



Dear Neighbors and Community,

As Women's History Month approaches, we are pleased to welcome nominations for the 2026 Women of Distinction Awards. A Woman of Distinction is someone in our district who deserves recognition for her contributions to our community whether through leadership, civic engagement, service, volunteerism, or other noteworthy accomplishments.

To submit a nomination, please complete the online [Nomination Form](#) by **12:00 PM on Thursday, February 26**.

Awardees will:

- Receive an Assembly Certificate of Merit
- Be recognized at a reception in their honor at our Ithaca District Office on March 27
- Be highlighted on my social media throughout March

In addition, one honoree will be selected to be recognized by the New York State Assembly's Legislative Women's Caucus and invited to a celebration in Albany in mid-March.

Thank you in advance for helping us celebrate the extraordinary women in our community.



In good health



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