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A great deal more

Proclamation

City of Lynnwood

Women's History Month

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

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

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

WHEREAS, Women's History Week was established in 1980 at the urging of the California-based National Women's History Project, and in 1987, Congress approved the first designation of March as Women's History Month and it has been celebrated nationally since that year; and

WHEREAS, each year, the National Women's History Project selects a theme for Women's History Month, with 2023's theme being: "Celebrating Women Who Tell Our Stories."

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that we, Mayor Christine Frizzell, and the Lynnwood City Council, proclaim March as Women's History Month and we call upon public officials, educators, businesses, volunteers, and all people of Lynnwood to join us in celebrating the great contributions of women to our city, state, and nation.

Christine Frizzell, Mayor
March 13, 2023

Shannon Sessions, City Council President
March 13, 2023