

Intro. Res. No. 1149-2018

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Introduced by Legislator Hahn, Anker, Berland, Calarco, Cilmi, Donnelly, Fleming, Flotteron, Gregory, Kennedy, Krupski, Lindsay, Martinez, McCaffrey, Muratore, Spencer, Sunderman, and Trotta

**RESOLUTION NO. 96 -2018, DESIGNATING MARCH 19th AS
A DAY OF CELEBRATION OF WOMEN IN PUBLIC OFFICE IN
SUFFOLK COUNTY**

WHEREAS, the month of March is Women's History month, celebrating the accomplishments and contributions that women of all races, ethnicities and backgrounds have made to improve our nation and the world; and

WHEREAS, women play a critical role in the vitality and diversity of our communities and are essential to ensuring that the people of Suffolk County are well represented; and

WHEREAS, while the twentieth century was a pivotal time for growth in the representation of women in all industries, women are still an underrepresented group in male dominated industries, including politics; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that women are encouraged to seek public office to provide a necessary voice within government; and

WHEREAS, state and municipal governments throughout the country are recognizing women in public office on March 19th of each year to celebrate their accomplishments and encourage the next generation to become involved in government; and

WHEREAS, recognizing women in public office will bring awareness to the fundamental nature of their work and will help to inspire other young people to serve their communities; now, therefore be it

1st RESOLVED, that, beginning in 2018 and continuing every year thereafter, March 19th is hereby declared "Celebrating Women in Public Office Day" to celebrate the accomplishments and success of women in public office in Suffolk County; and be it further

2nd RESOLVED, that this Legislature, being the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA) lead agency, hereby finds and determines that this resolution constitutes a Type II action pursuant to Section 617.5(c)(20), (21) and (27) of Title 6 of the NEW YORK CODE OF RULES AND REGULATIONS (6 NYCRR) and within the meaning of Section 8-0109(2) of the NEW YORK ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION LAW as a promulgation of regulations, rules, policies, procedures, and legislative decisions in connection with continuing agency administration, management and information collection, and the Suffolk County Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) is hereby directed to circulate any appropriate SEQRA notices of determination of non-applicability or non-significance in accordance with this resolution.

DATED: March 6, 2018

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: March 13, 2018