen F. Shepherd (D)
UT	US Rep.	003	Dixie Thompson (R)	Won Pri.	06/28	O	C	William H. Orton (D)
VA	US Rep.	001	Mary Sinclair (D)	Won Pri.	06/14	O	C	Herbert H. Bateman (R)
VA	US Rep.	011	Leslie Byrne (D) Current U.S. Representative EMILY, NOW, NWPC, WCF	Won Pri.	06/14	I	I	Tom Davis III (R)
VI	US Rep.	AL	Donna Green (D) Physician	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
VI	US Rep.	AL	Eileen Peterson (D) Current Judge	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
VT	US Sen.		Jan Backus (D) Current State Senator	Filed	09/13	O	C	James M. Jeffords (R)
VT	Lt. Gov.		Barbara Snelling (R) Current Lieutenant Governor WCF	Filed	09/13	I	I	()
VT	Sec. St.		Jane Mendicino (R) Current State Representative	Filed	09/13	O	C	Dan Hooper (D)
WA	US Rep.	001	Maria Cantwell (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/20	I	I	()
WA	US Rep.	002	Harriet Spanel (D) Current State Representative NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/20	O	O	()
WA	US Rep.	002	Gabrielle Gallegos (D) Attorney	Filed	09/20	O	O	()
WA	US Rep.	003	Jolene Unsoeld (D) Current U.S. Representative NOW, NWPC, WCF	Filed	09/20	I	I	()
WA	US Rep.	008	Jennifer Dunn (R) Current U.S. Representative	Filed	09/20	I	I	()
WI	US Sen.		Cathy Zeuske (R) Current State Treasurer; Fmr. State Representative	Filed	09/13	O	C	Herb Kohl (D)
WI	US Rep.	008	Nancy Mussbaum (R) Current DePere Mayor	Filed	09/13	C	O?	()
WI	Lt. Gov.		Dorothy Dean (D) Runs w/ governor post primary	Filed	09/13	O	C	Scott McCallum (R)

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WI	St. Treas.		Jeanne Tregoning (R)	Filed	09/13	O	O	()
WV	US Rep.	002	Sally Rossy Riley (R)	Won Pri.	05/10	O	C	Alan B. Mollohan (D)
WY	US Rep.	AL	Barbara Cubin (R) Current State Senator	Filed	08/16	O	O	()
WY	Gov.		Kathleen Karpan (D) Current Secretary of State	Filed	08/16	O	O	()
WY	Sec. St.		Diana Ohman (R) Current Superintendent of Public Instruction	Filed	08/16	O	O	Nick Deegan (D)
WY	Sec. St.		Demi Cross (R)	Filed	08/16	O	O	Nick Deegan (D)
WY	St. Treas.		Matilda Hansen (D) Current State Representative NWPC	Filed	08/16	O	C	Stan Smith (R)
WY	Sup. P.I.		Judy Minier (D)	Filed	08/16	O	O	()
WY	Sup. P.I.		Carol Jo Vlastos (R) Current State Representative	Filed	08/16	O	O	()
WY	Sup. P.I.		Judy Catchpole (R)	Filed	08/16	O	O	()
WY	Sup. P.I.		Celeste Colgan (R)	Filed	08/16	O	O	()
WY	Sup. P.I.		Mary Ann Burton (R)	Filed	08/16	O	O	()

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What a Difference a Day Makes

Nancy Becker

Nancy Becker is president of Nancy H. Becker Associates, a lobbying and public affairs firm in Trenton. She was recently appointed a commissioner of the New Jersey Turnpike Authority by Governor Whitman. She is a longtime Republican activist in New Jersey and co-chairs CAWP's New Jersey Advisory Committee.

On November 2, 1993, in an amazing upset victory Republican candidate Christie Todd Whitman beat incumbent Democrat Jim Florio by a mere 26,093 votes, winning 46.5% of the votes cast in the gubernatorial election.

Christine Todd Whitman was the perfect candidate to be New Jersey's first woman governor. The daughter of one of New Jersey's first political families, raised on partisan politics from her childhood, she is a 47 year old wife and mother of two teenage children. She is also a political veteran, having served as a freeholder in Somerset County and having been appointed by Governor Thomas Kean as president of the state's Board of Public Utilities. The feeling of euphoria among Republican women, and the grudging but palpable excitement among Democratic women, has continued even several months after inauguration day. Despite the potential scandal caused by Ed Rollins' irresponsible, "macho" comments about suppressing the minority urban vote, admiration for the Governor continues to grow as she demonstrates her straightforward manner and her toughness in the face of crisis.

