

2020 Quilt Project

Our goal is to create an item of collaborative textile art that honors women's history—particularly in relation to the woman's suffrage movement and the people, places, events, and issues that are related to it. The 2020 Quilt celebrates the Centennial Anniversary of the 19th Amendment to the United States Constitution that granted women the right to vote in 1920.

The 2020 Quilt is designed so that each new block may be attached to the growing quilt with ribbons. The 2020 Quilt may be complete with one block or with hundreds of blocks. It is anticipated that the Quilt will be publicly displayed in community centers, libraries, schools, or other public places on request. The whole 2020 Quilt or specific sections may be displayed from time to time. Each individual quilt block will be able to stand out on its own AND mesh wonderfully with the other quilt squares. Each block will tell a story in a unique and creative way. The best part? Any person, group, or organization may create a block for the 2020 Quilt.

Step 1 - Create

Gather materials to create your quilt block, or purchase one of our Kits. In the center of your block, create a design that represents one of the following:

- **A Person, Place, or Event** related to the suffrage movement, social reforms, or women's history.
- **An issue** of "unfinished business" related to the 1848 Declaration of Sentiments, the suffrage movement, or to the women's movement.

Step 2 - Label

When you submit it to us, we want to know who it came from, and what it means to you! Here's an example of how it should be labeled:

Subject: (person, place, event, issue)

Submitted by: (name of person or organization, city/town, state/province, and country)

Artist: (if different from "submitted by" name)

Date: (mm/dd/yy)

Step 3 - Submit

You're almost done! Print out our Submission form, fill it out, and send in your block. Feel free to attach a photo. We will accept a printed image of your block or an image of the artist/organization as well.

- Double check that your quilt block is correctly labeled.
- Take a photograph to send in with your Quilt Block. This can be an image of your block, or the artist, or of the organization submitting the block!
- Print and fill out the registration form. Make sure the information is complete and accurate.
- Sign the form. - *This step is very important.* You must acknowledge that sending us your block means that we own it. (See registration form for more details.)
- Send it! Submit your block and any accompanying documents to the National Susan B. Anthony Museum and House at the following address:

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The National Susan B. Anthony Museum & House
17 Madison Street
Rochester, New York 1460