



**Sun Prairie Area
School District**
Futures depend on us...every child, every day.

PROCLAMATION IN RECOGNITION OF WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

WHEREAS, women of every race, class, and ethnic background have made historic contributions to the growth and strength of the United States of America in countless recorded and unrecorded ways; and

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

WHEREAS, women have played a unique role throughout the history of the country by providing the majority of the volunteer labor force of the United States; and

WHEREAS, women were particularly important in the establishment of early charitable, philanthropic, and cultural institutions in our country; and

WHEREAS, women of every race, class, and ethnic background served as early leaders at the forefront of every major progressive social change movement; and

WHEREAS, women have served our country courageously in the military and continue to break barriers every day in the ways they serve; and

WHEREAS, women have been leaders, not only in securing their own rights of suffrage and equal opportunity, but also in the abolitionist movement, the emancipation movement, the industrial labor movement, the civil rights movement, and other movements, especially the peace movement, which create a more fair and just society for all; and

WHEREAS, women have historically made up the majority of the educators in the teaching profession; and

WHEREAS, despite these contributions, the role of women has been consistently overlooked, undervalued, and underrepresented in the literature, teaching, and study of American history;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Sun Prairie Area School District Board of Education proclaims the month of March as Women's History Month in celebration and recognition of all the contributions women have made to the success of our schools and communities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this proclamation was adopted by the Board of Education of the Sun Prairie Area School District on the 26th day of February 2024.



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