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July 2011

Dear Community Member/Business Leader,

Violence against women will not go away if we just shut our eyes to it. The **Will County Take Back the Night** steering committee is asking for your help in opening eyes to an insidious problem in all of our communities.

In the past, many of you have generously responded with donations, as well as attended our annual vigil and march. Again we come to you – our friends and members of the community – for help rallying attention to our cause and providing support to victims, victims' families and survivors of violence.

The 15th annual **Will County Take Back the Night** will take place on **Thursday, October 6, 2011** at 6:00 p.m. at Joliet West High School at 401 N. Larkin Avenue, Joliet. Our guest speaker this year is Carmina Salcido, the lone survivor from her family's 1989 murder at the hands of her father Ramon Salcido, who left her for dead in a garbage dump. Ms. Salcido has written about this nightmare and her attempt to restart her life in her new book, *Not Lost Forever*.

We will honor the women and children who have been murdered in Will County over the last ten years, and those who have survived, with a candlelight vigil. Information on how women can get help locally will also be provided.

Please support Will County Take Back the Night by committing to a sponsorship level listed on the other side of this page. By sponsoring this event, you will help make a difference in the lives of many by providing support to local agencies that work with victims of violence. **This year, in honor of our 15th anniversary, we have set a fundraising goal of \$15,000.** Any amount that you can give towards helping us achieve this goal will be greatly appreciated, and your financial support will be noted in our program book.

Last year, your donations helped us provide \$8,000 of assistance to non-profit agencies that work directly with women and children whose lives were affected by violence. Another way you can help is to post the enclosed flier in your workplace announcing the vigil and march event.

For more information about the event, go to the **Will County Take Back the Night** website at www.willtbtn.com or contact April Balzhiser at (815) 729-0930 ext. 231.

Thank you,

*Will County Take Back the Night
2011 Steering Committee*

Please help support the 2011 **Will County Take Back the Night** vigil and march by joining us at the event and/or by becoming a sponsor. Through your help and participation, you will be one of the many in Will County and worldwide who are taking action against the insidious problem of violence against women. **All proceeds are used to promote awareness and provide support to local non-profit agencies serving victims of violence.**

This event is planned by an independent committee and is supported solely by sponsorships and donations from Will County area businesses and individual donors.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

<p style="text-align: center;">Platinum Sponsor - \$500</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Your business or organization link on the <i>Will County Take Back the Night</i> website; • Your company name or organization listed in the event program; • Your company name or organization announced at the event; • A location for your business sign to display at the event (maximum 3' x 5'). 	<p style="text-align: center;">Gold Sponsor - \$250</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Your business or organization link on the <i>Will County Take Back the Night</i> website; • Your company name or organization listed in the event program; • Your company name or organization announced at the event.
<p style="text-align: center;">Silver Sponsor - \$100</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Your business or organization link on the <i>Will County Take Back the Night</i> website; • Your company name or organization listed in the event program. 	<p style="text-align: center;">Bronze Sponsor - \$50</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Your company name or organization listed in the event program.

Please complete the form below and return by September 16, 2011, with check payable to Will County Take Back the Night, to:

**Mary Jaworski
Will County Take Back the Night
P.O. Box 752, Joliet, IL 60434**

YES! *I want to be a sponsor...*

Platinum - \$500

Gold - \$250

Silver - \$100

Bronze - \$50



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