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Leading in Context LLC CEO/Owner is Chosen to Facilitate Virginia Women's Commission Community Conversations

RICHMOND, Virginia—November 9, 2011 Commonwealth of Virginia Women's Commission Selects Linda Fisher Thornton, CEO/Owner of Leading in Context LLC, as Facilitator

The Governor's Office issued a Press Release in October announcing a series of Community Conversations with Virginians to gain their input about a planned monument honoring the contributions of Virginia women. Linda Fisher Thornton, CEO/Owner of Leading in Context LLC is proud to have served as the facilitator during all of these important Community Conversations.

In the [Governor's Press Release](#), Secretary of Administration Lisa Hicks-Thomas talks about why the statewide sessions were planned:

"Before moving forward with plans to honor and commemorate the diversity and remarkable achievements of Virginia women with a monument on Capitol Square, the Commission recognized the value of gathering the ideas and recommendations of all Virginians," said Governor McDonnell's Secretary of Administration Lisa Hicks-Thomas. "This special project will serve as an enduring monument to the contributions of all women throughout our Commonwealth's 400 year history, and we want to ensure that the views of all Virginians are heard and reflected in the final design."

As part of her role as facilitator, Linda Fisher Thornton will also be presenting the collective feedback from the public sessions to the Women's Commission in late November.

More information about Linda Fisher Thornton and Leading in Context LLC is available on the company website at LeadinginContext.com.

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