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Greetings:

Congratulations and welcome to the organizers, sponsors, attendees, the *National Association of Women Business Owners (NAWBO/DFW) President Tarsha Polk, Board and members*, and all participants, as you convene for your Inaugural: *Women in Leadership: Essential Skills to Propel Your Business*. As you celebrate *Women's Empowerment Month*, it is a fitting occasion to highlight your historic legislation H.R. 5050.

I especially wish to recognize your honored guest, history-maker and the first woman Chief of the Dallas Police Department, Chief U. Renee Hall.

Please be encouraged to leverage this opportunity to foster comradery and partnerships by maximizing the networking, public policy advocacy, talent, and collaboration, among your varied resources.

It is with enthusiasm that I commend you on seeking avenues to grow as business leaders and building businesses that positively impact our community and economically enhance our city.

I urge you and the membership to continue to rise to the challenge of supporting successful business enterprises, as well as, service to the citizens of our great city and state.

On behalf of the constituents of the Thirtieth Congressional District of Texas, I applaud you.

Sincerely,

  
Eddie Bernice Johnson  
Member of Congress