



MICHELE VAUGHN

STATE COMMITTEE



Michele Vaughn serves as Regional Director for the Pennsylvania Federation of Democratic Women and the Chair of the Chester County Democratic Women's Leadership Initiative (CCDWLI). The Chester County Democratic Women's Leadership Initiative was founded in 2015 in an effort to bring the issues that concern women, organized labor and working families to the forefront of the political process.

Michele is especially proud of CCDWLI's support and role in the 2017 historic elections of our four Chester County Row Officials: Margaret Reif (Controller), Patricia Maisano (Treasurer), Yolanda Van de Krol (Clerk of Courts) and Dr. Christina VandePol (Coroner).

Just three years after its founding, the CCDWLI is the largest chapter of the Pennsylvania Federation of Democratic Women in the Commonwealth. It has become an example and a template for Democratic women's leadership organizations statewide. On a regular basis, existing and new organizations reach out to us for help and mentorship in emulating our success, and this is an accomplishment of which we are very proud because it demonstrates that we are living up to the mission and values upon which our organization was founded, by leading the way for women seeking to become engaged leaders in our communities, in the political process and in the Democratic party and Progressive movement.

Prior to her involvement with these women's organization, Michele Vaughn served as the Chester County Democratic Committee Chair from 2006-2014. Prior to her service as chair, she served as Vice-Chair for the committee from 2000-2006. In addition, she has served for the last 22 years as an East Whiteland Township Committee Person.

From January 1998 to December 2003, she served on the East Whiteland Township Board of Supervisors. Elected as the first Democratic woman to serve, my focus was on addressing responsible development and planning, environmental cleanup at two Superfund sites, and creating a sense of community through the growth of parks and recreation.

As a Township Supervisor, she launched East Whiteland Township's first Community Health Day to focus on the health of ourselves and our families. She worked with the Community Volunteers in Medicine to provide free mammograms to uninsured or underinsured women through the Fox Chase Cancer Center.

She graduated from the University of Delaware with a Bachelor's Degree in Chemistry and earned her M.B.A. in Pharmaceutical Marketing at the University of the Sciences in Philadelphia.

She has been employed for the last sixteen years at Johnson & Johnson in their Information Technology Division.