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Join Senator Montgomery, Lieutenant Governor Kathy Hochul and Shola Lynch for a FREE special screening and discussion of "Chisholm '72: Unbought and Unbossed"

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The image is a composite of two parts. On the left is a portrait of Shirley Chisholm, a Black woman with short, curly hair and glasses, wearing a dark suit jacket over a light-colored top. The background of the portrait is a solid red color. On the right is a white promotional flyer for a film screening. At the top left of the flyer is the New York State logo with the text "NEW YORK STATE OF OPPORTUNITY." To its right is the "Women's Suffrage Commission" logo, which includes a yellow banner that says "Celebrating 100 Years of Women's Right to Vote". Below these logos, the text reads: "Please join Senator Velmanette Montgomery, Lieutenant Governor Kathy Hochul & award-winning filmmaker Shola Lynch for a special screening of CHISHOLM '72 Unbought & Unbossed". The title "CHISHOLM '72" is in large, bold, red letters, and "Unbought & Unbossed" is in white letters on a blue rectangular background. Below the title, the event details are listed: "Wednesday, September 20 @ 6:30 pm" and "BRIC House 647 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, NY". A short paragraph follows: "Recalling a watershed event in US politics, this compelling documentary takes an in-depth look at the 1972 presidential campaign of Shirley Chisholm, the first black woman elected to Congress and the first to seek nomination for the highest office in the land." Below this is the text "Post screening discussion and reception to follow." and "RSVP to [suffrage@exec.ny.gov](mailto:suffrage@exec.ny.gov)". At the bottom of the flyer are two logos: "WMM WOMEN MAKE MOVIES" in green and "BRIC" in white on a green rectangular background.

This year marks the centennial of women's suffrage in New York State, three years before the 19th amendment to the United States Constitution. Senator Montgomery is a proud member of the Women's Suffrage Commission which is organizing programs statewide to celebrate women's suffrage and honor the legacy of our historic trailblazers.

Join Senator Montgomery, Lieutenant Governor Kathy Hochul and Shola Lynch for a FREE special screening and discussion of "Chisolm '72: Unbought and Unbossed" at BRIC House on September 20!

To attend, RSVP to [suffrage@exec.ny.gov](mailto:suffrage@exec.ny.gov)

For more information about Women's Suffrage Commission, visit:

<https://www.nysenate.gov/newsroom/articles/velmanette-montgomery/senator-montgomery-joins-lt-governor-kathy-hochul-and-nys>

<https://www.nysenate.gov/newsroom/articles/velmanette-montgomery/senator-montgomery-calls-governor-support-reproductive>

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