

**RESOLUTION No. 09 – 39**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF  
THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA DECLARING THE MONTH OF  
MARCH 2009 AS WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH IN THE CITY OF  
DORAL; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

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

**WHEREAS**, women have played and continue to play a critical economic, cultural, and social role in every sphere of the life of the Nation by constituting a significant portion of the labor force working inside and outside of the home; and

**WHEREAS**, women have played a unique role throughout the history of the Nation by providing the majority of the volunteer labor force of the Nation; and

**WHEREAS**, women were particularly important in the establishment of early charitable, philanthropic, and cultural institutions in our Nation; and

**WHEREAS**, women of every race, class, and ethnic background served as early leaders in the forefront of every major progressive social change movement; and

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

**WHEREAS**, despite these contributions, the role of women in history has been consistently overlooked and undervalued, in the literature, teaching and study of history.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** The City Council hereby designates March 2009 as "Women's History Month" and calls upon the people of the City of Doral to observe this month with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.

**Section 2.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

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The foregoing resolution was offered by Councilman Van Name who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Vice Mayor DiPietro and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Michael DiPietro	Yes
Councilman Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilwoman Sandra Ruiz	Yes
Councilman Robert Van Name	Yes

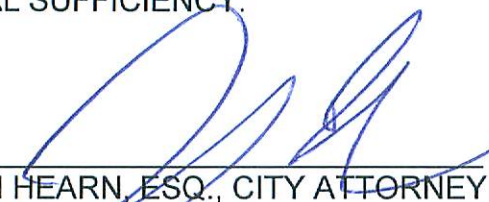
PASSED and ADOPTED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2009.

  
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JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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BARBARA HERRERA, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

  
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JOHN HEARN, ESQ., CITY ATTORNEY