Women's Equality Day - Resources

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National Women's History Project

Winning the Vote: American Woman Suffrage Timeline

A state-by-state listing of the gradual expansion of women's franchise in the United States.

Not for Ourselves Alone

Written back in 1999 when the documentary was new, this article reviews the Ken Burns documentary on the relationship of Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan B. Anthony. For Women's Equality Day, why not rent a copy and watch it -- or buy a copy and donate it to your local school or library?

Joint Resolution of Congress, 1971

A copy of the original resolution by Congress designating August 26 as Women's Equality Day.

Bella Abzug Quotations

A few choice quotes from the woman who, as a U.S. Representative in Congress, helped push through the initial proclamation of Women's Equality Day.

August 26, 1920

The end of the battle to win the vote for women in the United States came when a young Tennessee legislator voted as his mother urged him to vote. Article also includes links to other material on this site about the long battle for woman suffrage, biographies of key suffrage activists, and photos of the suffrage struggle.

Woman and the Republic

It may seem obvious today why women should have been given the vote, but it was controversial before 1920. Here's one of the most well-reasoned anti-suffrage documents to come out of that long struggle. Read it through for an interesting insight into why it took so long to win the vote.

Woman Suffrage: the Cast of Characters

An index to the biographies of some of the key women involved in the long struggle to win women's vote in America.