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My family and I support the protection of children born and pre born as well as female only spaces and sports. Women and children must be protected and we are counting on these bills passing!



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I Support this Bill and the new Definition of "Adult Cabaret Performances." We NEED to Protect Our Children and the Community from Sexual Public Exposure and viewing.



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WITNESS NAME: BYRON KEELIN		PHONE NUMBER: 314-402-0655	
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Consensus American societal norms have long held that our children are not capable of bearing the weight of adult sexuality or adult sexual content. Missouri children are being exploited by the progressive trans and grooming agenda and we must make sure Missouri parents are aware of what is being presented to their children. Drag shows are nothing more than adult performance theatre and should be classified as such.



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Protect our children!		



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WITNESS NAME: CATHERINE EPPS		PHONE NUMBER:
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I support this bill



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WITNESS NAME: CINDY DEGGENDORF		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: CINDY REIDY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: CLIF EHLEN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Save our kids and schools and stop pushing all the woks garbage on the children and start teaching real education again, bring back prayer and the pledge to our schools too



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WITNESS NAME: DAN SEXSON		PHONE NUMBER:
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I encourage you to support this bill as it will close some "loopholes" being used by people to subject citizens, including MO's youth, to so-called entertainment that has no God-honoring purpose.



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WITNESS NAME: DARLENE SMITH		PHONE NUMBER:
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Any business allowing drag shows should be designated as a sexually oriented business so that people aren't exposed to such things unaware.



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Submitting my online testimony in support of this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: DEE BRAY		PHONE NUMBER:
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No drag queen shows allowed for minors! Missouri constitution still has anti-Obscenity laws!



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This bill is discriminatory against people who identify as LGBTQ. Drag performance is a legitimate type of performance that is a form of self-expression and not endangering anyone. Let people live their lives and stop spreading hate.



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Please support this Bill. It's the right thing to do for our children and our country. Thank you



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WITNESS NAME: ELIZABETH LANCASTER		PHONE NUMBER:
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WITNESS NAME: ELIZABETH MORSE		PHONE NUMBER:
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WITNESS NAME: ERIC HUFF		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: GERALD E. WISTRAND		PHONE NUMBER:	
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My plea is that your full support be given to this bill with a resounding Yay vote. Now more that ever before we are charged with the responsibility of protecting our most precious citizens—our children, against those who constantly seek to predate on them.



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WITNESS NAME: JANET HENNESSEY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: JANET K MYERS		PHONE NUMBER:
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In alignment with my morals.



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WITNESS NAME: JANET L. DABBS		PHONE NUMBER:
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Please do what you can to protect the innocence of Missouri children. If adults want to see adult things let them do so in adult settings. Children cannot un-see or un-learn what is shoved in their face. They do not have the capacity to fully understand what they are seeing and hearing. Children will be damaged for life by materials/performances that were once kept locked for adult eyes only. Children cannot protect themselves. Children cannot decide for themselves if these materials/performances are appropriate. Do not allow these adults with an agenda to push their twisted behaviors onto children. PLEASE protect our innocent children.



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WITNESS NAME: JIMI TEAGUE		PHONE NUMBER:
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I support this bill.



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As a culture we have an innate responsibility to protect children at all costs against abuse. When we allow sexual deviance such as homosexuality, transgenderism, etc, then we are just as guilty of that abuse. This has to stop.



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Sexuality needs to be kept out of the marketplace. What is happening to our society?



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I support greatly reducing the accessibility of adult cabaret performances, increasing oversight of their operations and/or increasing taxation on them.



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Please save our children. It is well known that the human brain is not fully developed until the age of 25. At that age, an individual can make a truly thought out decision.



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All sexual expression shows belong in adult clubs!		



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Let them sell their smut in dark alleyways and sewers where they belong.



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Cabaret and drag theatre has always been an adult-themed activity that promotes extreme gender stereotypes of women. The performers are hyper sexualized and their content is inappropriate for children. There is no logical reason for them to desire to perform before children other than trying to indoctrinate or groom them. I am a Democrat and I support this bill.



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Please allow this bill to proceed to the House floor. It is well written and provides necessary clarification.



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I am supporting HB 498 - Boyd - SEXUALLY ORIENTED BUSINESSES



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I strongly support passage of HB 498. This is an excellent companion bill to HB 494. With the proliferation of sexually-oriented "adult entertainment" venues, and the explosion of indoctrination activities into sexually deviant practices aimed at young and impressionable children, exemplified by the now infamous "drag queen story hours" guard rails must be put in place to protect children from exposure to this material. Rules and regulations governing where and for whom admittance is permitted to such venues, reinforced with appropriate penalties for their violation are essential to insuring children are not allowed access to them -- even if accompanied by a parent or another adult. For the good of our society and the safety of our children, pass HB 498 immediately!



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We must call a spade a spade in regards to sexually oriented businesses. There are decency laws and they have served us well in the past. They must do the same now. Under age individuals should not be subjected to drag queen performances or story hours. Heard of "grooming"? Grooming of our children sexually includes introducing sexually geared entertainment to children that will break the parent-child bond (parents not respecting children's innocence) thus harm children and thus society. "Grooming" makes children more open to pedophiles and thus endangers children. There is even an organization called "Gays Against Grooming" which acknowledges this.



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Any nightclub, bar, restaurant, or similar commercial enterprise that provides to an audience a drag performance should not be allowed to advertise its location or event.



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I do not support this bill.



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Drag is an expression, and on its own, it is not inherently sexual. This is a direct attack on an artform that is the center of many LGBTQ+ spaces and events. There are drag shows that aren't appropriate for minors, just like there are comedy shows or other forms of entertainment that are not appropriate for minors. However, these are not shows that are taking place in open spaces where children are present. These happen in bars where the audience is limited to those 18 (or more often 21) and up. Passing this legislation will make it so that any drag performance is banned from taking place in public. This is a clear violation of every Missourian's constitutional rights. This is nothing more than an attack on the LGBTQ+ community. Missouri is facing many many many issues that you all are charged with addressing. Instead of making a tiny handful of drag performers your scapegoat, please work to address the crisis facing our foster care systems or the financial crisis forcing many schools to drop to four day weeks. This is not an issue, you are making it one.



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I have lived in Southwest Missouri and then Kansas City for the entirety of my life. I am a woman and I am also a lesbian. But my identity reaches far beyond those two things. Above all else I am a human. As a human I try to show empathy toward my fellow people. I understand that they have different experiences than I do. I understand that never can I know exactly what another person is experiencing. I can, however, let them make the best choices for themselves and their family. The Missouri legislature's obsession with regulating and controlling families in this state is where my empathy ends. Transgender children are not a political prop. They are real humans with needs, emotions, and values of their own. Are they and their families not the ones who should determine their own destiny? Are they not worthy of bodily autonomy? I supposed the bodily autonomy question shouldn't be left up to the MO GOP as we know what happens there. It's a drag show not a gun show where people are actually harmed



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Stop policing consensual adult sexuality and instead focus on more important issues. This is not something the government should get a voice in, period. Sexual exploration is a normal and appropriate stage in life that everyone goes through and you have no right to dictate that.



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I am in opposition to these bills. They do nothing but harm Missouri and it's citizens.



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As a resident of the State of Missouri and voting citizen, I oppose this measure and any measures which limit the rights of those living in my state to pursue life and leisure without harassment. This regulation will inflict harm upon a number of individuals with nearly no benefit to the rest of society. I acknowledge that this issue is complex, and it's handling should be left to the communities which it effects, rather than being decided by blanket edict. This measure is an over-reach by the state into the lives of individuals and seems more like political performance than actual concern for the citizenry. As a conservative-lead house, I would expect more from the party of small government and personal freedoms.



