

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 121

Approved March 10, 2025

WHEREAS, International Women's Day is celebrated globally every year on March 8;
and

WHEREAS, The Providence City Council honors the invaluable contributions of women of all ages, races, religions, and backgrounds to their families, communities, and professions; and

WHEREAS, Despite the barriers that perpetuate gender inequality, women across the globe have remained resilient, closing gender gaps in education and workforce representation, championing healthcare rights, breaking athletic records, balancing careers and families, leading countries, and so much more; and

WHEREAS, The representation of women on our City Council reflects the achievements and influence of women leaders, with women making up the majority of its members; and

WHEREAS, Yet, persistent barriers to true gender equality remain in all spheres of life, both locally and globally; and



WHEREAS, While we celebrate the enormous accomplishments and impact of women and girls, we must not waver in our fight to achieve and sustain gender equality in Providence, the State, the nation, and the rest of the world; and

WHEREAS, The empowerment of women and girls is inextricably linked to the potential of our City and the Providence City Council remains committed to uplifting all women and girls.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, The Providence City Council will honor women and girls on International Women's Day, March 8, 2025, and will celebrate with a special event on March 7, 2025, at 5:30 pm in the City Council Chambers; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, The Providence City Council reaffirms its obligation to advancing social, political, and economic equality for women, ensuring the safety and welfare of all women, and pursuing policies that guarantee and expand rights and opportunities of woman and girls.

IN CITY COUNCIL
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READ AND PASSED


RACHEL M. MILLER, PRESIDENT

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I HEREBY APPROVE.


Mayor

Date: 3/10/2025