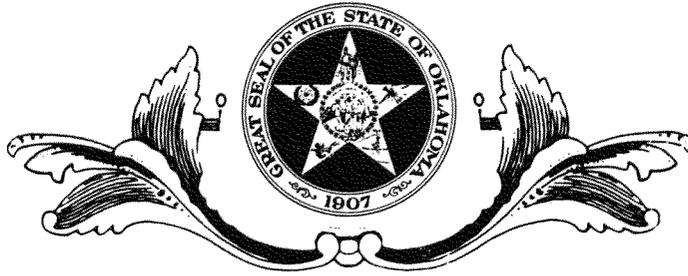


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## Proclamation

*Whereas, for over 200 years, our nation has grown under the simple creed that each of us are created equal; an idea that makes America unlike any other country on earth; and*

*Whereas, Women's History Month is a time to remember those who fought to make freedom real for both our sons and daughters. Year after year, visionary women met, marched, and mobilized to prove what should have been self-evident. From a meeting in Seneca Falls in 1848, in a movement began, which touched every community and took on our highest institutions. Women have made slow, steady, extraordinary progress and have repeatedly written equal opportunity provisions into the law; and*

*Whereas, that legacy of change is all around us. Women make up nearly half of our nation's workforce and comprise more than half of our college graduates. There is still much work to do and many challenges to meet; and*

*Whereas, meeting these challenges will not be easy, but our history shows when we work together with grit and ingenuity, there is no barrier we cannot overcome. We must stay true to our founding tenet that in the United States, all things should be possible for all people;*

*Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, do hereby proclaim March 2014 as*

### *"Women's History Month"*

*in the state of Oklahoma.*

*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.*



*Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this 21st day of February, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and fourteen, and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and sixth year.*

*Chi Runge*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mary Fallin*  
GOVERNOR

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