Annual Report: Measuring Achievement 2017-18

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✤ our thoughts

I am pleased to present to you the Annual Report of The Women's Center, Inc. of Columbia and Montour counties for fiscal year 2017/2018.

The accomplishments you will find herein are the culmination of the hard work, dedication and tireless determination of our staff, volunteers, and you, our friends in the community.

As always, we are heartened and encouraged by your

continued support of the mission of The Women's Center and the well-being of victims and survivors of domestic and sexual violence.

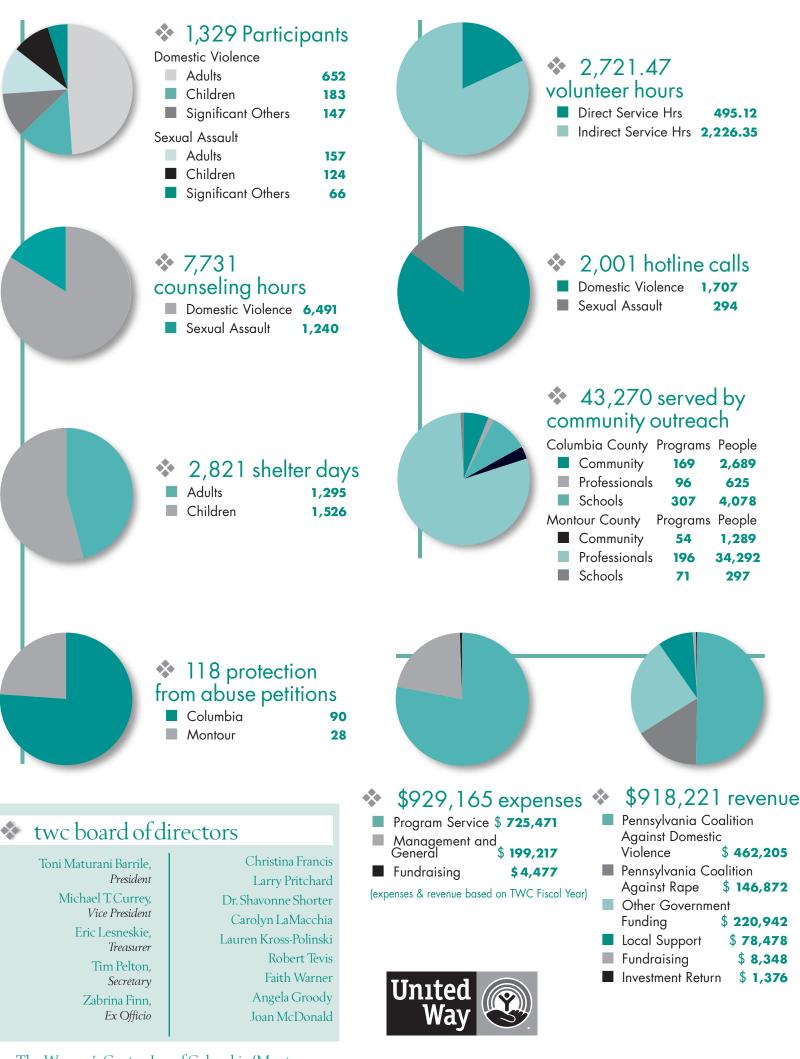
In peace,

Zabrina Finn Executive Director

twc accomplishments 2017-2018

- Clean audit with absolutely no findings for the 16th consecutive year.
- Volunteers donated 2,226 volunteer hours to the mission of The Women's Center, Inc. Valued at the volunteer minimum wage of \$9.50 per hour this represents nearly \$21,147 of salary donation!
- Participated in the Allstate Foundation's Purple Purse Campaign that raised over \$157.75
- Held a Trick or Treat Open House at our Administration building for families in the community.
- Participated in numerous Sexual Assault Awareness Month Campaign's including chalk the walk, paint the town teal, and a Mock Rape Trial.
- Hosted our interactive #Selfies4SaferTeens photo booth that was scheduled at three school districts and reached over 250 students throughout Columbia and Montour Counties for Teen Dating Awareness and Prevention Month.
- Held our 43rd anniversary luncheon recognizing 50 professionals and community members for their outstanding contributions in response to domestic and sexual violence in Columbia and Montour counties.

- Held our Annual Participant Party with staff and 24 volunteers serving 48 participants and their children. Every child was also presented with a gift and a picture with Santa and Mrs. Claus.
- Hosted summer Gateways program with 10 children enrolled. The children enjoyed field trips to the Washington Fire and Hose Company, Bloom Bounce, the Children's Museum, Rohrbach's Farm, Bloomsburg Public Library, Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble, Bloomsburg Town Park, and Knoebel's. The children learned about logic, words, picture, music, self, people, nature, and body smarts.
- Raised \$4,249 through our 2017 Annual Giving Campaign.
- Purchase of grocery gift cards available on website at <u>www.thewomenscenterinc.org</u>. Giant gift card fundraiser raising nearly \$553.75 in donations.
- Raised \$3,688 through e-bay store selling under the name "peaceineveryhome."
- Raised \$17,218 in total donations.
- Partnered with Columbia County Housing Authority to provide transitional housing to 1 woman and 2 children though our Bridge Housing program.



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