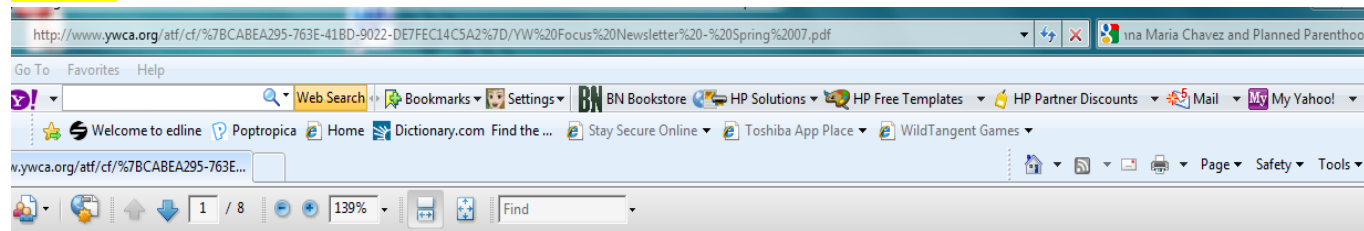


Anna Maria Chavez served as an Honorary Board member for the (pro-abortion advocacy group) YWCA.



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YWCA Launches Women's Empowerment Lecture Series

- The YWCA welcomes Anna Maria Chavez, Governor Napolitano's Deputy Chief of Staff to the YWCA Honorary Board.

YWCA Washington, DC (LifeNews.com) – The Young Women's Christian Association (YWCA) may have been a Christian group at one point, but the organization has abandoned that view by supporting abortion. Now, the YWCA is going further and says it would be fine if Barack Obama signed the so-called Freedom of Choice Act.

That's the Congressional legislation that would make unlimited abortions throughout pregnancy for any reason the national law.

It would also overturn every pro-life law in all fifty states that reduces abortions, stops taxpayer-funding of abortions or allows for parental notification or informed consent for women.

Dr. Lorraine Cole, the CEO of the YWCA, told CNS News during a press conference last week that her group would be fine with the radical pro-abortion bill becoming law with Obama's signature.

"Well, the YWCA has always been pro-choice, so this is a topic that we would be very supportive of," she said.