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Testimony of Physicians for Reproductive Health Before Missouri House of Representatives
 Physicians for Reproductive Health (PRH) appreciates the opportunity to testify on HB 170, HB 183, HB 337, HB 419, HB 463, HB 494, HB 498, and HB 540. PRH is a physician-led advocacy organization working to improve access to comprehensive health care, including gender affirming care. Our network includes physicians of all specialties from across the country, including physicians in Missouri, committed to meeting the health care needs of our patients. We are strongly opposed to these dangerous bills as they are not based in science, require providers to stop lifesaving medical care, and would interfere in not only the patient-provider relationship, but in Missourians ability to be healthy. Gender affirming care is just that; health care. As actual physicians who know the evidence and science behind gender affirming care, we know that the care we provide is not a political stunt like the one the House is pulling today; we are meeting the needs of people of all ages in our state as they come to us for support and health care. Gender-affirming care is any health care that centers and acknowledges the gender identity of the patient. This includes primary care, reproductive care, and any other health service where the patient's gender identity is respected by medical providers. Cisgender people get gender-affirming care every time they go to their doctor: care that believes who they are, trusts their needs, and is in alignment with who they know themselves to be. Transgender, non-binary, and gender diverse individuals of all ages deserve gender-affirming care too. Gender-affirming care is safe, essential, life-saving health care that allows transgender and non-binary people to live their full and authentic lives. Leading medical organizations including the American Academy for Pediatrics, American Medical Association, American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, Endocrine Society, Pediatric Endocrine Society and World Professional Association for Transgender Youth support gender-affirming care for transgender and non-binary people. Bans and restrictions on this essential health care make patients and our communities less safe and healthy, and denies them access to the full range of the quality, compassionate, health care they deserve. The data repeatedly shows us that transgender and nonbinary youth are at an increased risk of depression and suicidal ideation compared to other young people, with recent studies finding that 66-72% of transgender youth are depressed and half considered suicide. Your proposed policies are directly harming the mental health and well-being of our community. The political dramatization of the "harm" that transgender people, queer people, and their rights have on communities is dangerous. LGBTQ people are no threat to the health and safety of communities. The real threat to the health and safety of communities is sitting here in this very room: the legislators working to pass these coercive, controlling, and misinformed pieces of legislation. The last-minute hearing on these bills makes it all the more clear that this was never about getting evidence-based information about LGBTQ communities and instead about trying to pass legislation filled with shameful lies fueled by transphobic and homophobic rhetoric. All people, no

matter their age or gender identity, should be able to attend school, play sports, and access health care in ways that affirm who they are. Bans targeting transgender youth sports participation are rooted in false discriminatory rhetoric. A person's gender identity may or may not be consistent with the sex someone was assigned at birth. Gender identity is central to how young people perceive themselves, and it is critical they are supported. When transgender and non-binary youth are affirmed by the people around them, their rates of depression and suicide drop significantly. Forcing young people to compete in sports that do not align with their gender identity is directly harmful to their well-being. There is also no evidence that allowing transgender student athletes to participate on the team that aligns with their gender identity would affect the fairness or the sport. Instead of passing legislation that puts the health care, dignity, and safety for trans people at risk, lawmakers should listen to trans people and the medical professionals who work directly with them, who understand the life-changing, positive impact of ensuring that they can access the gender-affirming care they need. We are the doctors who take care of your constituents. Believe us. Listen to us. Respect science and medicine. The wellbeing of your constituents, and of our patients, depends on it. Reject HB 170, HB 183, HB 337, HB 419, HB 463, HB 494, HB 498, and HB 540.



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Laws like this are only being introduced to target marginalized communities, specifically the Trans community. Your legislators have Trans hate on the brain and only care about making sure that Trans people are hurt and erased from society. That will not happen though. You can write down as much legislation as you want to and they will still exist and they will still persist in life. Focus on the actual important things in Missouri like making sure workers are actually making a living wage and stop trying to target Trans people.



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Wow! This house bill is offensive. Now the government is trying to control private businesses? As a school counselor to see this bill is offensive and appalling. The government has no place to tell businesses on what kind of business people can own.



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Horrible anti-LGBTQ+ bills that only serve as a distraction to the real problems that face Missourians, including but not limited to: lack of reproductive healthcare, gun control, lowest teacher pay in the nation, 4 day school weeks, and more. Please oppose these dangerous bills.



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The purpose of these bills is to promolgate transphobic sentiment, and force people to detransition, move, or live in hiding. There is no other pupose than to go against medical science in order to promote an outdated ideology. This is a clear violation of the constiuation, and this sham hearing scheduled with just over 24 hours notice with a storm coming in has been scheduled to minimize public comment. You know what you are doing, and should be ashamed. These bills will directly lead to children and adults having deteriorating mental health up to attempting suicide. These bills will promote hatred of trans people, and we already have plenty of that. Are you ready for the blood on your hands? Are you gleeful for the children who will surely take their own lives? With these bills, you are telling trans people you would rather them die, hide, or leave than live as your neighbors. There's a saying in Missouri: Salus populi suprema lex esto. It means "the welfare of the people shall be the supreme law." It's our state motto. I say these obvious things that I believe you know, but you seem to have forgotten. You are not saving children, you are not saving the people of Missouri. You are working to the detriment of our neighbors, our friends, our kids, and ourselves out of fear. In the strongest possible terms, I urge you to vote against this legislation for the sake of our kids, and our future.



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Do Missouri lawmakers have anything better to do, like I don't know, attract more businesses? Way to show you care nothing for the people and only for your own bigoted views than with this homophobic, big government intervention dictating what individuals can and cannot do. And the GOP call themselves the "party of small government and responsibility" More like the American version of the Taliban. Is that what you want Missouri to be like, the Taliban?



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As others have stated publicly, Hooters is more sexual than many drag performances, and yet they are unaffected by this legislation. One can only conclude that this bill is not a serious answer to a serious problem, but an attempt to manufacture outrage and promote ignorance.



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I oppose this piece of legislation.



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Leave our kids alone. Adults picking on kids is pathetic. If you want to help kids, pass gun control legislation instead.



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This piece of legislation takes "drag" performances out of context. This is also setting precedence for no dress up, costumes, plays, recitals, etc. in community schools, theaters, or venues (which affects non drag performers). This legislation also removes choice from parents and businesses to decide what is appropriate and who the patrons will be. It does nothing but harm communities. This bill is fear mongering.



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I am so embarrassed to be born in and a resident of Missouri. Missouri legislators consistently fight against the humanity of the residents that live here. It is not the business of the state to be involved in sports. They need to be in the business of ensuring that the people that live in Missouri have proper wages and healthcare. Something that they seem incapable of doing.



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If this bill is passed, Hooters Twin peaks and Tilted Kilt and other similar establishments need to be classified as sexually oriented businesses and thus restricted based on age.



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Gender affirming care saves lives.



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And this is what HB 494 is really about. Baselessly, and without scientific support, defining what "sex" means while effectively banning drag performances statewide. You people call the GOP the party of "small government". You're a bunch of liars. You lie every single day you speak on this topic. You do it knowingly and you do it maliciously. That statement applies to every single law you've introduced today. You are the party of "big brother" and totalitarianism. You are the party of tyranny and evil. You waste state resources on your nonsense culture warfare while our healthcare outcomes flounder, drug addiction runs rampant, and people struggle to exist below the poverty line. Get a grip with reality and actually take care of your constituents for once.



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This bill is targeted, intentional, and cruel. The scale and scope of the harm laced in this bill is unprecedented. It targets, isolates, and attacks our most vulnerable population. We should NOT be criminalizing drag shows. This is a waste of taxpayer dollars. In a state where we regularly prioritize individual rights over personal safety (helmet law/lack of gun regulation), this issue should die in committee.



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I strongly oppose this bill. The bill is hateful and harmful to LGBTQ people.



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Please leave our LGBTQ+ kids and families alone. This isn't on your Republican Governor's list of priorities. This is nothing more than an ALEC copy and paste mandate that has nothing to do with improving the quality of life for Missourians. Talk about how you're going to manage our once-in-a-lifetime budget surplus and stop attempting to legislate a problem that doesn't exist.



