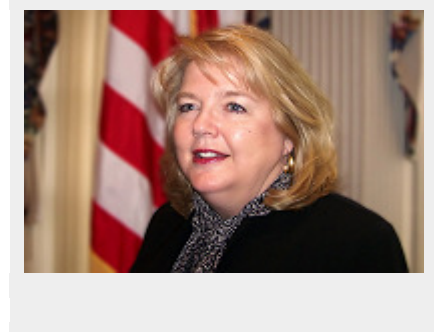


## State Senator Liane Sorenson to be inducted into Hall of Fame of Delaware Women

State Senator Liane Sorenson will be inducted into the Hall of Fame of Delaware Women on March 15th at the 26th Annual Hall of Fame of Delaware Women Reception and Award Ceremony.

**Senator Sorenson's career can be defined by her dedication to women, children, and families.** The leadership positions Liane has held - notably Director of Women's Affairs at the University of Delaware, State Senator and Minority Whip of the State Senate - provide convincing evidence of her capacity for leadership.



In the previous General Assembly, Senator Sorenson was the only woman in a leadership position in the state legislature. She has sponsored and co-sponsored numerous important pieces of legislation including the Breast Cancer Tax Check Off; Establishment of the Cancer Consortium and Office of Women's Health; Securing the Privacy of Genetic Testing; the Historical Preservation Tax Credit; Sentencing Reform; and Creation of the Office of the Child Advocate.

Since 1981, the Delaware Commission for Women has celebrated Women's History Month by recognizing and honoring the achievements and contributions of exceptional Delaware women. The Commission is the State's primary resource and central point of contact on issues affecting women: civil rights, economic empowerment, recognition and celebration, violence prevention, women's health, and work/life.

Including this year's inductees, a total of 97 women of diverse backgrounds, experiences and vocations have been named to the Delaware Commission for Women - Hall of Fame of Delaware Women. Nominated by individuals and organizations from throughout the State, **members are selected on reputation as a trailblazer, respect among colleagues, significance and lasting effect of contributions, leadership role, and service to community that impacts the lives of others locally or globally.**

Honorees must be native-born Delawareans or have resided in the state for at least ten years. The 26th Annual Hall of Fame of Delaware Women will be held at the Dover Sheraton Hotel, Dover, DE on Thursday, March 15th.