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## **Happy Freedom Day Sorors!**

Juneteenth holds immense significance and signifies the liberation of all enslaved individuals in Texas, proclaimed by Union General Gordon Granger on June 19, 1865, a staggering two and a half years after President Abraham Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation. Today serves as a reminder of the unceasing struggle for justice and equality.

As I reflect on my candidacy for Chair, 2025 National Nominating Committee, I am also reminded of our sisterhood's responsibility to confront and eradicate racial injustice and inequality and strive towards creating a world that is inclusive for all.

I am committed to working diligently to find and cultivate candidates that are equally as dedicated to continuing the fight for justice that was long denied our ancestors.

## Sincerely in Sisterhood and Service,

Janelle R. Baker, Ph.D.





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