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I fully oppose reclassifying drag shows as some sort of adult performance in need of further regulation or red tape prohibiting the artists' freedom of expression and restricting businesses from booking acts or activities in line with customer demand. If there is nudity or adult content, the laws on the books are adequate. These performers are artists who support local businesses and communities all over Missouri, and simply wear costumes. Frankly, it would be embarrassing for Missouri legislators to admit that they don't know the difference between an adult and drag performance, but this law has nothing to do with what legislators actually believe. It's an attempt at erasure, more government control over Missourians and their bodies, and an attempt to silence communities that don't politically support the legislators in power. This is a well-coordinated attack against artists, their communities, the LGBTQ+ community, and Missouri taxpayers who ask for more freedom from unnecessary government interference and undue regulation.



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As a transgender performer, I am strongly opposed to this bill, which could put my livelihood at risk by disallowing me to perform without it being considered "sexually deviant" or whatever you morons are parroting these days, all because of my gender identity makes you uncomfortable. You're cowards and embarrassments to your state and country, and God will judge you far more harshly than I have done.



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I oppose this bill.



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This bill is just hateful. Your attempts to sexualize something that isn't sexual is just a distraction. Your attempts to ban the very idea of looking like a gender that differs from one's biological sex is nothing sort of starting to ban the existence of LGBTQ+ people. Banning a person from existing is genocide. Plain and simple. PLEASE vote no on HB 498



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WITNESS NAME: CHARLIE VILLHARD		PHONE NUMBER:
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I oppose this bill because it stigmatizes the transgender community and is a solution in search of a problem. (Laws already exist to protect minors from explicit performances)



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I am the mother of a transgender child. His name is Chase. He always entertains us with his dry sense of humor. He is a straight A student. He is a member of future farmers of America (FFA) and even raised the cow that is currently feeding our family. He is building and painting sets for the high school play. He loves animals and calms every dog, cat, and mule he's ever pet. He cares for his siblings dearly and makes them homemade gifts on holidays. He loves being outdoors and is at ease kayaking our local rivers. As Chase would tell you himself, being transgender is the least interesting thing about him. He is so many other things. Its not a topic of conversation among his friends it school. It doesn't matter and his peers don't care. He's just Chase. A teenager in high school trying to become a happy and successful adult like everyone else. These bills attacking LBGTQIA+ youth in Missouri are inhumane, morally wrong, and full of misinformation. Offering "affirmation care," does not mean sex change. There are about a million steps in between a trans person coming out and surgery. And I can assure you, that we are not "coercing" our children into surgery. What we are doing is listening to them, finding counselors, psychiatrists, support groups, and anything else we can to support our children. These are all examples of affirmation care. With so many major issues impacting our state (poverty, education, crime, infrastructure), why is there so much attention/attacking on a group that is less than 1% of the population? If we are so concerned about our youth, why do we rank so low in child poverty and education? I encourage you to protect your child by any means you believe are right for them. I encourage you to protect my child with your vote. "This is a political mission that doesn't actually protect youth, but further defends the fears and phobias of some adults," Justice Horn



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This bill is senseless and a waste of time and taxpayer money.



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This proposed law would Not provide any benefit or protection to Missouri shoppers. It is clear attack on the LGTB+ Community



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Stop wasting taxpayer money assaulting individuals' identities just because it makes you uncomfortable. Religiously-motivated laws have no place in American government.



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My name is Chris Lehman. I'm a cofounder of Nclusion Plus and I'm against each of these bills today. I'd like to offer my testimony because it's important that you understand more than your own lived experience and that you equitably & equally represent all of your constituents. You and I enjoy so many luxuries and privileges that others don't. The fact you each sit on that governmental throne is a testament to how you understood to leverage relationships, be in the right rooms at the right time, say the right things and surely at some point, you have had to censor what you wanted to do at the potential risk someone wouldn't agree with your lifestyle choice. Of all the things we could be doing. The bigger battles we could fight, the people we could use this time and resource to help- you all decide to expedite the kicking of an LGBTQIA+ person when they're down. There is a way to host all-ages appropriate drag shows for families and their loved ones to attend and enjoy the entertainment. LGBTQ art and culture is essential to our mental health wellbeing, social skill development, and in preventing suicide. You all do it on Sunday in church and we do it this way. If drag was our religion you couldn't infringe. Consider me drag-religious and this an attack on my beliefs. Before I go... I have to ask... what will your reflection on this vote be in a decade or two if you find out one of your own family identifies as gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, or anywhere along the spectrum?



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Criminalizing a drag performance performance is criminalizing art which violates free speech which will lead to court battles that Missouri can ill afford and will eventually loose.



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This is NOT what the people of Missouri wants.



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Please stop feeding hate through legislation.



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Vote NO on this bill. The legislature should stay in your lane. Your duty is to legislate to make lives better not to interfere with lives.



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This legislative session in Missouri is the most dangerous one we've seen in many years. Missouri has the dishonorable position of having introduced the most anti-LGBTQ bills of any state so far this year. I thought America was founded on principles of freedom, life, liberty, and pursuit of happiness. Maybe it's supposed to be, but the current Missouri legislature is working hard to target and oppress a minority group of people and children, who want nothing more than the rights and opportunities afforded to the rest of the country. They have a hard enough time in life, without the state government actively searching for ways to cause them more harm. This is a targeted hateful overreach and the Missouri government does not belong in Missouri families lives. All kids deserve to play sports as the gender they identify as. Kids' aren't losing out opportunities to be a professional, college scholarships or anything remotely like that, due to a few transgender kids that want to play sports. This is a non-issue in the state of Missouri, and an excuse for some lawmakers to target a vulnerable group of children. This state has so many more problems that need addressing than whether a transgender kid or two want to play a sport. Go fix some real problems in Missouri that require critical thinking, rather than picking on kids and family civil liberties. Missouri kids should be allowed to get treatment that the American Medical Association advocates for in this country. There is no place for the Missouri government to interject itself in to family medical decisions and civil liberties of the citizens. Missouri lawmakers should be working towards advancing all healthcare, not regressing it because some people don't understand it, or have personal experience. These bills will contribute to a downward trend of overall medical care, as quality doctors will leave the state, and new ones will not want to come in. The bill targeting adult cabaret performances is another solution in search of a real problem. There is no issue here, and Missourians are free to ignore and not attend performances they aren't interested in. This is another excuse to target a minority group of people, in order to take away their civil liberties, and damage their lives and other career opportunities. If these hateful bills become law, more businesses will leave the state. More people will leave the state. More money will leave the state. Fewer people and business will come to this state. I have lived almost my entire life in Missouri and have been proud to be from Missouri. However, I've watched sports teams leave for better opportunities and thrive. I've seen businesses leave for better opportunities and take jobs with them and thrive. I don't want to watch the state become more hateful, and become an more oppressive place, forcing more people to flee. Missouri doesn't have the same resources and allure of many other states in America. It has to work harder to compete. Don't give people and business another reason to leave or avoid Missouri. Please don't advance or pass HB 170, HB 183, HB 337, HB 419, HB 463, HB 540, and HB 498. Get rid of them and any other copycat bills like them. They are bad for the people of Missouri and they are bad for the business of Missouri. There is no place for this hate in Missouri, regardless of political party. All Americans and Missourians should be free to be who they want to be,

and live how they want to live.



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This bill limits human expression in a way that should be appalling to anyone who claims to care about freedom of speech. These businesses and performers are exercising this rights and not hurting anyone. These bills meant to restrict the way people live are a clear step toward further and harsher restrictions on the ability of citizens to exist in public at all.



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A Republican state trying to stop business? What harm is a sexually oriented business doing to a neighborhood? The corner store sells cigarettes and alcohol, which does so much damage to our society. Cigarettes cause the user cancer and second-hand smoke can cause asthma and cancer in others. Alcohol can lead to domestic violence, rape, and murder, yet this substance is freely available to everyone, including children. Understanding more about one's sexuality is important to their mental health. Demonizing and weaponizing sex does no one any good.



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I am in opposition to this bill



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I oppose this bill.



