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HOUSE RESOLUTION

CELEBRATING WOMEN IN PUBLIC OFFICE DAY.

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WHEREAS, the month of March is Women's History Month, which celebrates the significant contributions women of all races, ethnicities, and backgrounds have made to the world; and

WHEREAS, women play a critical role in the vitality and diversity of our communities; and

WHEREAS, women who serve in public office are essential to ensuring that women in Arkansas are well-represented; and

WHEREAS, while the 20th century was a pivotal time of growth for women entering politics, women remain underrepresented in male-dominated fields, including politics, and thus providing opportunities to support women who serve in public office is imperative; and

WHEREAS, recognizing women who serve in public office will raise awareness of the fundamental necessity of their work and will inspire young people to serve their communities,

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:



THAT the House of Representatives proclaim March 19, 2019, as "Celebrating Women in Public Office Day" and call upon the citizens of Arkansas to unite as we support the success of women who serve in public office.