



Celebrating Women's Contributions to the Army

"Each year, during Women's History Month, we remember and celebrate women from all walks of life who have shaped this great Nation."

– President Barack Obama, March 3, 2009

March is National Women's History Month—a time to celebrate the past, present, and future accomplishments of women in service to our great Nation.

For over 235 years, women have valiantly served in our Army. This service and commitment on behalf of the American people has left an indelible mark on history. From the Revolutionary War to Afghanistan and Iraq, women have always distinguished themselves in times of both conflict and peace.

We honor, therefore, all of the women—uniform and out—served courageously, selflessly and with dedication to help make this Nation even stronger.

We offer you our thanks and our gratitude for the past and present contributions military and civilian women have made to the Army and this Nation. During Women's History Month, we ask the entire Army Family to commemorate the achievements that have benefited us all.

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