## Title of program:

## A CONVERSATION WITH DEBORAH TODD

### **Branch Name:**

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#### Was the program:

• In-person in a meeting room

#### Short overview of the program: Briefly describe the content, including the name and title of any speakers.

Deborah Todd, an award-winning journalist with Voices of America, has worked with CBS Morning and Evening News, Face the Nation, Night Watch, Multiple Presidential Elections, Desert Storm. She was the NBC Pool Supervisor at the White House. Won an Emmy as director for "Women and Breast Cancer" for Belo Broadcasting. Broke the gender barrier for network level technical supervisor. She will discuss her

- Family Background that forged my views, values, and decisions
- Rules must be broken sometimes if you want to create change. Especially if the rules are based on discrimination.
- Women's rights, equal rights and the path traveled.
- What were the different challenges along the way?
- How where these challenges addressed?
- · How did the industry change both technical and content?
- What is the takeaway from all the years?

# Please include any other information you deem important:

This will take place at Ellen Coolidge Burke Library, 4701 Seminary Rd., Alexandria on November 16th at 10:30.