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#### **RE: HJ Res. 35 (Maloney) Amend Constitution relative to equal rights for men and women - SUPPORT**

Dear Congressman Carbajal,

On behalf of the Santa Barbara Women's Political Committee (SBWPC), I am writing to express support for HJ Res. 35 (Maloney) proposing a Constitutional Amendment for equal rights for men and women. As you know, SBWPC is dedicated to furthering feminist values through political and social action and educational activities. Clearly this resolution speaks directly to SBWPC's Vision Statement, which is "to achieve a society based upon the feminist values of social, political and economic gender equality". HJ Res. 35 currently has 125 cosponsors; we urge you to join them.

We also thank you for cosponsoring HJ Res. 38 (Speier) removing the deadline for ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment. The Santa Barbara Women's Political Committee views both HJ Res. 35 and HJ Res. 38 as important steps in achieving our goal of equality.

**Again, our organization urges you to sign on as a cosponsor of HJ Res. 35 as soon as possible,** not only as our representative in Congress but also as a long-time member of SBWPC and advocate of feminist values.

Thank you for reviewing our organization's position on this issue. Should you wish to communicate further with us, please email us at [info@sbwpc.org](mailto:info@sbwpc.org) or visit our website: [www.sbwpc.org](http://www.sbwpc.org)

Sincerely,

Luz Reyes-Martín, President SBWPC

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