From the day after election, it was clear that this administration was going to be different as far as the role women would play in the decision-making process. Governor-elect Whitman immediately appointed Hazel Gluck as co-chair of her transition team, along with John Sheridan. The two former Kean administration cabinet members had served as co-chairs of the Whitman campaign.

Gluck, a strong women's advocate who had started her own lobbying firm four years ago during the Kean-Florio transition, staked her career on Christie's gubernatorial race.

Five years ago Gluck had been encouraged to run for governor herself. "I'm a Hazel nut" buttons were seen on lapels around the State House. However, after preliminary research and careful consideration, she decided against making the run.

Gluck worked for Christie Whitman during her 1990 Senate campaign, when the future governor was a relative unknown outside of political circles. Whitman's name recognition soared when she nearly became a giant killer by almost defeating the state's popular incumbent, Senator Bill Bradley. Following this "success," Gluck became a prime motivator in encouraging Christie to run in the 1993 Republican gubernatorial primary.

With Governor Whitman's inauguration, Gluck became the most powerful person in Trenton outside of state government. This "most trusted confidante" role, previously held exclusively by men, means that Hazel Gluck is sought out for advice by job seekers, office seekers and all variety of public and private interests who want her knowledge of the players and the process. Although without formal designation, her newly achieved status has broken new ground for women. Frequently skipped over in the past, prominent women are now looked to for their counsel, expertise, and connection to the Governor's office.

Even before inauguration day, women's excitement began to grow as the Governor announced key appointments to her cabinet and staff. Her appointment of Judy Shaw as a New Jersey Governor's first woman Chief of Staff, and Deborah Poritz as the first female Attorney General set the tone for the appointments which were to follow. These nominations included women appointees to powerful boards and commissions where they had previously been unrepresented or under-represented, such as the New Jersey Sports Exposition Authority and the New Jersey Turnpike Authority. Kathleen Donovan was appointed the first woman chair of the powerful Port Authority of New York and New Jersey.

This first round of appointees was soon followed by the appointment of several other women to the cabinet. Lonna Hooks, an African-American corporate attorney who had been a co-chair of the Governor's campaign, became New Jersey's first black Secretary of State, with increased responsibility as the state's business ombudsperson. Assemblywoman Harriet Derman, a much-respected freshman legislator and attorney, became Commissioner of

Community Affairs. Linda Anselmini, a long-time state managerial employee who had been forced out of her job by the previous administration, assumed the cabinet position of Commissioner of Personnel. Elizabeth Randall, a former legislator serving as county counsel in Bergen County, was appointed as Banking Commissioner. All of these outstanding women have selected other women to fill top management and staff positions in their respective departments, proving that women in power do, in turn, provide opportunities to other women. Many of these jobs had been traditionally filled by men.

Within the Governor's office itself, women were appointed to key positions. Jane Kenny became Chief of the Office of Policy and Planning and Madeline Ferraro became Appointments Counsel. Other critical positions in personnel and administration were secured by women. In the first few months of the Whitman administration, women achieved record numbers and high status positions.

What makes this administration unique is the tone that is set from the top down. In the Whitman administration, committed to decentralization of power, women cabinet members are playing key roles in shaping policy. Within the stringent budget constraints caused by New Jersey's lackluster economy of the past few years and the Governor's campaign commitment to cut taxes, cabinet members are openly looking for creative solutions to long ignored problems. The new administration's openness and approachability is characterized by the Governor herself. Christie Whitman remains a real person, unencumbered by egotistical behavior. Her staff reflects that same persona, unafraid to seek advice and counsel and clearly aware that they cannot possibly know every answer to every question. There is no "palace guard" and there is a healthy respect for diverse opinions.

Although rumors of disgruntled male legislators abound, most political skirmishes to date are behind the scenes. With Republicans in control of both houses of the legislature, and a Republican in the Governor's seat, the Senate President and Assembly Speaker have seen their leadership roles as spokespersons for the party diminish. Only time will tell when, or if, open hostilities will break out. As long as the Governor's popularity remains high, and interest group pressure is not intense, it is unlikely that the legislature will seriously challenge the Governor's policies. However, as election time rolls near and the Governor's budget cutting proposals begin to pinch, it is likely that those legislators in the most vulnerable districts

will begin to carve out their own agendas which may not be consistent with the Governor's.

Clearly, this new administration will face many challenges during the next four years. Every action Governor Whitman takes will be scrutinized to an even greater degree than would be the case for a male counterpart. Many of us hope she will succeed in accomplishing the goals she has set for this administration. But win or lose, she remains a beacon for women in New Jersey who have never had a role model of the Governor's stature. In breaking this glass ceiling, Christie Whitman enables young women to believe that one day they also can achieve their dreams.

