

THIRD READING

Bill No: SCR 110
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Introduced: 1/14/26
Vote: 21

SUBJECT: Women's Military History Week

SOURCE: Author

DIGEST: This resolution recognizes "Women Warriors" by proclaiming the week of March 16, 2026, to March 22, 2026, inclusive, as Women's Military History Week in California, recognizes the hard-fought contributions of women to the military and freedom, and encourages Californians to honor the courageous sacrifices that women have made since the historic lifting of the ban on women in combat on January 24, 2013.

ANALYSIS: This resolution makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) Women have served bravely in every major United States conflict since the American Revolutionary War, but their courage and service have gone unrecognized. Our current servicewomen would be unable to serve without the precedence, persistence, determination, and unyielding resilience of the incredible strides of women of previous generations.
- 2) The over 3 million women who have served in or with the armed forces since the American Revolution have contributed immensely to the strength and resilience of our armed forces.
- 3) Over 400 women have been killed in combat since World War I and over 90 women have been identified as prisoners of war since World War II.
- 4) It is recognized that women have always been capable of serving in combat and that it is policies like the 1994 ban on women in combat that have precluded women from serving. From the Revolutionary War to modern-day humanitarian efforts, women in our military have led the way for progress, despite decades of obstacles, ultimately serving in positions of leadership and combat roles.

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Related/Prior Legislation

SCR 38 (Grove, Resolution Chapter 47, Statutes of 2025)
ACR 30 (Wilson, Resolution Chapter 35, Statutes of 2023)
SCR 86 (Grove, Resolution Chapter 44, Statutes of 2022)
HR 27 (Nguyen, 2021) – Adopted in Assembly.
SR 13 (Grove, 2021) – Adopted in Senate.

FISCAL EFFECT: Appropriation: No Fiscal Com.: No Local: No

SUPPORT: (Verified 1/20/26)

None received

OPPOSITION: (Verified 1/20/26)

None received

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