



## Award-Winning Actress and Human Trafficking Advocate Daryl Hannah to Participate at January's Conference!

**Portland, Oregon - September 1, 2010** - Soroptimist International Northwestern Region announced today that award-winning actress and human trafficking activist Daryl Hannah has confirmed to participate at the annual Northwest Conference Against Trafficking January 14-16, 2011 in Portland, Oregon!

Other speakers and presenters include the following:

- > Alexis Del Cid, KOIN Local 6
- > Jane Velez-Mitchell, host of "Issues" on HLN
- > Linda Smith, founder of Shared Hope International
- > Bradley Myles, Executive Director of Polaris Project
- > Eric Brown, YWCA Greater Portland
- > Ann Garrett, author of *TLC for Frazzled Kids*
- > Sgt. Doug Justus, Portland Police
- > Rev. Sheila Houston, Survivor
- > Sharon Fisher, President Soroptimist International of the Americas
- > Alice Wells, President-Elect Soroptimist International
- > Chris Kilmer, Catholic Charities
- > Keith Bickford, Oregon State Human Trafficking Task Force
- > Elisa Saphier, Sexual Assault Resource Center
- > Meg Garvin, NCVLI
- > Lynn Haxton, JRP
- > Kelli Russell, Shared Hope International
- > And other special presenters to be announced soon!



The three-day conference will be empowering, inspirational, and educational! Host hotels are the Red Lion Hotel and The Westin; rooms are now available for a discounted rate, [click here to book your room today!](#) Our friends at Alaska Airlines also have provided a discounted rate and link, [click here to book your airline tickets today!](#)

Nominate a journalist today for the Jane Velez-Mitchell Journalism Award, [click here!](#) Due date is October 31, 2010.

For more information on registration, speakers, sponsorship opportunities and NWCAT please visit us at [www.NWCAT.org](http://www.NWCAT.org).

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