Political women now believe that their ideas will be taken seriously. They are no longer dismissed as "only women." To be the right gender for a change creates a heady sense of self-satisfaction. However, to be complacent and believe that this is what the future will always look like is naive. Clearly, women have to work to retain their newly found power or else it could disappear in a flash.

Women's Caucuses in State Legislatures

Over the years, we have routinely reported on the activities of women's legislative caucuses in *CAWP News & Notes*. For this issue, because we heard about growing numbers of informal as well as formal caucuses, we attempted to contact women legislators in each of the fifty states to determine whether or not such organizations existed. As of press time, we have received responses to our survey from women in 22 states where there are formal or informal caucuses. There are four additional states (AR, OR, RI, VA) where women lawmakers convened when we did our last update in 1991-1992, as well as the Hawaii House of Representatives, whom we have not been able to reach as of press time. We have listed the contact person from our 1992 listing or, if we recently found out about a new contact person, we have noted her. We have also heard that women lawmakers may gather in four states (IN, SC, TN, UT) but do not have completed surveys on hand.

The groups listed below range from formal caucuses with paid staff where each session the members work together on specific legislation to informal organizations where women lawmakers meet a few times a year to network and

socialize. We would welcome corrections, additions, or updates at any time — please contact Debbie Walsh at (908) 828-2210, ext. 227.

National State Legislative Organizations

National Organization of Black Elected Legislative Women (NOBEL/Women)

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Senator Diane Watson, President

NOBEL/Women meets in the spring as well as in conjunction with the annual meetings of the National Conference of State Legislatures and the National Black Caucus of State Legislators. NOBEL/Women has been focusing on three issue areas: women's health; treatment/representation of women in rap music; at-risk youth.

National Order of Women Legislators (NOWL)

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Representative Bonnie Sue Cooper, President
Representative Leslie Whiting Johnson, President-Elect
Representative Joyce Brinkman, Vice President

Women's Network of the National Conference of State Legislatures

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Assemblywoman Barbara Lee, President
Senator Myrna Bair, Vice President
Representative Jane Maroney, Past President

Statewide Legislative Organizations

Women Legislators of Arkansas

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California Women Legislators' Caucus

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Tina Juhlin (after 1/10/95)
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Senator Diane E. Watson, Chair
Assemblywoman Betty Karnette, Vice Chair

The California Women Legislators' Caucus has monthly meetings during the legislative session and counts all 29 women members of the Assembly and Senate as members. Staff for the caucus comes from the chair's office and from other members' offices when necessary. In addition to their regular meetings, the group holds informational hearings and other events on issues, as well as joint activities with women's organizations, women lobbyists and women in the press corps. Issues the Caucus focused on in 1993-94 include:

- violence as a health crisis
- stalking, rape and abuse of women
- women's access to health care and health care coverage
- physical access to health care facilities
- gender equity in education
- teen pregnancy
- breast cancer research, detection and treatment.

Connecticut Order of Women Legislators

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Representative Mary Fritz, President
Representative Jacqueline Cocco, Vice President

The Connecticut OWLS were founded in 1939; they meet informally on an ad hoc basis five times during each session. All women legislators from both houses in the state belong to the group, as do some non-sitting members. There are also male members. Members pay dues of \$10 per year. The group is focusing this year on child abuse and a children's trust fund; they are also working to bring more women to the General Assembly.

Florida Legislative Women's Caucus

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Representative Elaine Gordon, Co-chair
Representative Sandra Mortham, Co-chair

The women in the Florida legislature meet weekly during committee meetings and the legislative session. They also hold an annual legislative retreat to set their agenda and meet ad hoc as necessary. All women legislators in the state belong to the group. They are staffed by a House of Representatives analyst for whom the caucus is one of several assignments. Most recently the caucus has focused on domestic violence, health care reform, and gender balance on state boards. They plan to expand their efforts in the future; during the past session, they adopted a set of by-laws which will give them more officers in the future.

Women's Caucus (Georgia)

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Representative Kathy Ashe, Co-chair
Representative Louise McBee, Co-chair
Representative Carolyn Hugley, Co-chair

The Women's Caucus in Georgia includes 21 of the 41 women legislators in the state. Founded in 1991, the group

meets weekly during legislative sessions. Women from both houses participate. Members pay dues of \$50 per year; the group is staffed by a student intern. They concentrate on family, children and women's issues; this session, they have been spending most of their time on child support and women's issues.

