

January 31, 2022

To the Chairman of the Committee on Federal and State Affairs,

I am in full support of SB 179, designating February 15 as Susan B. Anthony Day in the state of Kansas.

It is incumbent upon states to honor persons who have made significant contributions to our nation, be they native born or resided in our state. One such person is Susan B. Anthony with family ties to Kansas and particularly Leavenworth, her efforts in the Suffragette Movement culminated in the passage of the 19th amendment to the Constitution granting the right to vote to women. This prominent event justifiably merits the declaration of a Susan B. Anthony Day in the state of Kansas.

Sincerely,

Sue and Dick Gervasini