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## **DARYL HANNAH AND JANE VELEZ-MITCHELL TO HEADLINE HUMAN TRAFFICKING CONFERENCE JANUARY 14-16, 2011**

**Portland, OR** – Soroptimist International Northwestern Region’s Northwest Coalition Against Trafficking (NWCAT) will be hosting the annual Northwest Conference Against Trafficking January 14-16, 2011 in Portland, Oregon.

NWCAT is a coalition of many Agencies, Political Leaders, Community Organizations, Individuals, Media and Business Supporters throughout the Northwest working to **Inform, Educate, and Protect** the women and girls from the Human Labor & Sex Trafficking in the Northwest Region of the United States of America.

The conference will offer breakout sessions, networking receptions, keynote speakers, a luncheon, exhibit resource expo, brunch & brothels w/ actress and advocate **Daryl Hannah**, and continuing education trainings. The **Jane Velez-Mitchell Journalism Award** will also be presented. The emcee for the conference is **Alexis Del Cid, Koin6**.

Other speakers include: Washington State Attorney General **Rob McKenna**, **Linda Smith** (Shared Hope), **Eric Brown** (YWCA Greater Portland) and **Bradley Myles** (Polaris Project).

The public is invited to visit [www.NWCAT.org](http://www.NWCAT.org) for registration and more information. Registration opens Monday, September 20, 2010.

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