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Not all drag performances are adult in nature, just like not all plays, concerts, movies, music, games and all other forms of entertainment. Parents are the arbiter of deciding whether kids can see other forms of entertainment. Opposite gender dressing (drag) has been around for thousands of years; it's as old as Greek theater. Shakespeare employs it in As You Like It. These bills mention "prurient interests" which is a hugely subjective paradigm. What is prurient to one has no effect on another, or even repulsive. Prejudging what someone finds "prurient" is a dangerous thing. Additionally, what one family finds hugely offensive and not for children, other families are fine with. My dearest friend would not let her daughter, just 6 mos older than my son, see Finding Nemo or Elf. They, in turn let me know they thought I should not let my then 7 year old son see Lord of the Rings Fellowship of the Ring or Star Wars, or read all of Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire. But you know what? My right as a parent was to ignore their judgement and move on. My son is just fine at nearly 25. So I guess all the idea of parental rights applies to only SOME parents and SOME rights. Would I take a minor to a "drag performance"? Depends on the content. If it was what was performed in CPS recently, sure. That was some performers dancing and singing in sparkly, fancy clothes, nothing more. This bill is anti-LGBTQIA+ plain and simple. I think that some folks are conflating transgender (which just TERRIFY them) and drag performers. Not all drag performers are transgender. This bill broadly defines "drag" to the point where I am hoping this bill doesn't pass at all, but if it does that it doesn't before the end of March because I have ticket to Tootsie at the Fox and need to know whom I can invite to attend with me.



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January 24, 2023 Dear Chair Riley and the committee: On behalf of American Booksellers for Free Expression (ABFE), the free speech initiative of the American Booksellers Association – the not-for-profit trade association of independent bookstores across the country, including Missouri – I am writing today in opposition to H.B. 498. H.B. 498 deems any business that hosts a “drag performance” to be a sexually oriented business and as such subject to the same regulations as any sexually oriented business. Drag performance is defined as anytime a person performs before an audience dressed or using makeup to appear to be a gender other than as the one on their birth certificate. Bookstores are a crucial part of the fabric of its community and a hub for the very American ideal of free expression. The shelves of bookstores contain a wide and countless array of voices and stories, and a book that one customer may find objectionable, another customer may deem to be a classic, and vice versa. The events a bookstore holds mirrors this conviction to free expression and diversity. But independent bookstores, like so many small businesses, operate with tight profit margins—and that is why many bookstores rely on events to attract customers and provide their communities with a space to gather and hear new businesses. And some bookstores sell food and/or alcoholic beverages. If this bill were to become law, and a bookstore were to feature a reading or an appearance by an author like RuPaul or Dame Edna, the bookstore could run afoul of the law. It could subject the bookstore to the same regulations as a sexually oriented business, thereby limiting the hours they can be open and it may mean the employees have to be registered with the state. It could potentially mean that a bookstore would not be allowed to admit anyone under the age of 21 years of age. We oppose this bill as it could threaten many bookstores with making a choice between turning away authors or turning away customers. I urge the committee to oppose this bill. I appreciate the opportunity to share our concerns with the committee. I am available to discuss our concerns in greater detail if that would be helpful. Sincerely, David Grogan, Director American Booksellers for Free Expression, Advocacy & Public Policy American Booksellers Association 333 Westchester Ave, S202 White Plains, NY 10604



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Absolutely do not do this. Besides being an absolute 'government overreach', something Republicans are supposed to be against, it's based on false premises, fear, and lies. Drag shows are safe for all attendees - unless somebody with a gun shows up to try to stop them.



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When the outrage over drag performers reading books to children first cropped up, I was one of many people who rolled our eyes, because we simply cannot fathom what is so frightening about children sitting in front of a person wearing bright, flashy clothes and over-the-top makeup. We especially struggled to understand the anger when children were being entertained with books...developing a love of reading and storytelling.If you don't appreciate drag as an art, don't go to a drag show. The solution to this feigned moral crisis and outrage is simple.But like so many other bills that are being discussed today, these bills were written out of a disdain and loathing for the existence of LGBTQ people. It's also that simple.These bills are written to be purposefully vague. Who gets to decide what is a "prurient interest"? What exactly does "similar entertainers, regardless of whether performed for consideration" mean? Those could easily be interpreted by someone who denies the humanity of a transgender person to claim that a trans woman's very presence in public is prurient because they view the trans experience as a sexual one. It isn't, by the way. And what about acts not performed for consideration, like a transgender student getting a role in a school play or a trans person singing along while attending the concert of their favorite singer...a singer who very well might have some performance attire that bends some gender rules?Morality can not be legislated. That's a rather common phrase in US politics, and conservatives love to argue that morality can in fact be legislated and point to many laws as evidence. The problem lies in what is deemed moral and who gets to decide. I don't believe there is any moral crisis when drag performers gets decked out and put on an amazing show. I don't believe there is any moral crisis when one of those drag performers reads to children. I don't believe there is a moral crisis when a parent chooses to take a minor child to a performance. I don't believe there is a moral crisis when people wear clothing or make-up that helps them feel good, because clothing and make-up have no gender. I do, however, view it as a moral crisis when those in power target certain groups of people and insert themselves into their lives without need. Especially when those people in power want to attach criminal charges to performance art. Especially when those people in power write potential laws in such an open, vague way that a small community of people — trans people — will be caught up in hysteria over policing new gender rules and targeted as well.



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I know firsthand that whenever a show is being put together and advertised the audience knows well in advance if it is an 18 and older show or if it is a 21 or older show or if it is a family-friendly show. I know that anytime that it is advertised for a show they make sure that audience is well aware.



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So, no Shakespeare? Many plays have fun with people impersonating the opposite sex. This is simply silly.



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LGBTQIA+ people are people and deserve rights, not intrusion and persecution.**



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I urge you to stand strong in support of LGBTQ rights. Stop wasting taxpayer time and money on frivolous bills that would harm the rights of Missourians. There are plenty of issues that need your attention. Please direct your attention to helping the citizens of Missouri instead of attacking innocent people who are already marginalized.



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I do not support.



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Drag isn't inherently sexual and this is a straightforward first amendment violation; prepare to get sued.



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I am writing in serious opposition to the following bills: HB183, HB337, HB419, HB463, HB540, HB494, HB498. As a parent, it is upsetting to me that my friends whose children don't identify as binary or cisgender, would be targeted in such a way. It is firmly understood in the scientific and medical community that these people exist. They exist, and they identify themselves when they are CHILDREN. The only way to keep them safe from self-harm is to affirm their identities. The only way to keep them safe from harm from others is to build tolerance and allow them to be seen and understood. By attacking these children's capacity to participate in extra-curricular activities and to seek medical treatment (which is again, well documented as life-SAVING treatment), you are in a very real sense, erasing them. I beg you to do some actual research into transgender and non-binary children and adults. Please, look at the vast evidence we have at our disposal of how to keep ALL children safe and properly cared for. As a legislator, I think it's important to always consider the following about proposed laws: Who does this help? Who does this harm? These bills do nothing to help your constituents. All they do is harm. Thank you, Gina LaRose



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The only people who are sexualizing drag shows are the folks putting forth useless legislation like this. Please get your mind out of other people's pants and back onto actual problems in your state that you have the power to help solve.



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Drag is, by definition, self-expression in the boldest way and has acceptance built in so for young audiences to see it, enjoy it, and validate it, adds real value to their broadening perspectives. There is nothing inherently sexual about a drag show and this bill goes directly against the first amendment of the constitution of the united states.



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Well there goes the classic theater! What is this absolute joke of a bill? This bill wants it to be a sex business to put on a wig and heels now? I guess they've never heard about our founding fathers.



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This is so dumb. Vote no. Businesses such as libraries and restaurants that host drag performances for all ages are not sexually oriented businesses and should not be defined as such.



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This bill is a hate act against humans in Missouri who you are supposed to help and protect. Do better.



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These bills attacking LBGTQIA+ youth in Missouri are inhumane, morally wrong, and full of misinformation.



