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County Will Announce Comprehensive Plan on Domestic Violence

- Every 9 seconds in the US, a woman is assaulted or beaten;
- Domestic violence is the leading cause of injury to women—more than car accidents, muggings, and rapes combined; and the 7th leading cause of death
- Domestic Violence is a growing problem across the country and here in Buncombe County.
- On May 13 local officials will unveil their Comprehensive Plan on Domestic Violence, explain why we need it now and what we expect to achieve

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