Resolution

ORDER NO. 2026-0258

DATE: March 3, 2026

STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF DALLAS §

BE IT REMEMBERED, at a regular meeting of the Commissioners Court of Dallas County, Texas, held on the 3rd day of March 2026, on a motion made by Dr. Theresa M. Daniel, Commissioner of District 1, and seconded by Dr. Elba Garcia, Commissioner of District 4, the following Resolution was adopted:

Women's History Month 2026

WHEREAS, Dallas County proudly recognizes Women's History Month and honors the women whose leadership, service, and courage have shaped our community, opened doors to new possibilities, and inspired hope and progress for generations; and

WHEREAS, This year's theme, "Leading with Change: Women Shaping a Sustainable Future," reminds us that women guide progress across civic life, public service, education, health, business, science, and the arts. We honor their leadership, celebrate their vision, and recommit to supporting the women whose courage and creativity are building a more sustainable and just future for all; and

WHEREAS, We celebrate the women who came before us, whose determination opened doors and created the rights and opportunities we value today. We honor the women of today who serve as leaders in public service, education, community outreach, and civic life. These women work every day to make our neighborhoods safer, stronger, and more prosperous; and

WHEREAS, We honor the women whose courage and leadership changed history and opened doors for others. Upon the shoulders of women who came before us, we stand today. They broke barriers and stood up for what was right. They paved the way and because of them, we continue building a stronger Dallas County. We commit to carrying their legacy forward; and

WHEREAS, Organizations such as the League of Women Voters of Dallas, which has defended democracy and championed women's voting rights for 106 years, the NAACP, which was founded in 1909, and many other community partners continue to advance civic participation and equity. The NAACP also remembers Claudette Colvin, whose brave refusal to surrender her seat at age 15 helped spark the Civil Rights Movement; and

WHEREAS, Dallas County uplifts and celebrates the diverse women whose voices, ideas, and leadership strengthen our community. We stand with those women who carried this work forward in the past, the women who lead today, and the women who will guide us into the future. We know our community is stronger when every woman can thrive, and we recommit to advancing justice, equity, and dignity for all; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Dallas County Commissioners Court hereby proclaims March 2026 as Women's History Month and calls upon all residents to celebrate the achievements of women who lead change within our community and the world. We also encourage our residents to support the women who are leading now and invest in the women and girls who will build our tomorrow. We honor the women upon whose shoulders we stand today to carry us forward.

DONE IN OPEN COURT this the 3rd day of March 2026.

Clay Lewis Jenkins
County Judge

Dr. Theresa M. Daniel
District 1

Andrew Sommerman
District 2

John Wiley Price
District 3

Dr. Elba Garcia
District 4