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## **CalVet, Commission on the Status of Women and Girls and California State Library to Host Women's Military History Week Reception**

The California Department of Veterans Affairs (CalVet), the California Commission on the Status of Women and Girls, and the California State Library will host a reception "Celebrating Women of Character, Courage and Commitment," in honor of Women's Military History Week, recognized by the Governor as the third week of March. The reception will be held on March 19, 2014 from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the California State Library, 900 N Street, Sacramento.

The free reception will feature speakers from the California Legislature and an awards ceremony. Assembly Speaker John A. Pérez will be recognized for his work with the Commission and dedication to helping women and girls of California. Delphine Metcalf-Foster and Brigadier General Sylvia R. Crockett will receive the CalVet Trailblazer Award for outstanding service and achievements in the military and veteran community.

"We are proud to recognize and honor California women veterans and two in particular who have made amazing contributions to our Armed Forces and to the fabric of our great nation," said Lindsey Sin, CalVet Deputy Secretary for Women Veterans Affairs.

To register for the reception or to read more about the awardees, please visit [www.calvet.ca.gov/Women/MilitaryWeek.aspx](http://www.calvet.ca.gov/Women/MilitaryWeek.aspx). For more information, call (916) 653-1402 or email [womenveterans@calvet.ca.gov](mailto:womenveterans@calvet.ca.gov).

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