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Dear Floridians:

Each year, we are reminded that the story of Florida is, in many ways, the story of extraordinary women whose leadership, vision, and determination have strengthened our state. It is with great enthusiasm that we announce the opening of nominations for the 2026 Florida Women's Hall of Fame.

The Florida Women's Hall of Fame honors women whose lives and legacies reflect a deep commitment to service, excellence, and impact. These trailblazers come from all walks of life yet share a common thread—their contributions have left an enduring mark on Florida's history and continue to inspire progress for generations to come.

Now, we invite you to help us identify the next group of remarkable women to be recognized. Whether through leadership, innovation, or community service, countless women across our state are making meaningful differences every day. Their stories deserve to be elevated and preserved.

All completed nominations must be electronically received by July 15, 2026 to be considered for induction. Nomination guidelines and selection criteria can be found at [flwomenshalloffame.org/nominate](http://flwomenshalloffame.org/nominate).

Organizations and businesses interested in supporting this important initiative are invited to connect with the Florida Commission on the Status of Women at (850) 414-3300 or via email at [kmehr@fcsw.net](mailto:kmehr@fcsw.net). Your partnership helps ensure that these stories of leadership and impact are recognized and shared statewide.

Thank you for helping us celebrate the women who define Florida's past, present, and future.



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