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I oppose



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I am writing as a business owner as well as an individual. I own an event venue and have worked with the NClusion+ organization for the past 18 months, hosting drag performances. I have had nothing but completely positive and professional experiences with them and their audiences. I fully support the right of any human being to express themselves via the art of drag and cabaret. I also defend my own right to host said performances and performers within my own privately owned business. I have witnessed performances that are for 18+ audiences and for 18 and under, as well, and the artists definitely know what is appropriate when and where, and comply with the setting. They are no different than any other singer, dancer or entertainer. There is absolutely nothing nefarious or predatory about what they do. I feel very protective of this group because many of them are like sons and daughters to me. I appeal to your sense of humanity - realize that these are decent, intelligent, talented people who simply wish to express themselves and uplift others through this art form.



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I oppose these anti-LGBTQ bills. Queer people aren't hurting your families, but this bill would hurt a vulnerable population. Vote NO! Equal treatment under the law.



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Hello, I am writing to you as a resident of your district, a public school educator, and a School Social Worker/mental health professional. I would like to express my opposition to the following proposed House Bills that will limit vulnerable students' rights and have the potential to cause harm to the community we live in. I think these bill will have significant harm towards LGBTQ people and the community so I oppose this bill.



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These bills are disgusting, and I am embarrassed to be a Missourian if this is how we even think about treating other people. Passing these bills would be extremely harmful to vulnerable people.



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I grew up with Hee Haw full of sexual innuendo and women scantily clad. My grandmother loved Jack Lemmon, Milton Burle, Jonathon Winters; all of whom dressed in drag. If you're going to police drag shows and children's exposure to drag, I assume you will be policing the advertisement of "adult" super stores and jiggle shows that litter Hwy 70 between Columbia and KC or the football cheerleaders because...you know....the children. For a bunch of people who can't seem to complete a sentence without professing the word "freedom", you sure seem interested in restricting everyone else's freedom.



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I'm deeply concerned by all of these bills and am writing in opposition to all. I strongly support diversity and inclusion and these bills do the exact opposite. I beg you to stand up for what is right and fair and just for the LGBTQ community.



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We oppose HB498 and we have concerns about Rep Boyd's obsession with sex. We highly encourage Rep Boyd to access the tax payer supported health care available to you to get therapy or whatever you need. Thank you.



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My name is Eury Speir and I stand in opposition to this bill and HB 494. The definitions put forth in this bill are purposefully vague in an attempt to, not only criminalize drag performers, but any individual who would wear a clothing item that did not align with their assigned gender at birth who would perform in any performance. Those performances could include musicals, theater, movies, TV shows, and more. This bill is dangerous and I implore you to vote no.



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Drag shows are not harmful, or pornographic. They are not harmful to children. full stop



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What determines if a business is sexually oriented? Who decides this? This could be a right to privacy issue.



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Drag is a creative, fun, and beautiful form of art. Shakespearean actors dressed in gender-play costumes, as only men were allowed to act and therefore played female characters. On Halloween, the population at large dresses in costume, as do actors in theater, television, and movies. Yet this form of art, pageantry, dance, and performance with particular significance to the LGBTQIA+ community and its artists have been specifically targeted by the state legislator, who wishes to impede upon first amendment rights to control this freedom of expression. Drag is a form of art that is liberating for many LGBTQIA+ people with deep cultural and emotional significance. Not only will banning it hurt people, but even introducing such a bill also further marginalizes this community by creating stigma, which has lead to violence, as we've seen with many anti-LGBTQIA+ shootings and murders. This bill will kill. Please oppose it.



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EMAIL: genevieve@g-ink.com	ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 1/24/2023 5:01 PM

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This bill is ridiculous. It's clear the author of the bill has never been to the type of business and performance/reading mentioned in this bill. I am a parent and I would be far more concerned about sending my child to a church than to see an LGBTQ performance or reading. I'm disgusted by the hate and bigotry coming from my Missouri Congress.



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Hello. I am a St. Louis, Missouri born-and-raised resident, and I am opposed to all of your policies attempting to eliminate transgender and queer people from our state. I am a 22-year-old transgender man, and I live every day fulfilled and loved as the man I was meant to be. Everything you are citing and saying are conspiracy theories fueled by hate and the need to control bodies that are not yours. I hope that recognize the error of your ways and listen to the people about whom you speak.



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EMAIL: goldgoot@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 1/24/2023 3:27 PM

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Drag shows are not sexual. They are not a danger to society or those that participate in them. They are meant to be fun, open to all, and a welcoming place. This bill seeks to fight a made up problem to push a fascist agenda.



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WITNESS NAME: GLENDA BAINBRIDGE		PHONE NUMBER:
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These bills will result in children's death and self harm. Children have a right to be who they are and when adults deny them the ability of self determination and experience of diversity, you politicians are in fact stopping their ability to grow and develop in a healthy manner. You politicians are brainwashing children. These bills will harm children and and everyone in my family oppose these bills.



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WITNESS NAME: GRACE GOMEZ-PALACIO		PHONE NUMBER:
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EMAIL: ggomezpalacio.u@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 1/24/2023 3:29 PM
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All this does is show off how terrified you all are of LGBTQ+ people, who are hurting no one and participating in fun, harmless culture. Stop trying to restrict this, and stop equating every action a queer person takes to something that is purely sexual or inappropriate. We are not monsters. We are capable adults and talented performers who deserve the same rights to freedom of expression as anyone else.



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Lol how can a business be sexually oriented? Is it like how closely held corporations can have religious beliefs too? Jokes aside, please focus on legitimate problems facing Missouri right now. Like, I don't know, us being the #5 state to administer the death penalty and 4-day school weeks.



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I oppose this legislation as it targets and harms LGBTQIA+ Missourians.



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I oppose this bill.



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I am a citizen of this state, concerned about the well-being of our youth and families affected by the 8 bills scheduled for the hearing this afternoon. This bill, in addition to the others on the schedule today, January 24, 2023, would take away the freedom to access gender-affirming health care, legislate kids' sports and ban trans kids from playing sports where most appropriate, and would attack drag shows. We have REAL issues in this state and these bills are a cruel distraction from solving real problems Missourians are facing. These bills would have real-life tragic consequences for youth, families, and businesses in this state.



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I oppose this legislation.



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WITNESS NAME: JASON MICHAEL GOBER		PHONE NUMBER:
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EMAIL: gober91@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 1/24/2023 3:57 PM
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HB 494 and 498Hello,With both of these bills, once again, we have a solution in search of a problem. I have never witnessed the things described in this bill, nor have I spoken with anyone who has witnessed the things described in this bill. Public nudity is already illegal. The text of HB 494 refers to "male or female impersonators who ... appeal to a prurient interest". How could this ever be determined? How could the legislature determine what is and isn't a prurient interest? The legislature's obsession with sexual matters and restrictions is alarming, and reminds one of right-wing movements and dictators throughout history taking an unwanted, unneeded and potentially damaging interest in the freedom of expression of its citizens and voters.These bills are nothing more than red meat for the Republican base, cynical bills that will only result in reducing the freedoms of the masses under the guise of "protecting our children", who are currently being victimized by purposely underfunded schools. I oppose these bills for these reasons.Thanks, Jason Gober



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EMAIL: jstirlen@hotmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 1/23/2023 9:34 PM
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Waste of time, do something productive.



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The definition offered in the bill summary indicates that these people have no understanding of performance in general. Many stories, including innocent children's stories, include, e.g., a girl dressing as a boy. Do you mean to prohibit stories about women who served as doctors or soldiers and had to pretend to be men?[a drag performance, meaning a performance in which a performer exhibits a gender different from the biological sex as assigned at birth.]



