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The Bucks County Woman's Advocacy Coalition's is proud to announce their Annual Call to Action which will occur on May 17, 2017 from 4-6 pm at the James-Lorah Memorial Home, 132 North Main Street, Doylestown, PA.

Attendees will enjoy an afternoon of delicious hors d'oeuvres, engage and network with others, and hear an inspiring call to come together to conquer injustice and inequality, with a keynote address delivered by Carol E. Tracy, executive director of The Women's Law Project (WLP). Ms. Tracy has been working to advance women's rights for the past 30 years. In 1990, she became the executive director of the WLP, where she has presided over major legal victories in the areas of reproductive rights, discrimination in employment, education, athletics, and welfare.

Her recent work has focused on improving the institutional response to violence against women, including leading a major reform effort on the police handling of sex crimes in Philadelphia, and co-chairing a citywide task force on domestic violence. Ms. Tracy is a lecturer at the University of Pennsylvania and the Bryn Mawr School of Social research. She has served on numerous boards of nonprofit agencies in Philadelphia, is active in the public interest legal community, is the recipient of many awards and honors, and is frequently featured in local and national media. She is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and earned her law degree from Temple University School of Law.

On behalf of the WLP, Ms. Tracy will also be accepting the Nancy P Morrill Award which is presented to individuals or organizations that embody the vision and mission of the Bucks County Women's Advocacy Coalition.

If you are interested in attending the Call to Action, visit our website www.bcwac.org to register. Attendance is free. You may also sign up for email action alerts and our blog to stay informed about events and legislation of interest, or to support our mission by becoming an individual or organization Partner or by making a donation.

The Bucks County Women's Advocacy Coalition is a non-partisan coalition of 39 organizations and more than 200 individual partners that serve women and girls. We educate and advocate on behalf of women to promote systemic change to achieve gender equity and economic security for all.

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