

WFCO's Top 10 Highlights of 2016

3 RESEARCH REPORTS *Leading Colorado's Child Care and Education Workforce, The Impact of a \$12.00 Minimum Wage on Women in Colorado, and Gender Equity in Colorado's STEM Industries*

4 KEYNOTES Lauren Y. Casteel delivered keynote addresses at the WomenGive Annual Luncheon, AAUW Annual Colorado Conference, DU Women's Leadership Conference, and Colorado Nonprofit Association Annual Fall Conference. She also emceed TedX Mile High Women.

5 WFCO completed its five-year strategic plan, a roadmap to increasing our statewide impact by 2021 (to be released soon).

6 LEGISLATIVE WINS WFCO supported six winning measures with significant action from community partners and other key stakeholders.

\$12 by 2020

COLORADO'S NEW MINIMUM WAGE WFCO used research and community education to help pass the increase in the Colorado minimum wage to \$12/hour by 2020.

20 COMMUNITY PROJECTS Our Girls' Leadership Council, representing 19 high schools in 11 counties across Colorado, each created valuable community leadership projects.

25 NEWS STORIES Research by WFCO, as well as fundraising and educational events, received substantial media coverage in more than 25 news stories.

26 WFCO hosted or participated in 26 educational events statewide to share our knowledge of the issues impacting women and girls.

76 ORGANIZATIONS In 2016, WFCO made grants totaling \$941,014 to 76 organizations in more than 30 counties across Colorado.

\$100 million

WFCO and 28 other women's funding organizations formed "Prosperity Together" to collectively raise \$100 million over five years to support women's economic security. In the first year, \$29 million was raised.