

## Constitution Week



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NSDAR poster and  
accompanying [letter](#) from the  
Tulsa Chapter Regent inviting  
Tulsa Librarians to display the  
NSDAR

Constitution Week Poster  
during Sept. 17 – 23, 2010.



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#### AMERICA CELEBRATES U.S.CONSTITUTION

Oldest Document in Active Use that Outlines the Self-government of a People  
DAR Promotes Constitution Week Awareness

Friday, September 17, 2010, begins the national celebration of Constitution Week. The weeklong commemoration of American's most important document is one of our country's least known official observances. Our Constitution stands as a testament to the tenacity of Americans throughout history to maintain their liberties and freedom, and to ensure those unalienable rights to every American.

We are asking you to join us in being a cheerleader for AMERICA and to display this poster in your prominent display case for this week of **Sept 17 – 23, 2010** in your library. If you need a small booklet of

the U.S. Constitution for your display, contact the name and number listed above and our chapter will furnish you with this booklet for your use in this celebration. Our Tulsa Mayor has signed a proclamation declaring the week of Sept. 17 - 23 as CONSTITUTION WEEK in Tulsa.

The tradition of celebrating the Constitution was started many years ago by the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR). In 1955, the Daughters petitioned Congress to set aside Sept. 17 – 23 annually to be dedicated for the observance of Constitution Week. The resolution was later adopted by the U.S. Congress and signed into Public Law #915 on August 2, 1956 by President Dwight D. Eisenhower.

"Constitution Week is the perfect opportunity to read and study this great document which is the safeguard of our American liberties," states DAR National President Merry Ann T. Wright. "We encourage all citizens across the country to take time during this week of Sept. 17 – 23 to reflect on our heritage of freedom."

Thank you for this consideration and the 500 hundred plus DAR Daughters in Tulsa County look forward to seeing this poster and photographing your displays in each of our 25 libraries during this week. For more information about DAR and its programs visit [www.dar.org](http://www.dar.org) or [www.oklahomadar.org](http://www.oklahomadar.org).