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YWCA seeks nominations for 2017 Tribute to Women Leadership Awards

Nomination deadline is February 22

PITTSBURGH, PA (January 10, 2017): Do you know a woman who encourages social justice, builds confidence and independence, and advances women's lives? Nominate her for a **2017 Tribute to Women Leadership Award** before the Wednesday, February 22 deadline.

Since 1983 the YW has honored the achievements of more than 250 exceptional women. The tradition continues this year by highlighting women in seven categories: Business & Professional Services, Civic & Community, Creative Arts, Education, Health & Human Services, Science & Technology, and Young Leader.

The YW invites nominations from individuals, businesses, professional groups, or neighborhood and community organizations. Awardees will be selected by the 2017 Tribute to Women Leadership Awards Selection Committee. This diverse group of professionals represents leaders across the seven award categories.

Awards will be presented at the **35th Annual Tribute to Women Leadership Awards Luncheon** on Thursday, May 25 at 12:00 Noon. The Westin Hotel on 1000 Penn Avenue will host the event.

Proceeds from the luncheon help create positive changes in the lives of thousands of Pittsburgh area women and families served by the YW. Sponsorships are available for organizations which want to support the event further. For more information on Tribute to Women, call 412.255.1261 or visit www.ywcapgh.org.

YWCA Greater Pittsburgh is dedicated to eliminating racism, empowering women, and promoting peace justice, freedom, and dignity for all. We envision a community that advances education, opportunity, and equity regardless of gender, race, or background. For more information about YW programs and services, visit ywcapgh.org or call 412-391-5100.

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