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Dear Friends,

It is a privilege to send greetings to all of you attending the Women's Leadership Conference hosted by Adelphi University. As we gather to participate in the meaningful conference, I would like to recognize the leadership of President Christine M. Riordan, the first woman president of Adelphi University, whose commitment to excellence and empowerment continues to inspire us all.

This year's theme, "The Era of Embracing Change: Dare to Be Extraordinary," resonates with the spirit that defines the America. It is this spirit that fueled my journey into public service, enabling me to enact meaningful change in my community and the state of New York. All of us possesses the capacity for greatness, to defy expectations, and to leave our mark on the world. The key lies in our willingness to embrace change, step out of our comfort zones, and dare to be extraordinary.

I would like to thank today's esteemed keynote speakers Jennifer Hyman, CEO of Rent the Runway, and Kendra Bracken-Ferguson, CEO of BrainTrust, whose remarkable achievements and insights will undoubtedly enrich today's discussions and inspire us to reach new heights of success.

Thank you to all those who have contributed to the success of this event. Your dedication and vision are instrumental in shaping a brighter future for women leaders across industries. Together, let us dare to be extraordinary, embrace change with courage, and empower each other to realize our fullest potential. Please accept my best wishes for a wonderful conference.

Sincerely,

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