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Chair Burdick and members of the committee

Oregon Women's Rights Coalition applauds the recognition given to women by the Oregon Commission for Women since 1985. In 1985 the honoree was the Honorable Vera Katz whose role in Oregon was commemorated this year again at her memorial service. Over the years many women in many walks of life have been recognized.

It is important that women are recognized for their part in making Oregon a better place in which to live. While we recognize a few each year there are untold other women making real differences in our communities. This award highlights only a few.

OWRC congratulates both the Commission and the women it honors this year. They are Dr. Erlinda Gonzales-Berry, Dr. Guadalupe Guajardo, Liliana Luna and Anita Yap: Oregon's 2017 Women of Achievement.

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