

Rhode Island Democratic Women's Caucus

Mission:

As a caucus, we seek to ensure gender equality in our laws, our Democratic Party and in our government representation. We believe a strong Democratic Party values and includes the diverse voices of our Party.

Vision:

A robust participatory government comprised of women, informed by women, and working for women of the State of Rhode Island.

Core Values:

Commitment to a platform to achieve gender equality created from contributions of members of the Caucus

- Advocacy for human rights and equality for all regardless of race, religion, gender, etc.
- Fostering relationships and cooperation with other organizations with intersecting objectives
- Promoting the most informed and competent candidates and electorate

Objectives:

- Run
 - Identifying, recruiting, training, funding, and endorsing candidates
- Advocate
 - Training (how to lobby, etc.)
 - Coalition building
 - Platform development
- Influence
 - Fundraising
 - Lobbying as a caucus
 - Policy development
 - Participation in creating party platform
- Inform
 - Stakeholder identification
 - Voter outreach & registration
 - Training (how to talk to representatives, how government works, how to discern truth/accuracy in overwhelming age of information, etc.)
 - Community building
 - Voting (turnout, participation, information)
 - Rapid response team (notification of legislative movement regarding platform issues; action plan)

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