

**BARNSTABLE COUNTY**  
**In the Year Two Thousand Twenty-One**  
**Resolution 21-02**

**A Proclamation: March 2021 Women's History Month**

**Be it Hereby Resolved by the Barnstable County Assembly of Delegates:**

**Whereas** 2021 marks the 40th Anniversary of United States Congressional Public Laws 97-28 and 100-9, leading to the establishment of March as Women's History Month, recognizing the vital role of women in American history, and;

**Whereas** women helped found our Nation in countless recorded and unrecorded ways and continue to advocate, with courage and passion, for our highest ideals, strengthening the fabric of our Nation and leading us toward a more perfect union, and;

**Whereas** we honor indigenous, enslaved, and immigrant women of all races, backgrounds, identities, colors, and creeds for their courageous work to end oppression and birth opportunities for parity, and;

**Whereas** we recognize the historic, and the every-day, contributions and achievements of women throughout the workplace, across local, state, and federal public service roles, serving in our military branches, within non-profit and faith organizations, as the engines of change in social movements, at the hearth of our homes, and at the heart of our communities across the Cape and Islands, and;

**Whereas** we acknowledge this enduring legacy of our Nation's women as we celebrate the diversity of their backgrounds, identities, talents, accomplishments, and gifts, which expand our democracy and power our prosperity:

**Now, Therefore:**

**The Cape Cod Regional Government, known as Barnstable County, hereby resolves:**

That March 2021 is hereby proclaimed as Women's History Month and all are called upon to observe this month with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities. Additionally, all are invited to learn more about the generations of women who have helped shape our Nation's history, yielding a brighter future for all, at [www.WomensHistoryMonth.gov](http://www.WomensHistoryMonth.gov)

**The foregoing Resolution 21-02 was adopted by the Barnstable County Assembly of Delegates, by a roll call vote of 99.07% voting "YES", and 0.93% "ABSENT" at the regular virtual meeting held on March 17, 2021.**

Attested by:



Janice O'Connell, Clerk  
Assembly of Delegates