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Women Empowering Women of Michigan (WEWOM) started with the initial vision to celebrate women whether it was for a graduation, new job, or divorce. Then founder, LaTondra Marcy, first hand experienced domestic violence and entered a dark place in life. Through the support of her sisterhood, life was breathed back into her and she now had a new purpose in life. She made it her duty to provide the same support to other sisters in the same situation, if she did not her purpose would be in vain. In 2012, WEWOM was created with the vision to advocate for domestic violence, breast cancer, homelessness, sisterhood, and literacy. Since then as an organization we have made a commitment to giving back to our community and being a voice for those that may not have the strength to speak for their selves. The organization's primary service area is the Wayne, Oakland, and Macomb.

Operation meetings are held the first Saturday of every other month unless notified. There are also brief conference calls held in between. We volunteer at Vista Maria every other month and do activities with the ladies housed on the campus. Our annual events and activities include a book drive, adopt a family for Christmas, and our homeless initiative. Because we are a non-profit, fundraising is a major part of the organization in efforts to drive our initiatives. We are seeking members and volunteers whose goals align with the vision of the organization. We ask that you at least commit a year to the organization as an active member/volunteer. As members and volunteers our efforts to be active in the community relies on our availability and commitment. Through our participation, we also play a part in the healing of our community.

Thank you for your interest in joining the WEWOM team!

## **Organization Roles**

### **Members**

As a non-profit organization we fund the activities we host in the community. Dues are designated to offset the operations and productivity of the organization. There is a \$50 annual membership fee that must be paid in full by January of each year.

There are 4 fundraisers a year (1 each quarter), members are responsible for actively participating in at minimum 3 of the 4 fundraisers. Prior to the start of each fundraiser a monetary goal will be set for the team to meet. Should we not meet our goal the remaining balance will be divided among those members not meeting quota.

Members are expected to remain current financially with the organization. Members will be allotted a **ONE** month grace period to become current on past due balances. Once that grace period is passed members will lose the status of “member” and become a volunteer.

Members are expected to keep track of their own time. That means clocking in and out appropriately for time spent working for the organization. In the event one needs a time correction, he/she will have **ONE** month from the date to email a correction to the time changer’s email.

Mandatory meetings are held the first Saturday of every other month. As members’ participation is needed for WEWOM to be successful, this includes participation in fundraisers, posting in our WEWOM Real Talk group on Facebook and residing on a committee.

We ask that you at least commit a year to the organization as an active member.

### **Volunteers**

We welcome you with no obligation to any of the committees, but we do ask that you commit to a minimum of 50 hours for the year. You will be required to attend the monthly meetings.

We ask that you at least commit a year to the organization as an active volunteer.

Volunteers are expected to keep track of their own time. That means clocking in and out appropriately for time spent working for the organization. In the event one doesn’t have access to time station or needs a time correction, he/she will have **ONE** month from the date to email their time to the time changer’s email.

We cannot say enough about how excited we are about the work we do now and the work we plan to do in the future. This is your opportunity to give back to society by paying it forward and changing the lives of those you come in contact with!

**WEWOM Membership/ Volunteer Application**

**Contact Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Availability**

During which hours are you available for WEWOM assignments?

\_\_\_\_\_ Weekday Mornings

\_\_\_\_\_ Weekend Mornings

\_\_\_\_\_ Weekday Afternoons

\_\_\_\_\_ Weekend Afternoons

\_\_\_\_\_ Weekday Evenings

\_\_\_\_\_ Weekend Evenings

**Interests**

Which role are you interested in?

\_\_\_\_\_ Member

\_\_\_\_\_ Volunteer

Tell us in which areas you are interested:

\_\_\_\_\_ Administration

\_\_\_\_\_ Event Planning

\_\_\_\_\_ Fundraising

\_\_\_\_\_ Volunteer Coordination

\_\_\_\_\_ Marketing and Social Media

\_\_\_\_\_ Grants and Finances

**Special Skills or Qualifications**

Summarize special skills and qualifications you have acquired from employment, previous volunteer work, or through other activities, including hobbies or sports.

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**Previous Volunteer Experience**

Summarize your previous volunteer experience including year.

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**Emergency Contact**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel No.: \_\_\_\_\_

**Our Policy**

It is the policy of this organization to provide equal opportunities without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, gender, sexual preference, age, or disability.

**Agreement and Signature**

By signing below, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I understand that if I am accepted as a volunteer/member, any false statements, omissions, or other misrepresentations made by me on this application may result in my immediate dismissal. I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the requirements set forth in the Women Empowering Women of Michigan policies:

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for completing this application form and for your interest in working with us!