

*Resolution form for submission to Texas Democratic Party*

A Resolution ( in support of) ( in opposition to) **Protecting Gender Identity in a comprehensive Non-Discrimination Policy**

WHEREAS

We believe every Texan has the right to participate fully and equally in society as well as the Texas Democratic Party

AND WHEREAS

Transgender Texans suffer pervasive discrimination in employment, housing, public accommodations, and education because of transphobia and a lack of legal protection;

AND WHEREAS

Non-discrimination laws and ordinances such as HERO have failed in the face of unprecedented obstruction and fear-mongering by anti-equality forces equating transgender individuals to sexual predators, despite laws already existing that pertain to physical and sexual assault;

AND WHEREAS

the State of Texas does not have a statewide non-discrimination policy covering public accommodations with particular respect to gender identity,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT

the Texas Democratic Party shall call upon the State Legislature and Congress the passage of comprehensive non-discrimination legislation that would make an individual's gender identity respected at face value rather than create laws that empower people to inquire about an individual's genitals with respect to using public accommodations.

Submitted by \_\_\_\_\_

O Approved by \_\_\_\_\_ County Convention

OR

O Approved by Senate District \_\_\_\_\_ Convention

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