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Pictured: Judy Ferraro will deliver the keynote address at SSC's 8th Annual Chicago Women's Conference on Friday, March 18, 2016, in South Holland.

2016 CHICAGO WOMEN'S CONFERENCE & EXPO COMING TO SSC ON MARCH 18TH

SOUTH HOLLAND, IL– South Suburban College (SSC) proudly announces Judy Ferraro as the Keynote Speaker for the 2016 Chicago Women's Conference on Friday, March 18, 2016, located at the college's Main Campus in South Holland, Illinois. This year's theme "Reach for The Stars" marks the 8th annual event that the college's Business and Career Institute (BCI) is planning for women of all backgrounds ages 18 and up to come together for one day dedicated exclusively to women. The positive feedback and participation has grown tremendously since the event's inception. Last year over 350 participants and 50 vendors participated in this truly unique opportunity.

Judy Ferraro owned and operated her own scrap metal business and after 18 years in the industry, she decided to shed the glitz and glamour of scrap metal to form a consulting firm for personal development, sales and leadership training. Studying in Chicago's comedy circle, Judy uses her comedic background and excellent interactive skills when building seminars that are informative and fun and emphasize the importance of listening, the art of asking good questions and the ability to laugh at oneself.

In addition to an exciting keynote from Ms. Ferraro, this year's event will again include networking, shopping, and will feature over 15 speakers on topics including Personal Empowerment, Health & Wellness, and Business & Finance, along with a panel discussion "Stars – Straight Talk About Real Stuff" that will feature poignant discussions on the many areas of a woman's life.

The cost of admission is just \$25 per person with advance registration, or \$35 at the door. The conference fee includes a continental breakfast, lunch, and admission to all of the break-out sessions.

Sponsorships are also available – event sponsors to date include: Supervisor Frank M. Zuccarelli – Thornton Township, MB Financial Bank, Ed Miniati, L.L.C., Thornton Township School District 205, State Representatives Will Davis, Anthony

DeLuca, Thaddeus Jones and Al Riley, Illiana Financial, State Senator Donne Trotter, State Representatives Marcus C. Evans and Elgie Sims and Cook County Commissioner Stan Moore, Judge Fredrick Bates and Pat Heneghan for Judge.

For more information, or to register for the 2016 Chicago Women's Conference, please call (708) 225-6055 or visit www.TheChicagoWomensConference.org. SSC is located at 15800 South State Street, South Holland, Illinois.



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