

CITY OF FRESNO

Offices of Councilmember Nelson Esparza and Councilmember Annalisa Perea

Is hereby presented in honor of:

Women's History Month

- WHEREAS: Women's History Month offers us the opportunity to celebrate and honor the incredible contributions of women throughout our community, recognizing their strength, leadership, and enduring commitment to building a brighter, more inclusive future for all; and
- WHEREAS: We are proud to honor and acknowledge the exceptional work of two remarkable organizations that have made a lasting impact on the lives of women and girls in Fresno: The Girl Scouts of Central California South and Evangel Home; and
- WHEREAS: The Girl Scouts of Central California South has empowered countless girls in Fresno by providing them with the skills, confidence, and leadership opportunities to become tomorrow's trailblazers, innovators, and advocates. Through programs focused on community service, education, leadership, and STEM, the Girl Scouts inspire girls to be strong, compassionate, and resilient leaders who will continue to positively shape our city and beyond; and
- WHEREAS: The Evangel Home has been a pillar of support for women and children in Fresno, offering shelter, guidance, and life-changing services for those experiencing homelessness, abuse, and crisis. Through their dedication to providing a safe haven, educational resources, counseling, and job training, the Evangel Home empowers women to rebuild their lives, heal from trauma, and rise to new heights of self-sufficiency, confidence, and leadership; and
- WHEREAS: Both the Girl Scouts of Central California South and Evangel Home exemplify the power of community, support, and dedication, and their ongoing work highlights the importance of empowering women and girls to realize their full potential. These organizations have created spaces where women and girls are encouraged to dream big, pursue their passions, and contribute to the well-being of our city; and
- WHEREAS: The combined efforts of these two organizations reflect the heart and spirit of Fresno's commitment to advancing the well-being of women and girls, ensuring that all have the opportunity to thrive, grow, and make meaningful contributions to our community.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that we, Councilmember Nelson Esparza, Councilmember Annalisa Perea, Mayor Jerry P. Dyer, and the Fresno City Council, do hereby proclaim, the month of March 2025, as:

“Women's History Month”

in the City of Fresno.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed the Seal of The City of Fresno, California, on this 27th day of March 2025.

JERRY P. DYER, HONORABLE MAYOR

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