Hawaii State Senate Women's Caucus

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Founded in 1986, the Hawaii Senate Women's Caucus includes all seven women members of the Senate. They hold ad hoc meetings during the legislative session. The group has no dues, funding or staff. They focus on issues; this session, their emphasis has been on domestic violence, child care and education.

Hawaii State Representatives Women's Caucus

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Conference on Women Legislators (Illinois)

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Representative Mary Flowers, Democratic Co-chair
Representative Sue Deuchler, Republican Co-chair

The Conference of Women Legislators in Illinois meets informally on an ad hoc basis; during sessions, they try to meet once a week. All women in both houses of the legislature belong to the group. They do not pay dues, but they have one paid staff member. During this session, their main issues have been funding for breast and cervical cancer research, WIC food centers, domestic violence, sexual assault, welfare to work, and displaced homemakers, with effort divided evenly among the issues.

Iowa Women's Legislative Caucus

Contact: Representative Minnette Doderer (until 1/9/95)

Iowa Women's Legislative Caucus

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Representative Minnette Doderer, Co-chair

Senator Mary Kramer, Co-chair

The women legislators in Iowa meet informally, but they have chosen co-chairs of their group, which meets infrequently on an ad hoc basis. There is no formal membership; about 17 of the 22 women members participate. Members of both houses are welcome to join, and meetings are fairly well-attended, with about 3/4 of the women lawmakers present. The group has not generally been issue-oriented, but Rep. Doderer reports that "We all know each other well enough to seek out support from like-minded legislators." Meetings are an opportunity to get to know one another, to educate one another, and to teach female pages about women's opportunities. The women met for two days last summer to discuss issues before the session began and will have a retreat after the November elections.

Louisiana Women's Legislative Caucus

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Representative Renee Pratt, Chair

Representative Syndie M. Durand, Vice Chair

The caucus consists of 12 of the 13 women in Louisiana's legislature. It meets bi-monthly during the session and gathers when necessary outside of session. As a caucus, they are provided with an office which is staffed year-round; additional funding comes from donations. The group deals with a limited number of issues; this year's session was a fiscal one, and the caucus worked on appropriations for "at-risk" children which provided additional funding for child care. The caucus also sponsored a three-day, seven-city "Whistle Stop Tour" of the state focusing on networking with other women to listen and dialogue with them about issues and concerns affecting them. The group is also planning its annual Governor's Conference on Women, co-sponsored by the Governor, for this fall.

Women Legislators of Maryland

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Delegate Ruth Kirk, President

Senator Patricia R. Sher, President-Elect

Delegate Joan Cadden, First Vice President

Delegate J. Anita Stup, Second Vice President

Women Legislators of Maryland was established in 1972. The organization, which includes all 46 women in the Maryland legislature, meets once a week during the 90-day session and on an ad hoc basis as required. Dues are \$150 per year, and additional funds are raised through an annual event. The group is staffed by a paid part-time executive director and student interns. During the 1994 legislative session, the organization focused on domestic violence; women's and children's health issues; tobacco legislation involving minors; family law; gender bias; and reproductive rights. The greatest emphasis was on the first two issues listed. (See article elsewhere in *CAWP News & Notes* describing their success!) In November, the group will hold its legislative retreat in Annapolis, meeting with advocacy groups and interacting with newly-elected legislators.

Massachusetts Caucus of Women Legislators

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Massachusetts Caucus of Women Legislators

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The women in the Massachusetts legislature have had a formal caucus since 1975. Meetings for discussion and strategy-building are scheduled as the need arises; informational meetings are held weekly, and there is an annual planning meeting. Of the 46 women in both houses, 40 are members of the group. Co-chairs — one from each house — rotate alphabetically and serve one-year terms. The caucus is staffed by an executive director, paid by the Speaker of the House, and an administrative assistant, paid by the Senate President. There are also student interns. This year's top priority issue is domestic violence, but other

task forces are working on women in poverty, women in the criminal justice system, women's health, and teen pregnancy.

Michigan

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Women from both houses of the Michigan legislature meet informally on an ad hoc basis; the meetings are social in nature. Over the years there have been attempts to organize a more formal caucus, but no lasting organization has been formed.

Women of the Mississippi Legislature

Contact: Representative Miriam Q. Simmons
Chair, Women of the Mississippi Legislature
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Columbia, MS 39429
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Representative Miriam Q. Simmons, Chair

Mississippi women legislators started meeting informally in 1988 and continue to meet occasionally on an ad hoc basis. They chose not to operate as a caucus, since some legislators feel that caucuses divide the membership. In this session they were successful with legislation on osteoporosis and on family living programs for high schools. They also deal with women's issues more generally.

