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Thanks to the support of the City Council and the community, as well as the hard work of all its members, City of Glendale Commission on the Status of Women has had another very successful year. Our Commission is composed of seven volunteer members: five of whom are appointed by the City Council and two student ex officio members who are appointed by the current Commissioners. The Commission is currently searching for its 2011-12 Student Ex Officio members (Sept '11 – Aug '12).

The Commission on the Status of Women's vision of the future is that Glendale is a city where the fully realized potential of all women and girls enriches the entire community; where all women and girls have equal rights, opportunities, and choices exercised freely, comfortably and safely; where all women and girls have a strong voice and equal participation in the affairs of the community; and where diversity is celebrated.

The Student Ex Officio position affords students invaluable experience in local government and encourages community service by working on contemporary, relevant issues that affect all women in our community. The Commission meets on the second Monday of each month at 5:30 pm, and also organizes many events throughout the year.

Enclosed, you will find flyers and applications for the two Student Ex Officio positions. Student may also apply online at: <u>http://www.ci.glendale.ca.us/women</u>. Please encourage your students to apply for these exciting positions! You'll be helping to form America's future leaders!

For additional information, please contact me by phone at 818-548-4844 or by email at women@ci.glendale.ca.us.

Thank you for your time,

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