

"Impact of Incarceration on Women & Children"

Missouri CURE

Citizens United for Rehabilitation of Errants

**is proud to announce our
16th Annual Conference**

Sponsored by Mayor Tommie Pierson

Keynote Speaker

ANDREA JAMES



Andrea James was a defense attorney for many years in her Roxbury, Mass. community, went to federal prison for 2 years for wire fraud, and since her release advocates for imprisoned women and girls.

"I left behind my husband, adult children, parents, 12-year-old daughter and 5-month-old son, who I was still breast-feeding at the time. My new home was the prison facility, where I was warehoused with over 200 other women, crammed side-by-side in bunks piled on top of each other. There was no privacy. Male officers walked freely around our "living" areas, including our bathroom and showers. Most of the staff treated us with scorn and rebuke."

Her national organization, **The National Council for Incarcerated and Formerly Incarcerated Women and Girls**, has launched a 50-state campaign to free women lifers, victims of abuse and those with serious or terminal illnesses.

Judy Henderson, imprisoned 36 years and pardoned by Gov. Greitens last year, spearheads the campaign in Missouri.

Stacey Lannert, also pardoned by Gov. Greitens and now an attorney with the St. Louis Public Defenders Office, will be on hand.

**Saturday, September 28
10AM to 4PM**

**Bellefontaine Neighbors
Recreation Center
9669 Bellefontaine Rd.
(St. Louis County) 63137**

- **Admission is FREE**
 - **Lunch will be provided**
- No reservation needed but we do need names and head count to provide food*



WORKSHOPS:

- ▶ **Women in Prison**
- ▶ **Life Imprisonment**
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- ▶ **Overall prison conditions**

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If you are a former prisoner, a loved one of someone incarcerated or a member of society concerned about justice, you won't want to miss this special event!