

Proclamation



WHEREAS: American women of every race, class and ethnic background have made historic contributions to the growth and strength of our nation in countless recorded and unrecorded ways; and

WHEREAS: American women have played and continue to play a critical economic, cultural, and social role in every sphere of life of the nation by constituting a significant portion of the labor force working inside and outside of the home; and

WHEREAS: since 1987, Congress has passed a resolution to formally recognize the accomplishments of women and their contributions to our country, designating the month of March as National Women's History Month; and


WHEREAS: as we honor the courageous legacy of our nation's women, let us acknowledge our own women of distinction, the women of Pompano Beach, who have given to our community in so many ways; and

WHEREAS: Pompano Beach has been home to mayors, commissioners, educators, a federal judge, doctors, military personnel, sports figures, movie stars and homemakers, just to name a few. We celebrate the diversity of their backgrounds, their talents, and their contributions, which breathe life into our democracy and sustain our prosperity.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rex Hardin, as Mayor, and on behalf of the City Commission and the residents of the City of Pompano Beach, Florida, do hereby proclaim March as **Women's History Month in the City of Pompano Beach** and recognize the Women's Suffrage Centennial being celebrated across the nation for the ratification of Amendment 19. I encourage all Americans to observe this month and to remember throughout the year the many voices and stories of courageous women who have made our nation strong.

DONE, this 10th day of March, 2020.





REX HARDIN
MAYOR