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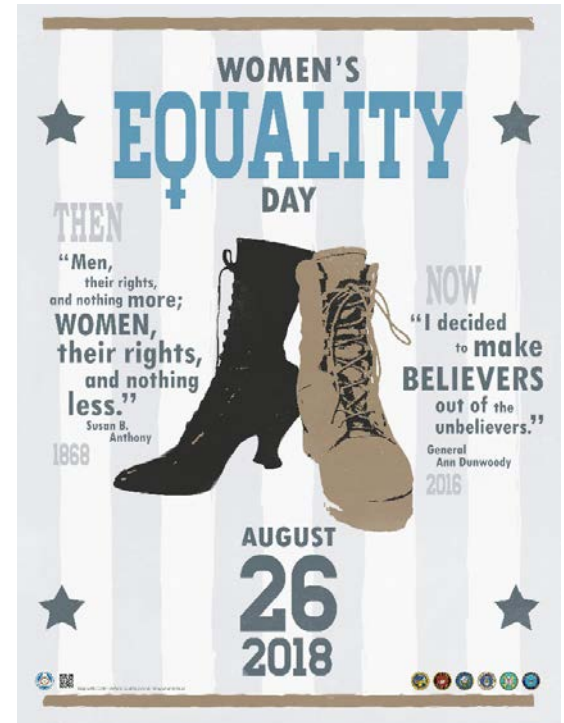
DEOMI RELEASES 2018 WOMEN’S EQUALITY DAY POSTER

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PATRICK AIR FORCE BASE, Fla. – In observance of Women’s Equality Day, celebrated each year on August 26, the Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute proudly announces the release of original artwork available for download from DEOMI’s public website at www.deomi.org.

In 1971, at the request of Representative Bella Abzug, the U.S. Congress designated August 26 as “Women’s Equality Day” to commemorate the 1920 passage of the 19th Amendment to the Constitution.

This year’s poster represents the many obstacles women have overcome throughout the years in the struggle for equality. The 1910 ladies lace-up style boot with Susan B. Anthony’s quote “Men, their rights, and nothing more; women, their rights, and nothing less,” coupled with a military combat boot and quote from the first female four star general, Army Gen. Ann Dunwoody, “I decided to make believers out of the unbelievers,” exhibits the progress women have made.



Today’s military represents the best talent regardless of gender or race. The Department of Defense continues to ensure the integration of diverse attributes, experiences, and backgrounds to strengthen the U.S. Armed Forces.

Please note that you may take the high-resolution poster image file accompanying this news release to your preferred printing facility for display in your organization or use during your special observance program. All DEOMI special observance poster images are high-resolution and may be used to print posters up to 30 x 40 inches.

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