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The Women's Foundation of Colorado Announces New Board of Trustees Members

DENVER, COLO. *(November 2, 2012)* — The Women's Foundation of Colorado, a Denver-based nonprofit focused on building resources and leading change so that every woman and girl in Colorado achieves her full potential, announces its Board of Trustees has appointed four new members.

New Trustees include **Christine Chin** of Fort Collins, **Colleen Dougherty** of Cherry Hills Village, **Gayle Embrey** of Carbondale and **Deb Luginbuhl** of Edwards.

The new appointments bring the number of Board Trustees to 25 members and enhance the Board's representation for the Colorado regions where The Women's Foundation of Colorado (WFCO) has established local committees. They begin their three-year terms on January 1, 2013.

"The addition of these new Trustees will further diversify the outstanding talents and wide-ranging experience our Board of Trustees brings to The Women's Foundation of Colorado," said Carol Burt, Board of Trustees Chair for The Women's Foundation of Colorado. "Each of these remarkable women is a widely respected and experienced leader. Together they will provide our Board and management team with new insight and talents to further our mission across the state to help the women and girls of Colorado achieve their full potential."

Christine Chin is President of Chin and Associates in Fort Collins, a business consulting firm. She previously served as President and Publisher of *The Fort Collins Coloradoan* daily newspaper in Fort Collins, CO and in other senior leadership positions in the newspaper industry.

Colleen Dougherty brings 19 years of corporate experience to The WFCO Board of Trustees specializing in improving branding, marketing initiatives and sales effectiveness. Her community involvement is focused on education reform and issues impacting women, girls and children.

Gayle Embrey is an author and filmmaker currently producing, writing and/or directing documentary films of a human rights nature. She is also co-CEO of Embrey Interests, a commercial real estate company in Dallas, Texas and is Past President and current Vice President of the Embrey Family Foundation in Texas.

Deb Luginbuhl spent 20 years working in live television sports, primarily producing auto racing for ABC Sports and ESPN. She is a community volunteer providing leadership in the Vail Valley for initiatives supporting women and girls.

About The Women's Foundation of Colorado

The mission of The Women's Foundation of Colorado is to build resources and lead change so that every woman and girl in Colorado achieves her full potential. We are committed to boldly leading systemic change to advance economic opportunity for all women and girls in Colorado; using research to build knowledge and guide action; building philanthropy that supports and champions women and girls in Colorado; demonstrating and promoting inclusiveness and commitment to a diversity of people, partners and ideas; and creating strategic partnerships throughout the state to service our mission. For more information, visit <u>www.wfco.org</u> or call 303-285-2960.