



## CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS FOR WSC2020 CELEBRATION

The “Women’s Suffrage Centennial 2020 Northern Illinois Celebration” or “WSC2020 Celebration” seeks to mark the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of women receiving the vote by encouraging women’s groups and civic organizations in northern Illinois to present a wide range of educational and artistic events, displays and exhibits from January 2020, each month through the end of December 2020.

A special highlight of the year will be **“Sippin’ with Suffragists 2020”** on August 18, 2020. This celebratory community party held in Rockford, IL will mark 100 years from the actual date of ratification.

The Steering Committee for the WSC2020 Celebration is asking for your submission of a specific educational and/or artistic event, display or exhibit to be added to a “WSC2020 Calendar” that will be distributed throughout northern Illinois. The Steering Committee will determine which groups and events will be included.

**The deadline for this “Call for Submissions” is Tuesday, October 1, 2019.**

The WSC2020 Calendar will run from January 2020 through the end of December 2020. Key months and dates during that time:

- January 18, 2020: Women’s March Rockford
- February 2020: Black History Month/African-American History Month
- March 2020: Women’s History Month
- July 2020: July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade
- August 18, 2020: **“Sippin’ with Suffragists 2020”** in Rockford, IL hosted by WNIIJ.
- Fall 2020: Get Out the Vote events

Suggested activities include movie showings; costumed suffragists in parades; voter registration events; panel discussions about the Suffrage movement; book discussions; podcasts; school, library and museum displays; local media programs; plays; and art contests.

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## WSC2020 CELEBRATION CALENDAR SUBMISSION

Please submit a separate form for each event.

Group/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Event: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date of Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Time of Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost of Event or Free to the Public: \_\_\_\_\_

**Send this form to arrive by Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup> to:**

WSC2020 Celebration Steering Committee  
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Rockford, IL 61114

Questions? Please contact us at [WSC2020IL@gmail.com](mailto:WSC2020IL@gmail.com)