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**St. Mary's County Commission for Women Seeks Nominations  
for Woman of the Year and Woman of Tomorrow Awards**

Nominations are now being accepted for the 2012 Woman of the Year and Woman of Tomorrow awards from the St. Mary's County Commission for Women. Nominees will be recognized and the winners announced at the Commission's annual **Women's History Month Banquet on Thursday, March 22, 2012**, at the Dr. James Forrest Career and Technology Center, Leonardtown at 6:00 p.m.

The Woman of the Year award is for exemplary community service and the Woman of Tomorrow award recognizes a high school-aged, young woman for exemplary community service. You may submit a nominee for either award or both. To request a nomination packet, visit the Commission's website at <http://www.co.saint-marys.md.us/voluntr/women.asp>; or send an email to [commissionforwomen@stmarysmd.com](mailto:commissionforwomen@stmarysmd.com); or call 301-475-4200, ext. 1689. **Nomination forms must be submitted by January 16, 2012.**

If you would like to attend the banquet, the cost is \$20 per person and includes dinner. Reservations must be made by March 1, 2012.

Proceeds from the banquet benefit the Jane Hale Sypher Scholarship at the College of Southern Maryland Leonardtown, which supports a non-traditional student who is a single parent or displaced homemaker.

In addition to recognizing women for outstanding community service, the Commission will present Evelyn Holland with a Lifetime Achievement Award at the banquet. Ms. Holland was a charter member of the St. Mary's County Commission for Women and has worked tirelessly on numerous boards for charitable organizations. Ms. Holland is scheduled to accept the award in person.

Questions may be sent to Commission for Women at [commissionforwomen@stmarysmd.com](mailto:commissionforwomen@stmarysmd.com), or by calling the Department of Aging & Human Services at 301-475-4200, ext. 1849.

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