

INCREASING THE **VOLUME**

What it takes to be heard in a gender
imbalanced government

Saskatchewan Speaks with an Equal Voice

A Saskatchewan chapter of Equal Voice was recently formed with multi-partisan support. Join us for our kick off event "Increasing the Volume – what it takes to be heard in a gender imbalanced government."

This isn't just a conversation for prospective and current political candidates; it's for everyone who wants to learn more about the issue and how they can support Saskatchewan in increasing the volume.

A panel discussion will define what the political landscape looks like, explore why we need to get more women elected, why more women aren't running as candidates, and what Saskatchewan can do about it.

True to our multi-partisan commitment, memberships lists, support and resources will never be used by Equal Voice or others for partisan political purposes. Equal Voice will not espouse any particular party, campaign or candidate.

Equal Voice chapters aim to promote a climate where more women are elected to govern in Canada. They offer a variety of programming including promoting public awareness campaigns, educational events and mentorship experiences.

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BECOME AN EQUAL VOICE MEMBER: <http://www.equalvoice.ca/join.cfm>

DATE:

Sunday, September 25, 2011

LOCATION:

Saskatoon City Hospital
Repanda Memorial Education Centre
701 Queen Street, Saskatoon

TIME:

1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Registration and coffee at 12:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION FEE:

Adults \$10 Students/Seniors \$5 Free for Equal Voice members

TICKETS AVAILABLE:

www.picatic.com Space is limited.

PANELISTS:

Honourable Dr. Carolyn Bennett, PC, MP

Honourable Bennett is a former Minister of State who believes that politics is too important to leave only to men.

Chief Tammy Cook-Searson

Chief Cook-Searson is the first woman to lead the Lac La Ronge Indian Band, one of the largest and most progressive First Nations bands in Canada.

Ms. Penny Priddy

Ms. Priddy is the only woman in Canadian history to be elected to school board, city council, provincial legislature and House of Commons.

Ms. Michelle Rempel, MP

Ms. Rempel is the Member of Parliament for Calgary Centre-North and was named one of Canada's Top 100 Most Powerful Women by the Women's Executive Network.

MODERATOR:

Stefani Langenegger

Ms. Langenegger is a political reporter with CBC Saskatchewan who has been described as "tough but fair."