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Honoring TRAILBLAZING Women in Labor and Business

Nina Vaca
1971 - Present
Founder and CEO of Pinnacle Group and one of the few Latinas elected to serve as director of a publicly traded company.

Barbara Hackman Franklin
1940 - Present
Harvard Business School graduate pioneered the effort to increase the number of women in government.

Alexis Herman
1947 - Present
Labor leader, youngest director of the Women’s Bureau and appointed Secretary of Labor by President Carter.

Rebecca Anderson
1940 - Present
Founding director of HandMade in America which revitalized and expanded employment opportunities for twenty-five counties in the state of North Carolina.

Norma Yeager
1930 - Present
First woman The stockbroker who paved the way for women in the New York Stock Exchange.

Kate Mullany
1845 - 1906
Formed the nation's first bona fide all-female union when she organized over 300 of her fellow laundresses.

Barbara “Dusty” Roads
1928 - Present
Helped to form the Association of Professional Flight Attendants (APFA) in 1977.

Lilly Ledbetter
1938 - Present
Civil rights activist, fought for equal pay and against sexual harassment.

Addie L. Wyatt
1924 - 2012
An ordained minister, labor and civil rights leader and co-founder of Coalition of Labor Union Women.

Yvonne Walker
1959 - Present
President of SEIU Local 100 and dedicated leader for the fight for economic and social justice.

Andra Rush
1960 - Present
Founder and CEO of Rush Group has made it her mission to “create sustainable job opportunities in underserved communities”.

Maggie Walker
1864 - 1934
A community leader who encouraged individual self-help efforts who chartered the first African American woman bank.

Lucy Gonzalez Parson
1853 - 1942
Labor organizer, radical socialist, and anarchist co-founded the Industrial Workers of the World.