



May 9, 2003

TO: Members of the MAG Domestic Violence Regional Council
FROM: Peggy Bilsten, City of Phoenix Councilmember, Chair
SUBJECT: MEETING NOTIFICATION AND TRANSMITTAL OF AGENDA

Note TIME! **THURSDAY, MAY 15, 2003 FROM 3:00-5:00 P.M.**
MAG OFFICES – SAGUARO ROOM – SECOND FLOOR
302 N. FIRST AVENUE, PHOENIX

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We are pleased to announce the next meeting of the MAG Domestic Violence Council. Should you have any questions, please contact Debra Determan or DeDe Gaisthea at MAG (602) 254-6300. We look forward to your attendance.

TENTATIVE AGENDA

	<u>COUNCIL ACTION REQUIRED</u>
1. <u>Call to Order</u>	• Welcome and Introductions.
2. <u>Approval of the December 5, 2002 Council Meeting Minutes</u>	• For approval of the December 5, 2002 Council meeting minutes.

3. Work Group Progress

• **Healthcares About Domestic Violence Update**

Dr. Dean Coonrod, will update the Council on his efforts to design a Center for Healthcare Against Family Violence, as well as the goal of creating and distributing domestic violence training materials to healthcare providers.

• **Employers Against Domestic Violence**

Gene D'Adamo, Co-Chair of EADV will give an update on the EADV Breakfast

• **Walk To End Domestic Violence**

Gene D'Adamo, Co-Chair of EADV will give an update on the success of the April 26th Walk to End Domestic Violence.

• **West Valley Coordinating Council on Domestic Violence**

Terri Woodmansee, Crisis Services Coordinator for Goodyear Police Department will give an update of the progress the Coordinating Council has been making in the West Valley.

• **Scottsdale Family Advocacy Center**

City of Scottsdale Councilmember Cynthia Lukas will give an overview of the start-up of the Center and the community's involvement with the project.

4. Plan for 2003/2004

A plan of action is being worked on between the Office of the Governor and MAG to look at strategies to work on the Regional Domestic Violence Plan.

5. Public Comment

Any member of the audience wishing to address the Council may do so at this time. No action may be taken because of Open Meeting Law restrictions. Items may be scheduled for future agendas.

- For information and discussion and action to approve the current developments under each initiative.

- For information and discussion.

- Open floor to members of the public.

6. Announcements

**The Next Council Meeting is on, June 12, 2003
from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.**

The chair will call upon members to make
announcements of interests at this time.

7. Adjourn

- For information.