Women Legislators of Missouri

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Representative May Scheve, President
Representative Paula Carter, Vice President

The Missouri women legislators have met in a formal caucus since 1990. Their caucus meets bimonthly during

the session and quarterly during the interim period. Membership is open to women and men in both houses; 36 of the 40 women currently serving are members. Dues are \$50 per year, and the organization is staffed by a student intern. Their current focus is on gender equity in education.

Nebraska

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The women in Nebraska's unicameral legislature meet informally and sporadically; meetings are generally well-attended, although not every woman comes every time. There are no elected leaders, dues, or staff support except when individual senators provide their own staff as needed. The women meet to strategize every two years when the Senate elects new leaders and committee chairs. They also serve as an information network about children and family issues and discuss one another's priority bills. Most of the women also served on an interim study committee dealing with unplanned pregnancies, and the committee developed a comprehensive health education bill.

Legislative Women's Caucus, Inc. of New York State

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Assemblywoman Elizabeth Connelly, Chair
Assemblywoman Aurelia Greene, First Vice Chair
Assemblywoman Pat McGee, Second Vice Chair

The women legislators in New York come together in a formal legislative caucus, which was established in 1983. During the legislative session they meet every 2-3 weeks; all 39 women in the legislature are members. Dues are \$50 per year; additional funding comes from the legislature. There are two paid staff members. This session's priorities are the budget, family courts, human rights and sexual harassment, women's health, and woman-owned businesses. Of these, the most time has been spent on the first two.

North Carolina Legislative Women's Caucus

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Representative Bertha M. Holt, Chair
Senator Mary Seymour, Vice Chair

North Carolina's women legislators are organized as a formal caucus but also meet informally. Founded in 1981, the caucus meets weekly during session; it also holds ad hoc meetings. All 31 of the women lawmakers in both houses are members, and virtually all come to meetings. Dues are \$10 per year. The caucus focuses on issues but also provides networking and social support. Priorities in this session are elimination of the marital defense for rape (the bill was passed), funding for shelters for victims of domestic violence, and funding for displaced homemakers. Because the caucus is so diverse (Representatives and Senators, Democrats and Republicans) they have found it best to focus on a few key issues and simply discuss others. The number of women legislators is at an all-time high, so the group is just beginning to assess its potential impact. They are planning a special session for first-term women members.

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Pennsylvania

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The women in the Pennsylvania legislature meet occasionally and informally, both in partisan and bipartisan groups. Several meetings a year are held on an ad hoc basis. Rather than officers, they have conveners. Their

purpose for meeting is primarily mutual support and networking, but they do occasionally talk about issues. This year, three special elections resulted in three new women legislators, so the group met to welcome the newcomers and offer advice and support.

Rhode Island

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Texas House of Representatives

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Women in the Texas House meet informally over lunch or for other casual get-togethers approximately weekly. All women in the House take part, and they are sometimes joined by women from the Senate. The group has no dues or staff, although staff of individual members may assist from time to time. When they meet, the women talk about bills and upcoming issues and provide personal support. Although many other influence groups within the legislature have formal caucuses, the women have not taken that step.

Women's Legislative Caucus (Vermont)

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The women of Vermont's General Assembly have been meeting informally since the early 1980s. Their meetings are ad hoc and infrequent. This session their top issues are health reform, property tax reform, and sexual harassment policies; they have spent the most time on sexual harassment policy for the House of Representatives. For next year, they plan to expand, with bipartisan co-chairs.

Virginia

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The women in Washington's legislature meet informally in separate party gatherings, but do not have a formally-organized bipartisan caucus. Their purpose in meeting is primarily social, according to Representative Ogden, a Democrat who reports that the Republican women follow a similar pattern.

West Virginia

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West Virginia's women legislators meet informally on an ad hoc basis. About 20 of the 23 women in the legislature participate. The group started meeting in 1988, and while there have been elected chairs in the past there are no formal officers at this time. The group focuses on issues. They hope to expand their activities in the future.

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The women in the Wisconsin legislature meet informally about every two months. They have no dues, elected leaders, or staff. Their purpose for meeting is informal, bipartisan networking.

In addition to the organizations listed above, the following responses to our survey describe organizations that serve women legislators but include others as well.

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In Delaware, women legislators along with statewide elected women officials, cabinet secretaries, and top women business executives attend informal meetings convened by the Lieutenant Governor. The first meetings were in 1993, and the group now meets 2-3 times per year. Nine of the state's ten women legislators take part. The purpose is primarily networking and socializing, although participants have joined in discussions of policy issues and Take Our Daughters to Work Day. They are considering a retreat later this year to discuss what the group's future focus should be.

