



County Commissioners of Charles County

PROCLAMATION 2026-10

National Women's History Month

WHEREAS, American women of every race, class, and ethnic background have contributed in innumerable ways to the growth and strength of our Nation; and

WHEREAS, women continue to play a critical role to advance our Nation economically, culturally, and socially, through their involvement in every sphere of life; and

WHEREAS, this year's theme "Leading the Change: Women Shaping a Sustainable Future" highlights women who are rebuilding systems to ensure long-term environmental, economic, and social sustainability. It recognizes leaders driving change through innovation, community organizing, and policy, emphasizing a, inclusive future; and

WHEREAS, the Charles County Commission for Women is a non-partisan group of women leaders in our community established by the Charles County Commissioners in 1996 to advocate for women and families in Charles County; and

WHEREAS, as a voice for women and families in Charles County, the mission of the Commission for Women is to raise awareness of issues affecting women and families by serving as a conduit between women and existing services and advocating for programs, education, and legislation; and

WHEREAS, Charles County acknowledges and celebrates the countless efforts of dedicated women leaders who are making a difference in the quality of life for women, and thus, enhancing the lives of families throughout the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLES COUNTY, MARYLAND, do hereby proclaim March 2026 as **National Women's History Month** in Charles County, and encourage all residents to honor the achievements of women and participate in educational and community activities recognizing women's history and contributions.

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