

1 A RESOLUTION recognizing March 19, 2018, as Kentucky Celebrating Women in
2 Public Office Day.

3 WHEREAS, the month of March is Women's History Month and celebrates the
4 significant contributions women of all ethnicities, races, religions, and backgrounds have
5 made to the world; and

6 WHEREAS, women play a critical role in the vitality and diversity of our
7 communities, and are essential to ensuring Kentucky is well-represented; and

8 WHEREAS, while the twentieth century was a pivotal time of growth for women
9 entering politics, women remain underrepresented in male-dominated fields, and thus
10 providing opportunities to support women in public office is imperative; and

11 WHEREAS, recognizing women in public office will bring awareness to the
12 fundamental necessity of their work and will inspire other young people to serve their
13 communities;

14 NOW, THEREFORE,

15 ***Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the***
16 ***Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

17 ➔Section 1. The members of the House of Representatives proclaim March 19,
18 2018, to be Kentucky Celebrating Women in Public Office Day, and call upon the people
19 of Kentucky to unite as we support the success of women in public office and observe
20 every March 19th with appropriate activities, events, and programs.

21 ➔Section 2. When the House of Representatives adjourns this day, it does so in
22 honor of the many Kentucky women who serve in public office and those who have made
23 the decision to run for public office.

24 ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a
25 copy of this Resolution to Representative Attica Scott.