ARLINGTON COUNTY COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN MONTHLY MEETING: **MINUTES**

Date: Thursday May 8, 2025

Time: 7:00 pm

Location: Ellen M. Bozman Government Center, Conference Room 101

2100 Clarendon Blvd., Arlington, VA

Virtual: Microsoft Teams

	In-Person	Virtual	Absent
<u>Commissioners</u>			
1. Caroline Romano, Chair	\boxtimes		
2. Marguerete Luter, Vice Chair	\boxtimes		
3. Jeanine Finch			\boxtimes
4. Arbora Johnson			\boxtimes
5. Julia Tanner			\boxtimes
6. Susan Strauss	\boxtimes		
7. Sasha Whitney			\boxtimes
8. Jade Garnett	\boxtimes		
9. Lorelle Langhorne	\boxtimes		
10. Harjinder Gill	\boxtimes		
11. Grace Freeman	\boxtimes		
12. Lisa Marcellus			\boxtimes
Staff Coordinator			
Courtney Palmer-Sales	\boxtimes		

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Welcome - Chair

Visitor Introductions: Ava Bell and Adriana Lopez

1. Take Back The Night Debrief

Commissioners noted that we could've done a better job with outreach ahead of the event and agreed to do more - especially at Shirlington Village - in the month leading up to TBTN. Commissioner noted that the full sheet flyer (with additional backside resources) was best for hand outs and outreach.

Note: Need to upgrade our microphone for next year.

For June meeting: Project Peace Pledge Cards for all commissioners to sign and send group photo to Ashley Blowe for consent wall.

- 2. County Fair Planning: virtual meeting on May 29 at 7pm.
- 3. Approve Meeting Minutes:

June 13, 2024 approved

July 11, 2024 approved

September 13, 2024 approved with edit

October 10, 2024 approved with edits

November 14, 2024 approved with edits

December 19, 2024 approved with edits

January 26, 2025 approved

February 13, 2025 not approved - to be reviewed at June meeting

April 10, 2025 approved

Meeting adjourned at 8:13 pm.