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WITNESS NAME: JEN BERNSTEIN		PHONE NUMBER: 314-277-9080
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME: NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN ST. LOUIS		TITLE: ADVOCACY MANAGER
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CITY: ST. LOUIS		STATE: MO
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EMAIL: jbernstein@ncjwstl.org	ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 1/23/2023 7:26 PM

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My name is Jen Bernstein, and I am submitting this testimony in opposition of HB 498 on behalf of the National Council of Jewish Women St. Louis (NCJWSTL). NCJWSTL is a non-profit organization in metropolitan St. Louis, representing over 5,000 members and supporters throughout the state. We focus our work on community service, advocacy, education and philanthropy to improve the quality of life for women, children and families while supporting individual and civil rights, and have been doing so since 1895. We are opposed to this bill because the Missouri legislature should have better things to do and let parents decide if we want our kids to see a drag show or not. Drag has also been a part of entertainment for centuries - Shakespeare famously utilized it.



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WITNESS NAME: JENNA ROBERSON		PHONE NUMBER:
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EMAIL: jroberson1181@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 1/23/2023 9:26 PM

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Its very conservative of you to tell businesses how they should be classified. Tax paying people don't need a babysitter government.



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EMAIL: poetryaddict@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 1/24/2023 2:45 PM
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Cabaret, drag, and other like performances are not inherently sexual and have nothing to do with the transgender community! It is a performance, source of income, and way of life, not unlike being an actor or politician. The people in opposition to any of the above clearly demonstrate their ignorance within those communities and should not be a representative of the MO people.



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I am opposed to this bill. This bill defines "drag performance" so ambiguously, it will prevent many churches from putting on nativity performances if their congregation is small enough that they need to rely on girls to play some of the shepherds and wise men.



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Now the government wants to control drag shows? Have you ever been to one? Let me tell you as an openly lesbian married woman, to be surrounded by my family, drinking, laughing, cheering and having a good time, there is nothing like it. Shows like this are a sense of pride and makes us feel safe. You should be ashamed of yourself Sponsor Boyd.



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For what purpose would you ban a bar where drag performances happen other than to oppress the LGBTQIA+ community? For what purpose would you be against drag performances unless you were against the LGBTQIA+ community being able to be fully autonomous adult citizens? Do you not realize Boyd that some of your constituents are part of the LGBTQIA+ community? Do you really think you are doing the lord's work by working to oppress people? You think this is what Jesus would want you to do? That is a Jesus I do not know because my lord is a loving one.



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You are dehumanizing the LGBTQIA community and we we not STAND for it. You have no right to decide whether another human has a right or not.



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Stop the madness



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This bill is horrible.



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Drag is not inherently sexual. Drag is performance art that has been widely practiced for hundreds of years. This is nothing more than an attack on the LGBTQ community hidden by a "moral" compass. Another in a long history if it.



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I oppose this ridiculous bill.



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I am opposition to this bill. This is despicable.



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Does this mean children can't perform in opposite gender theater roles without getting their school deemed a sexually oriented business? Can you even define what drag is or are we just telling people what clothes and hairstyles they can and can't wear in public at this point? Quit wasting the public's time with these oppressive bills and go solve a real problem.



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I have concerns that this will violate the first amendment rights of the performers as this is an artistic performance. The way this is defined, Shakespearean plays as originally performed would have had the Globe Theatre labeled as a Sexually Oriented Business due to all actors being male. I am ashamed of Missourians trying to legislate in bigotry and hatred.



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I am opposed to this bill.



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I am opposed to this proposed legislation that would restrict the entertainment performance opportunities of persons by restricting their access to such opportunities on the basis of sexual identity. As a longtime Missouri resident, I have watched this state fail to evolve culturally and socially due to an unhealthy desire by the state legislature to adhere to antiquated Judeo-Christian values that they impose on its citizenry. This bill would further that degeneration by implicitly telling potential performers that they must adhere to this strict set of values or lose their livelihood. This proposed bill, which incorporates "drag performance" and includes references and definitions that identify gender non-conforming individuals as targets, restricts opportunities for said individuals to engage in a specific type of performance that has not been considered obscene or pornographic by the U.S. Supreme Court. In doing so, it restricts these persons' employment opportunities. The language reflects a bias that is outlawed by the Civil Rights Act of 1964.



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A drag performance is not at all a “sexual” act - the performers typically wear multiple layers and never show genitalia or breasts. Classifying business with harmless drag performances in the same category as strip clubs will negatively impact local small business owners and the economy.



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This bill exists to promote a moral panic about trans people. Trans people have existed for all of humanity, and they deserve to be treated with dignity and respect. This bill is also poorly worded and unclear; "a performance in which a performer exhibits a gender different from the biological sex as assigned at birth" does not define what gender is or how one "exhibits" it. What's more, this bill seems like it would potentially outlaw public enjoyment of such classic films as "Mrs. Doubtfire," "She's the Man", and the animated "Mulan" among others. Would it also outlaw performances of classic Shakespearean plays that include characters in disguise as the opposite sex?



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As a member of the Missouri queer community, and someone who knows a number of drag queens and has attended many drag shows, I can testify that drag is not an inherently sexual performance. It provides community support and self-expression and produces no material harm to children.



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I am in opposition to this bill.



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I am in opposition of this. It's anti-LGBTQ+.



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I am opposed to this bill.



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This is a pointless and transparent effort to jump on the "drag queens are dangerous" train. Drag queens are not and have never been a problem. You would know that if you had spent even a moment of time trying to get to know the vibrant, creative souls that make up the community.



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Yet another bill that is directly discriminating against our citizens and businesses. This would directly negatively impact the trans and lgbtqia+ community simply for freedom of expression.



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I oppose the anti-athlete bills (HB 170, HB 183, and HB 337), government overreach bills (HB 419, 463, and 540), and the anti-free expression bills (HB 494 and 498). These do not address real problems in our state and will harm me and my family.



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My name is Dr. Kerri Schafer and I live in Columbia, MO. I am a licensed psychologist, working with college students at the MU Counseling Center and on the board of The Center Project, Mid-Missouri's first and only LGBTQ community center. I oppose this bill. Drag is a creative and playful art form that people can choose to attend or not to attend. We don't need government input into defining drag or deciding who should be in attendance at a performance. Opposition to drag seems to be largely influenced by religious beliefs and reactions to drag performers' sexual orientation and breaking of norms of gender expression. Again, people can make individual choices in line with their religious beliefs and other values -- we don't need to and shouldn't codify them into law. Please vote against this pointless and misguided bill.



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Parents should be the sole determiner of what entertainment is appropriate for their children.



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This bill is much too vague and also unnecessary. Drag performances are a part of cultural heritage and are not inherently sexually oriented. It's offensive and out of touch to broadly categorize drag performances as such. In addition, I have a massive concern that this bill will require theaters and theater companies to be considered and regulated as sexually oriented businesses. Numerous plays with significant cultural value have characters "exhibit a gender different from the biological sex as assigned at birth." This would apply to traditionally staged Shakespeare productions because Shakespeare plays originally only cast men in all of the roles. Also, businesses like Hamburger Mary's restaurants regularly stage drag shows to raise money for important and socially significant causes. This bill would seem to make that fundraising activity difficult to impossible.



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For the love of God! Quit creating issues where there are none. Quit pandering to the uneducated rubes & your political base. DO SOMETHING USEFUL & work to solve actual problems. Why not focus on pedophiles instead if you must tackle "sexual" issues? What has happened to the legislators in MO? These bills are contrary to national and state values and plain common sense. The GOP claims to be Christian! Why are MO legislators so threatened by people unlike themselves? LBGTQ are not a threat to anyone, any more than heterosexuals are. Why not deal with ACTUAL issues - high maternal fetal morbidity and mortality rates? Poverty? Hunger? Homelessness? Mental health crises? ACT and think like the Christians you claim to be. Sponsoring bills such as these is shameful and wasteful spending of our tax dollars. Do good things instead of forcing your personal or political beliefs on others. THESE are not political issues. These are not problems that require a political intervention. DO work on REAL problems affecting MO residents, especially our vulnerable ones.



