Dear Friends,

It is a privilege to send congratulations on the launch of the exciting history project "Women Leading the Way."

As the centennial anniversary of women's suffrage in America approaches, it is a time of great reflection - about the history of the suffrage movement and the position of women today in our country and around the world. Projects like "Women Leading the Way" challenge young people to make connections between the extraordinary history of the suffrage movement and their own families. Through art, research, self-reflection, and collaboration, lessons of the past come alive.

I commend the teachers and students taking on this challenge. I know you will learn so much along the way. Congratulations once again to all the participants and everyone involved in making "Women Leading the Way" a great success.

Sincerely,

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