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Kentucky still has a relatively small number of women in its legislature, but the Commission on Women notes that there are many women candidates this year and the Commission plans to encourage formation of a caucus when there are more women lawmakers. Meanwhile, the Commission "fills the critical void created by the lack of representation women have in the public policymaking process" with programs addressing policy issues affecting women and families.

Maryland Women Unite Behind Domestic Violence Act of 1994

Editor's note: The following article, slightly revised, is reprinted by permission of the Women Legislators of Maryland from their newsletter. They proudly report that the final version of the bill was enacted into law after this article was published. We are pleased to present their story as an example of the success of women working together on a critical issue.

On March 14, 1994 the Maryland House Judiciary Committee dealt with HB 630 Domestic Violence Act of 1994. Representatives from numerous women's organizations throughout the state presented written and oral testimony in support of the bill. While the companion bill, SB 279, received a favorable with amendments report that modified only a small portion of the bill, the favorable with amendments report offered by the House Judiciary Committee gutted the House bill of its contents, significantly weakening the original intent and impact of the bill.

In response to the recommendation of the judiciary Committee and in an attempt to strengthen and salvage HB 630, the Women Legislators of Maryland united on the House floor and introduced a number of amendments to restore some of the provisions that were deleted by the House Judiciary Committee. After extensive floor debate on Friday, March 25th, the four amendments introduced by Delegates Doory, Kopp, Roesser, and Hutchinson were passed. On Monday, March 28th, HB 630, as amended, passed third reader by a vote of 120 to 4.

The amended version of HB 630 includes the following provisions:

- Extension from 2 to 12 hours, the time period within which women must report violence to police to qualify for warrantless arrest.
- Definition of "Victim of Domestic Violence" under the Family Law Article to include a current or former spouse, or a current or former cohabitant.

- Requirement that police give victims of violence written information on their legal rights and where they can seek help.
- Ability of a court to compel victims of violence to testify against a spouse if the person on trial was charged with assault and battery of the spouse within 1 year of the current charge.
- Expansion of circumstances under which a spouse can be prosecuted for rape to include spouses who have lived apart without cohabitation and interruption pursuant to a written separation agreement by both spouses or for a least 3 months immediately before the commission of the rape or sexual offense.
- Inclusion and definition of mental injury as a type of neglect in the child abuse statute. This provision places Maryland in compliance with federal law and makes Maryland eligible for \$500,000 in federal funding.

While not all of the provisions deleted by the Judiciary Committee were restored to the bill, the Women Legislators, with the support of organizations like the Maryland Commission for Women and the Maryland Network Against Domestic Violence, were able to target four primary areas of concern and introduce amendments which addressed these issues.

Editor's Note: The Baltimore Sun Paper editorialized about the House victory as follows. (Reprinted courtesy of the Baltimore Sun Company.)

Something revolutionary is happening in the State House. Over a two-day span last week, women legislators seized the initiative and won unexpected and convincing victories against the odds. It was a telling display of political muscle-flexing that could foreshadow an even more impressive demonstration of woman-power following the fall elections in redrawn legislative districts.

"It's a new day," said an elated Del. Jennie Forehand of Montgomery County after the 36 women delegates united to deliver a stunning — and overdue — rebuke to the House Judiciary Committee, which had eviscerated a domestic violence bill. A day earlier, women senators had

spearheaded an effort to abolish the state's 15-year ban on abortions for poor women. They won that fight, too, by a substantial margin.

The battle on the two bills is far from over. While the domestic violence measure appears in good shape — the bill makes it easier to prosecute abusive treatment of a spouse or child — the Medicaid abortion amendment faces considerable difficulties because it is attached to the governor's proposal to cap welfare payments if a recipient has an additional child.

Still, these dramatic votes marked a turning point for women's rights in Annapolis. No longer can male-dominated committees ignore legitimate grievances that happen to involve the rights of women. In the future, for instance, the lawyer-dominated Judiciary Committee — in which 18 of the 22 members are men — had better consider the broader societal implications of a bill before stripping it bare, especially when that bill happens to be the No. 1 priority of women's groups.

The panel's action enraged and galvanized women legislators. They accused male delegates on the committee of rendering the bill meaningless so they could claim credit on the campaign trail for favoring a domestic violence bill — even while killing off real reform efforts.

