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March is Women's History Month. The 2007 theme, "Generations of Women Moving History Forward," celebrates the wisdom and tenacity of prior and future generations of women. It recognizes the power of generations of women working together.

As recently as the 1970s, women's history was virtually an unknown topic in the K-12 curriculum or in the general public consciousness. To address this situation, the Education Task Force of the Sonoma County (California) Commission on the Status of Women initiated a "Women's History Week." It quickly spread across the Nation and is now celebrated in thousands of schools, workplaces, and communities.

During the month of March, there will be many Women's History Month events. I encourage each of you to participate in the events. This is a great opportunity to acknowledge the many contributions women have made to our country, to our workforce, and to our lives.

For information regarding Women's History Month, please contact Sharyn C. Alvarez, National Federal Women's Program Manager, at (301) 504-2338, or e-mail: [sharyn.alvarez@usda.gov](mailto:sharyn.alvarez@usda.gov). Additional information can be obtained on the National Women's History Project Web site at [www.nwhp.org](http://www.nwhp.org).



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