

City of Lakewood Proclamation

Honoring Women's History Month

March 2026

WHEREAS, each March, Women's History Month is a time to highlight, celebrate and honor women and the vital roles they have held in American history and across the world with significant contributions to history, culture and society, including women's struggles for the right to vote and equality under the law; and

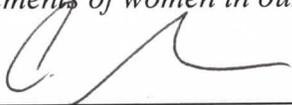
WHEREAS, women of every race, class and ethnic background have made historic contributions to the growth and strength of our community in countless recorded and unrecorded ways; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lakewood is holding its third annual Women's Success and Empowerment event, coined as LeadHer Lakewood, to engage, celebrate and bring together the women of this city during the month of March; and

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

WHEREAS, despite these contributions, the role of women has consistently been overlooked and undervalued in the literature, leadership, teaching and study of American history and it is therefore fitting that we recognize their numerous accomplishments;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Cassandra Chase, Mayor of Lakewood, on behalf of the Lakewood City Council and the entire Lakewood community, do hereby acknowledge Women's History Month and encourage our residents to honor and commemorate the many contributions and achievements of women in our community, state and nation.



CASSANDRA CHASE
MAYOR

