**Women’s Regional Consortium website launched**

Mayor of Derry, Cllr Brenda Stevenson, has welcomed the launch of the Women’s Regional Consortium website.

Local organisation Foyle Women’s Information Network (FWIN) is a member of the Consortium alongside Women’s Resource and Development Agency (WRDA), Training for Women Network (TWN), Women’s Support Network (WSN), NI Rural Women’s Network (NIRWN), WOMEN’STEC and The Women’s Centre, Derry.

The Women’s Regional Consortium has come together to provide a voice for women from disadvantaged and rural areas and support efforts to tackle disadvantage and social exclusion. The groups work in partnership with each other, statutory and governmental organisations, and local women’s organisations, centres and groups.

Mayor Stevenson said: “It’s great to see this website up and running and I’m sure it will be a very helpful resource for women and women’s organisations.”

Regional Outreach Worker at Women’s Centre Derry, Breidge McPherson added: “I am delighted that the Consortium website is now up and running, I know a lot of hard work has gone into it. This will be a excellent tool and will help with the Consortium’s ultimate goal of empowering women in disadvantaged and rural areas.”

To visit the website simply log on to www.womensregionalconsortiumni.org.uk

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