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I oppose HB 498 because it is based on falsehood. This bill attempts to distort the truth in an effort to target and discriminate against drag performances and drag performers. A drag performance is not by definition "sexually oriented." Could it be sexually oriented? Yes. Could ANY kind of performance - concert, play, book reading, etc. be "sexually oriented"? Yes. If wearing costumes, dancing, and singing constitutes a sexually oriented performance, then we need to ban all concerts and musical productions of any kind. Many drag performances contain NO sexual content or innuendo. Those that do, take place in adult-only venues and are clearly labeled as adult-only performances. This type of legislation is a waste of time and resources. We have a lot of real problems in Missouri that need to be addressed and drag performances is not one of them. I urge you to oppose HB 498.



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This bill is absurd. Once again, it's government overreach dictating what a private business can do.



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Let people exist. We're supposed to have freedom in this country. Let people live without government tyranny.



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I am writing in opposition to the anti-LGBTQ and blatantly anti-transgender bills that are being discussed. Specifically, HB170, HB183, and HB337 which discriminate against transgender children and adults participating in school sports, HB 419, HB 463, HB540 which deny gender affirming care for those under age 18 as well as HB 494 and HB 498 which attack and criminalize drag performances. All of these bills are unnecessary and are a blatant attack on the rights of LGBTQIA Missourians! They horribly discriminatory and harmful and violate the human rights of Missourians. These bills are (horrible) solutions looking for a problem. They are a waste of time and they are extremely harmful. They will negatively impact the physical and mental health of LGBTQ+ Missourians, who already lead the nation in reports of self-harm. You will kill people if you pass these bills. Again, I strongly oppose all of these bills and they should be rejected.



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Trans children deserve to live happy and healthy lives in Missouri and the United States - we cannot pick and chose which children to support and which to abandon. Bills like these have devastating effects on the LGBTQ+ community, and can lead young LGBTQ+ folks to depression, self-harm, increased suicidality, etc. Parents and families deserve the right to make decisions for themselves in regards to bodily autonomy, school activities, gender, and sexuality. If we pass draconian laws targeting trans children, we create a state that is dangerous for not only LGBTQ+ families, but for all Missourians. Why would anyone want to diminish what could be a happy and healthy childhood? We cannot be truly free until we all are free.



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These issues are a waste of the legislature's time and energy. The government doesn't need to intervene on issues best left to families and households. Leave individuals alone and focus on economic development issues to keep Missouri competitive with other states.



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This bill is another where I would like to ask how it would be strictly enforced. This bill would target all transgender performers (musicians, actors, and otherwise), but not all transgender people are what would be called “easily clockable”. Does the government intend to check the genitals of every musician before they perform? Every actor? What about street performers? This is another bill that seems like it would be incredibly difficult to enforce. Additionally, the definition of drag as this bill would outlaw any performances of certain famous performances or other classics, particularly any performances of Shakespeare. Would this bill apply to high school acting performances, where usually there aren’t enough cisgender boys who audition to play all the male roles? Would this apply to performances uploaded onto on the internet? How would that be enforced? The surveillance that would be required for such would seem, quite frankly, to be a massive breach of privacy for Missouri citizens. Again, I would appeal to the compassion of members of the House, if any exists. Why should transgender people not be allowed to perform just the same as anyone else? Again, transgender people existing does no harm. Even drag on it’s own commits no harm. Transgender people performing isn’t an inherently sexual act, just as being transgender isn’t an inherently sexual act. There is no reason that this bill is necessary. I would ask the house to vote against this bill, and please move on to any issue that may improve the lives of Missouri citizens.



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If you're going to pass this language, Kansas Chief Cheerleaders along with any cheer and dance team are also adult cabaret performers. Good luck.



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I oppose this bill because it's an obvious step towards christo-fascism and if you used this logic, Missouri wouldn't have a church left open



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A drag show is no more sexual than any other modern musical acts that are not currently deemed as "cabaret" or "pornographic." This is once again another attempt to marginalize an entire group of people who are doing nothing wrong. Drag shows are all about acceptance and being proud of who you are, nothing threatening or criminal about them. Please stop trying to hurt the LGBTQ+ community in Missouri.



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Have any of you been to a drag show? A family drag show? Or a reading at a library? Drag is not porn. Drag is entertainment, and mostly by queer people. By targeting them, you are targeting queer people. Likely because you don't know them. Get to know them. Yes, there can be adult drag performances that are raunchy. But there can also be family friendly entertainment by drag artists. This is not a reason to host or entertain this bill. Vote No. Focus on real issues in our state please.



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This is hateful, unnecessary, legislation. I would prefer that my elected officials work on items that could truly (and in a far more positive and proactive manner) help our state. Rather than policing people's preferences, performances, and genitals, get to work better funding our schools, tackling our out of control crime rates, and work toward drawing businesses to our state.



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I support my fellow Missourians. I do not want my government making hateful laws targeting a specific group. Stop it. Missouri is going to drive business away with this embarrassing plethora of anti-LGBTQ + bills.



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I am opposed to this bill. Please focus on real issues, not fake outrage.



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Being trans is not sexually oriented neither is drag please educate yourself before making bills and attempting to pass them as laws.



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It is harmful to create legislation based on the **VERY INCORRECT** assumption that trans individuals and drag performers are predators. They are not. If you don't want to see them in performances, don't go. It is a complete overreach of government to create legislation barring these performances entirely. Keep in mind, also, that drag has been around for a very long time and has been included in many forms of entertainment that are fairly broadly considered as mainstream and "acceptable." Consider Mrs. Doubtfire, The Nutty Professor, and Medea.



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Chairman Riley, Vice-Chairman Hicks, members of the committee I am submitting remarks on behalf of Pro Choice Missouri in opposition to HBs 494 & 498, a blatant attack on Missouri people and families' freedom of expression. Pro-Choice Missouri works to protect and expand every Missourians's rights to bodily autonomy, to access essential reproductive healthcare, to access accurate information in order to make the best decisions for ourselves and our families, and to parent our children in safety and dignity. Moreover, we work to ensure reproductive justice for all Missourians, which involves advocating to reduce disparities based on race, income-level, insurance coverage status, and other factors. These bills have nothing to do with protecting Missouri children and young people. These bills are about one thing: ideological control. In a state with some of the highest rates of domestic and interpersonal violence, it is important to stress that the vast majority of cases of childhood sexual abuse are perpetrated by a trusted adult in the child's life. If you want to protect young children from inappropriate sexual behavior you should focus on implementing comprehensive sexual education policies, protecting student athletes from predators like Larry Nassar who seek power over student athletes and families, and dismantling the so-called "troubled teen" industry that has shown to inflict immeasurable harm on hundreds, likely thousands, of Missouri children and teens. Transgender students and young people are more susceptible to bullying and sexual assault than cisgender students; Because of bullies, much like the sponsors of these bills, transgender youth are more than 3 times more likely to attempt suicide. Politically posturing to make headlines for being the MOST egregious towards the most vulnerable may get you more name recognition but you will be responsible for a wave of harm sure to follow this encroachment of Missourians freedom to expression. Missouri children deserve MORE than politicians wasting time to restrict how they dress, play, and express themselves. These bills will cause lasting harm in Missouri. Pro-Choice Missouri opposes the advancement of this bill, and urges you to vote NO. Thank you.



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I reject this bill. It is clearly a response to the increased anti-drag show propaganda that is based on LGBTQ bigotry and religious (specifically Christian) nationalism. The attempt to misrepresent what drag shows is disgusting and will only fuel more violence towards LGBTQ folks. I hope that is not your goal; however, it is hard to believe that it is not with the onslaught of bills targeting LGBTQ people. There is no evidence that children are harmed by drag shows; however, there is countless evidence that the same cannot be said of religious institutions in which children may experience rejection for their identities or sexual abuse from religious leaders.



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I oppose this harmful and misguided bill.



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WITNESS NAME: MARISSA KNOPF-KENNON		PHONE NUMBER:
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The proposition that drag performance, regardless of an individual's level of nudity or content of their performance, as sexually oriented is largely rooted in outdated and likely faith-based ideology and transphobia. Drag performance is a matter of culture, costume, and cosplay, not a sexualized performance. Note: I am a Callaway County resident, and would have attended in person to oppose these harmful bills. However, the choice to release them with only 24 hour notice was clearly deliberate to keep these bills quiet, and keep those who have full time jobs from being able to request time off in order to more vocally oppose.



