

LETTER TO COMMUNITY LEADERS and/or MEMBERSHIP RECRUITMENT TOOL (change heading as desired)

Local clubs: Use this space to promote your membership in GFWC, highlight your community service projects and extend an invitation to join your club. To be a part of something bigger . . . fill your club totals from 2016 reports

2016 Statistics: As you will see below, our local club members work hard to better our community, but when you combine our work with the other clubs and members from across the state of Illinois we make a much bigger impact. Look at the impact when it's combined with all GFWC clubs across the U.S.A. Making a Difference in the lives of many!

Join us in 'Living the Volunteer Spirit'! Add club website or email address www.gfwcillinois.org www.gfwc.org

PROGRAM AREA	----- WOMAN'S CLUB ----- Members	GFWC ILLINOIS 2016 182 Clubs / 4700 Members	GFWC 2016 9000 Clubs / 80,000 Members
	PROJECTS VOLUNTEER HOURS MONIES DONATED	PROJECTS VOLUNTEER HOURS MONIES DONATED	PROJECTS VOLUNTEER HOURS MONIES DONATED
ARTS	4 projects, 132 hours, \$365 donated	682 Projects 18,786 Hrs. \$84,492 Donated	11,382 Projects 646,453 Hrs. \$2,097,966 Donated
CONSERVATION	10 projects, 157 hours \$224 donated	481 Projects 13,118 Hrs. \$26,915 Donated	7,399 Projects 646,453 Hrs. \$1,322,310 Donated
EDUCATION	13 projects, 2315 hours, \$1,095 donated	630 Projects 17,654 Hrs. \$172,786 Donated	11,25 Projects 620,960 Hrs. \$5,026,030 Donated
HOME LIFE	11 projects, 725 727 hours \$6692 donated	940 Projects 23,893 Hrs. \$262,474 Donated	14,610 Projects 1,269,342 Hrs. \$6,822,439 Donated
INTERNATIONAL OUTREACH	4 projects, 51 hours \$600 donated	227 Projects 4,661 Hours \$61,021 Donated	2,956 Projects 112,177 Hrs. \$824,170 Donated
PUBLIC ISSUES	4 projects, 14 hours \$512 donated	686 Projects 16,545 Hrs. \$100,582 Donated	8,209 Projects 436,798 Hrs. \$4,246,072 Donated
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PREVENTION & PREVENT CHILD ABUSE	3 projects, 49 hours \$546 donated	374 Projects 12,914 Hrs. \$122,311 Donated	4,827 Projects 108,091 Hrs. \$1,651,572 Donated
ADVOCATES FOR CHILDREN	1 project, 2 members 4 hours 0 donated	264 Projects 5,896 Hours \$66,419 Donated	3,243 Projects 125,576 Hrs. \$1,271,273 Donated
LEGISLATIONS & PUBLIC POLICY		151 Projects 743 Hours \$540 Spent	THESE ADVANCEMENT AREAS
COMMUNICATION & PUBLIC RELATIONS	12 projects, 320.5 hrs. \$521 spent	646 Projects 13,762 Hrs. \$48,187 Spent	ARE COMBINED AT GFWC
LEADERSHIP	6 projects, 576 hrs. \$237 spent	1268 Projects 70,330 Hrs. \$106,323 Spent	102,275 Total Projects
MEMBERSHIP	8 projects, 460 hrs \$702 spent	532 Projects 14,937 Hrs. \$48,707 Spent	3,296,802 Volunteer Hours
GRAND TOTALS	48 projects, 4506 hrs \$5,354 donated \$4,136 in kind donations	10,081 Projects 260,395 Volunteer Hours \$599,866 Money Donated \$312,300 In-Kind Donations	171,365 Projects 7,210,853 Volunteer Hours \$34,988,389 Money Donated \$10,642,495 In-Kind Donations

GFWC ILLINOIS MISSION STATEMENT: GFWC Illinois is a philanthropic organization dedicated to community improvement by enhancing the lives of others through volunteer service. **ORGANIZED: OCTOBER 11-12, 1894**

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