In a rare move, the women challenged and then defeated the committee on the House floor. A few enlightened members of the committee deserted the Chairman on the vote — a telling statement. Every female delegate, be she Democrat or Republican, black or white, conservative or liberal, rural, suburban or urban, supported this rebellion. So did sympathetic male delegates. It was an unprecedented moment.

The ease with which senators swept away the restrictions on state-paid abortions again illustrates the growing importance of women in shaping the legislative agenda. That role could expand dramatically after this year's elections — the first since redistricting. Many more women could win seats in the General Assembly. Veteran women legislators may be in line for major committee chairmanships in 1995.

A "new day" is indeed dawning.

Other Success Stories?

If your women's legislative caucus has a success story to tell, we want to print it in the next issue of *CAWP News & Notes*. Please call Debbie Walsh at (908) 828-2210, ext. 227.

New Books on Women and Politics

The last several months have seen publication of a number of new books about women and politics, including works by both scholars and political women. If you're looking for stimulating and challenging reading, you might consider:

Strangers in the Senate: Politics and the New Revolution of Women in America, by Senator Barbara Boxer (National Press Books, 1993).

The Year of the Woman: Myths and Realities, by Elizabeth Adell Cook, Sue Thomas and Clyde Wilcox (Westview Press, 1994).

The Deep Divide: Why American Women Resist Equality, by Sherrye Henry. (Macmillan, 1994).

Living a Political Life, by Madeleine Kunin (Knopf, 1994).

Running as a Woman: Gender and Power in American Politics, by Linda Witt, Karen M. Paget, and Glenna Matthews (Free Press, 1994).

A Woman's Place: The Freshmen Women Who Changed the Face of Congress, by Congresswoman Marjorie Margolies-Mezvinsky (Crown, 1994).

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New CAWP Phone Extensions

See the inside front cover for a list
of CAWP staff members' new
phone extensions.

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CAWP Convenes Academics, Practitioners to Set Agenda

"Research on Women and American Politics: Agenda-Setting for the 21st Century" was the theme as academics, researchers outside of academia, and political practitioners gathered at CAWP in late April. Three plenary sessions addressed critical issues: bridging the gap between activism and research; practitioners' views of research needs; and funding for research on women and politics. In addition, nine papers were written for the conference, each examining the major research needs in a particular subject area. Topics included recruitment of women candidates; the political participation of women of color; images, stereotypes and media coverage of women in politics; gender-related influences on voting behavior and public opinion; broadening the study of women's participation; campaign strategy; political parties and women's organizations; impact of women political leaders; and money and other campaign resources. At working group sessions, participants discussed the ideas presented in the paper as well as additional research ideas. Each paper writer will now revise her paper to incorporate ideas from the discussion that took place, and the resulting final papers

will be published in a scholarly edited volume. In addition, CAWP expects to issue findings from the conference in a publication aimed at a general audience.

If you'd like to learn more about the agenda-setting conference, contact Sue Carroll or Debbie Walsh at (908) 828-2210, exts. 235 and 227 respectively.

Future Women Leaders Convene at CAWP for Education and Inspiration

The fourth NEW Leadership (National Education for Women's Leadership) summer institute took place at CAWP June 6 - 17, 1994. Once again, twelve colleges and universities took part in the ten-day program which educates young women about politics and public policymaking, with each institution sending at least two students and one advisor. The program melded history and leadership theory, skill-building and idea sharing, inspiration and information.

This year, three political women joined the program as "faculty in residence" to play formal roles on the program and informal roles in interaction with the students and advisors. Texas State Representative Debra Danburg, California Senate Committee on Health and Human Services consultant Holly Mitchell, and former Congresswoman and RENEW America chair Claudine Schneider provided insider's insights into the work and lives of political women.

Some of the highlights of this year's institute were:

- an intergenerational conversation about women, politics and leadership with former Congresswoman Bella Abzug and her daughter, Liz, director for federal affairs and programs of the New York State Urban Development Corporation;
- a visit to Trenton that featured conversations with Governor Christie Whitman's chief of staff, Judy Shaw, and chief of policy, Jane Kenny;

- a trip to New York City for a City Hall chat with Deputy Mayor Ninfa Segarra;
- a two-day expedition to Washington, DC including a visit with Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg, sessions with Congresswomen Marge Roukema, Patsy Mink and Jolene Unsoeld, and a meeting with Secretary of Energy Hazel O'Leary;
- conversations with Congressional aides and policy organization staffers;
- an evening with former Congresswoman Geraldine Ferraro, now chair of the U.S. Delegation to the U.N. Human Rights Commission;
- extended discussions, both within and outside sessions, about the critical issues confronting today's and tomorrow's leaders, including diversity and inclusion, feminism, advocacy and activism, personal leadership styles and choices, balancing of public and private lives, and much more;
- time out for touring and playing in Princeton, New York and Washington, as well as a traditional New Jersey "mall crawl."

