



Philosophy

We believe that small groups of informed women can create meaningful change.

Throughout history, movements started by small groups of people have embodied the understanding that with freedom comes responsibility. Those people were willing to step into the arena, take action, and to create change.

**We are a community of women
with the courage to act.**



1. We Catalyze Change

CREATE A CIRCLE OF CHANGE

If you fail to take the initiative and shape local policies — someone else will.

The Policy Circle provides a framework for civic-minded women to get informed, discuss issues in their community, and come up with thoughtful, actionable solutions.

When you're armed with knowledge and backed by other women in your Policy Circle, you're equipped to lead policy discussions and catalyze the change you want to see.



2. We Focus on Facts - Not Politics

BUILD A CIRCLE OF KNOWLEDGE

Politics is about personalities. Policy is about people. If you prize curiosity and seek knowledge, you can find solutions that help people in your community thrive.

The Policy Circle provides reliable information that gives you the knowledge and language you need to be taken seriously and work with local decision makers.

When you work to create change based on facts, you're able to engage in constructive dialogue with a wide range of people in your community — even those you disagree with.



3. We Show Up And Do the Work

GENERATE A CIRCLE OF COLLABORATION

Civil conversations and collaborations are the building blocks of solutions. Without them, you're just another woman raging against the wind.

The Policy Circle can help you learn how to connect with and influence local policymakers. You must put in the work to build relationships, establish credibility, find allies, and see your efforts through to the end — even if you don't get the results you aim to accomplish.

When you take the time to listen, build consensus, and participate in policy making, you're able to make your voice heard, build coalitions, and move the needle on issues that matter to you most.



4. We Highlight Solutions

ESTABLISH A CIRCLE OF RESPONSIBILITY

Solutions rooted in entrepreneurial values, personal responsibility, and innovation allow us to have sound policies that hold to founding principles while addressing the most pressing issues of the day. Otherwise, we all grind against the system and nothing changes.

At The Policy Circle, we believe that more government is not the answer. We seek an accountable, transparent, and efficient government through sound public policy reform.

Innovative policies that are focused on local challenges and solutions are the most likely to succeed. When you have access to resources, tools, autonomy, and the drive to solve issues in your community, you're better equipped to get results.



5. We Embrace Leadership

ENGAGE IN A CIRCLE OF LEADERSHIP

The time to lead is now. When you sit on the sidelines, you abdicate your power to others willing to create policies that affect you, your family, and your community.

The Policy Circle members believe in embracing the personal responsibility that comes with freedom. Be part of a national community of civic-minded women who are eager to learn and lead.

In order to influence policy in your community, you must get engaged and participate in a meaningful way. Step up, speak out and suggest solutions. Take your seat at the table and lead with courage and conviction — and do it now.