HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 6053

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} A RESOLUTION recognizing March 19 as Kansas Celebrating Women \\ in Public Office Day. \end{tabular}$

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

WHEREAS, Women play a critical role in the vitality and diversity of our communities and are essential to ensuring Kansas is well-represented; and

WHEREAS, While the 20^{th} century was a pivotal time of growth for women entering politics, women remain underrepresented in maledominated fields, and thus, providing opportunities to support women in public office is imperative; and

WHEREAS, Recognizing women in public office will bring awareness to the fundamental necessity of their work and will inspire other women to serve their communities: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas: That we recognize March 19 as Kansas Celebrating Women in Public Office Day and call on the people of Kansas to unite as we support the success of women in public office and observe March 19 with appropriate activities, events and programs.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the HOUSE, and was adopted by that body

Speaker of the House.