The teams from each institution also began planning the public leadership projects they will carry out during the coming year. They were encouraged and supported in their efforts by returning students from last year's NEW Leadership class, who reported on their own projects and offered suggestions for project design and implementation.

The returning students were treated to a new kind of NEW Leadership experience: a community service day. They spent a few hours working for a local AIDS service organization; afterward, they heard a panel discussion featuring AIDS activists who discussed how community service and public leadership are linked, using the AIDS issue as an example.

The entire experience was, as usual, exciting, eye-opening, energizing and exhausting. As one student put it:

Whereas I was once frequented by doubts in regard to my own ability to influence the system, I am now much more confident in my own ability to enact social and political change.

Colleges and universities participating in NEW Leadership in 1994 included: Mount St. Mary's College, Los Angeles, California; Florida A&M University, Tallahassee, Florida; University of Kansas; Lawrence, Kansas; Radcliffe College, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; College of St. Catherine, St. Paul, Minnesota; Stephens College, Columbia, Missouri; William Woods University, Fulton, Missouri; Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire; University of New Mexico; Albuquerque, New Mexico; College of Wooster, Wooster, Ohio; Sweet Briar College, Sweet Briar, Virginia.

As CAWP's four-year Kellogg grant draws to an end, we are actively seeking ways to fund continuation of the NEW Leadership program. If you have suggestions or would like to discuss the program, please contact Tobi Walker at (908) 828-2210, ext. 230.

International Visitors at CAWP

From time to time, CAWP hosts international visitors — either groups or individuals — who are interested in women and politics or the status of American women more generally. Just in the past few months, guests have included scholars and activists from Germany, India, Japan, Korea and Portugal. Most of our visitors want to exchange ideas and information with CAWP staff; many also use our library or other CAWP resources to enrich their study of women in this country. We also work with host organizations for United States Information Agency-sponsored tour groups of journalists, politicians or activists, planning half-day or day-long programs to explore U.S. women's political participation.

While we are not always able to accommodate the needs of visitors on short notice, we do make every effort to talk with those whose work and interests are close to ours. We also find it useful to be able to refer these visitors to other women's organizations and political women around the country when there are common interests.

For information about CAWP's work with international visitors, please contact Kathy Kleeman, Senior Program Associate, at (908) 828-2210, ext. 231.

CAWP Honors Student Public Leaders

Each year CAWP, in collaboration with Douglass College (the women's college at Rutgers University in New Brunswick) makes two awards to students who have already taken steps into public leadership. Students are nominated by faculty, staff, or other students. The *Barbara Boggs Sigmund Award* is presented in memory of the late Mayor of Princeton Borough, who was one of New Jersey's best-known political women and a former member of the CAWP staff. It goes to a graduating senior from Douglass College who is herself a promising public leader and who exemplifies the kind of leadership which allowed Barbara Sigmund to make a difference for the people of New Jersey and for women in particular. The *Nancy Becker Award for Public Leadership* was established by friends and admirers of Nancy Becker, a highly-respected public interest advocate who heads her own successful Trenton lobbying firm. This award is presented each year to a student affiliated with the Public Leadership Education Network (PLEN) at Douglass College who has demonstrated, through her activities on campus or in the community, an interest in politics and government as well as strong leadership potential.

This year's Barbara Boggs Sigmund Award went to Denise Van Burik, a graduating senior in political science at Douglass College and a resident of Washington, New Jersey. She has worked for New Jersey PIRG (Public Interest Research Group), organized voter registration campaigns, and participated in several political campaigns. She has also been active on campus as a House Chairwoman and participant in PLEN programs and the campus chapter of the Women's Political Caucus.

The 1994 winner of the Nancy Becker Award is Nicole Brown, a graduating Douglass College senior from Magnolia, NJ. Nicole was president of the Douglass College Government Association and was active in the college's PLEN programs. She interned at the New Jersey Division on Women, externed at the Child Care Action Campaign and at the Philadelphia Commission on Human Relations, and volunteered in two congressional campaigns. She double majored in dance and political science and plans a career "in the public policy field, particularly in a position that focuses on 'women's issues.'"

Winners receive certificates and monetary awards. Their names are also engraved on plaques prominently displayed at CAWP. Congratulations to Denise and Nicole; look for them among the ranks of tomorrow's women in public leadership!

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