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Our valued and veteran teachers are fleeing our state at the borders for IA, IL, KS, NE, etc. for better pay and treatment because you make bills like this your priority. You don't convene that often. There is a lot that needs to get done in Missouri and this ain't it. I am in opposition to this bill. Now, please, can we pay our teachers, fix our crippling infrastructure, and do something to ensure Missourians are gaining - not losing - medical care?



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This bill targets drag performances. It should be noted that this is a state action that would require private businesses to censor their performances. Should I then recommend a bill preventing restaurants like Hooters from having waitresses dressed in revealing clothing? Or a bill that prevents a small business owner from having live music play on their stage? This bill is clearly targeted to discriminate against people based on their sexual orientation, which has been a federally protected class since 1998. Further, the bill's suggestion that a performer exhibiting "a gender different from the biological sex as assigned at birth" goes against science, just as the other bills in this group are. The notion that there are only two sexes (male and female) is simply incorrect. Science has shown throughout decades that intersex people exist - thus meaning that there are more than two biological sexes that can be determined at birth. It is important to note that about 2% of the world's population is intersex, which is a similar number of people in the world with naturally red hair. These statistics cannot and should not be ignored in determining rules based on sex and gender. Additionally, enforcing this legislation would cause serious violations of privacy.



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If I understand this correctly, entertainers such as Boy George, Liberace, Tyler Perry as Medea, Dustin Hoffman as Tootsie, Julie Andrews in Victor, Victoria, Robin Williams as Mrs Doubtfire, Rock groups like Motley Crue, Guns and Roses, Poison would all be prohibited. I am opposed. These are decisions for parents to make. Allow them the dignity to make viewing decisions for their children.



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I am in opposition to this bill. This bill does nothing to help your constituents. Please work on the real issues of your constituents, such as poverty, lack of access to healthcare, and substandard housing.



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I am in opposition to this bill.



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My name is Melissa Cameron, and I am writing to express my opposition to HB 170. I strongly believe that all individuals, regardless of their sexual orientation or gender identity, should be treated with dignity and respect. This bill would discriminate against members of the LGBTQ community. It would have a detrimental impact on their mental and physical well-being and would send a message that they are not valued members of our society. It would create a hostile environment for LGBTQ individuals and would likely cause many talented and qualified individuals to leave the state. This would be a loss for all of us, as diversity and inclusion are essential to a strong and prosperous economy. I urge you to reject this discriminatory bill and work towards creating a more inclusive and equitable society. Thank you for your time and consideration. Sincerely, Melissa Cameron



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EMAIL: melody.ortloff@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: In-Person	SUBMIT DATE: 1/24/2023 12:00 AM	
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I am a constituent, a taxpayer, a licensed insurance specialist... and a drag performer. I have been performing as a drag king in Kansas City for 7 years. I would wager many of you have never heard of a drag king. Well, we exist. We exist alongside non-binary performers, female drag queens, transgender performers of all types, and performers who don't fit the rigid mold of "king" or "queen" drag. This bill is utterly absurd. Drag performers are not comparable to strippers. Drag queens, especially, are completely covered, usually with 5-10 layers of pantyhose, padding, etc... and that's all before the actual clothing. I have never seen a drag queen even close to nude. Not only is it absurd, it will put many gay bars and gay-friendly restaurants out of business. If this is to "protect the children," it's a moot point... bars are 18+ or 21+ at all times. Also, any "family-friendly" drag shows at restaurants or cafes would be very careful to keep the performances PG. This bill would destroy the livelihood of bar owners and performers. It is nothing more than a thinly-veiled attack on the LGBTQ+ community. Perhaps the most insidious aspect of this is that you would essentially criminalize the existence of transgender people. Are cisgender women wearing pants dressing as the gender that doesn't match their genitals? Are you going to be inspecting the genitals of people to make sure it matches their style of dressing? Along the same vein, this bill would essentially make Pride illegal. Perhaps this is your intended purpose all along. But, please think... do you really want to push the gay community back into the closet? Back to pre-Stonewall era rules? Thank you.



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I am writing in opposition to the anti-LGBTQ and blatantly anti-transgender bills that are being discussed. Specifically, HB170, HB183, and HB337 which discriminate against transgender children and adults participating in school sports, HB 419, HB 463, HB540 which deny gender affirming care for those under age 18 as well as HB 494 and HB 498 which attack and criminalize drag performances. All of these bills are unnecessary and are a blatant attack on the rights of LGBTQIA Missourians! They horribly discriminatory and harmful and violate the human rights of Missourians. These bills are (horrible) solutions looking for a problem. They are a waste of time and they are extremely harmful. They will negatively impact the physical and mental health of LGBTQ+ Missourians, who already lead the nation in reports of self-harm. You will kill people if you pass these bills. Again, I strongly oppose all of these bills and they should be rejected.



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The attempt to label drag performances as a sexual act - clearly in order to restrict them as a whole in the state - is a blatant attack on freedom of speech. Drag is clearly not inherently sexual and can be appropriate for any age level depending on the individual context of the performance. This bill also clearly has room to be abused with people who are transgender - potentially banning them from "performing" in any capacity, drag-related or not. Please put the culture war aside and respect others' freedom of speech, even if you don't personally agree with it.



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I am a woman who has lived her whole life in Missouri and I am ashamed that my state legislators are using their time to put forth such narrow minded laws. What happened to small government staying out of people's lives? The state of Missouri has a 99 problems but who attends cabaret performances, ain't one. By putting forth this bill shows me that you think a teenager seeing something in person (that they could find as a You-Tube video in about 30 seconds) needs more government attention than teenagers who are thrown out of their homes, beaten by a parent, or not fed on a regular basis. If you care about children so much, why not increase the number of social workers and reduce their case load so they could protect children actually being abused and harmed? How about figuring out how to fix our roads, public transportation, homeless veterans, and children lacking a proper foster care system? Putting forward bills like this shows me as a voter that you care more about headlines and made-up "scandals" that are not real issues. Do better.



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I am a primary care physician in the heart of Kansas City. I have over 14 years of experience serving this community. I provide high quality, top notch primary care to underserved and marginalized communities. I am the Health Commissioner for the Kansas City LGBT+ Commission and serve on this advisory board to the Mayor, City Council, and City Manager. I am the Medical Director for the LGBT+ Specialty Clinic at University Health. I hold several academic roles at the University of Missouri Kansas City School of Medicine including Docent, Clerkship Director, and Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine and Pediatrics. I am board certified in Internal Medicine and Pediatrics and see patients of all ages. This work is my specialty. I have worked with the LGBT+ community for many years and have experience with gender diverse kids, teenagers, and adults. All 9 of these bills should be strongly opposed. All of our national professional medication organizations including the American Academy of Pediatrics, American College of Physicians, and ACOG as well as five others, support and affirm the LGBT+ community and would vote against these bans. There is evidenced based medicine and science to support gender diversity. We have strict guidelines that we follow (See WPATH SOC 8 and UCSF). These bans are all hateful, discriminatory, and attention seeking for a political agenda. They ignore basic human decency. It is vital that the house votes against all 9 of these dangerous bills. WE know that the number of anti LGBT bills proposed in the past 5 years has skyrocketed. Ironically, this aligns closely to this country's culture wars. I am in the exam rooms today with LGBT+ patients. The work I do with these patients is the most fulfilling, important, and vital work I do as a physician but it is hard work. I will leave here today emotionally and physically exhausted because I spend time with these patients and I learn and listen to their stories. Ultimately, their voices should be heard/centered but in this day in age, it is dangerous to be out. These bills are dangerous and threaten their existence. I urge you to contact me for medical questions or a professional medical discussion on the science and evidence behind gender diversity. I strongly encourage you to vote against these bills. I would be there today with you if I was not with patients. I appreciate your time.



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Targeting the LGBTQ community has been statistically proven to be harmful to LGBTQ youth. These bills are unconstitutional and deadly.



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Y'all are really stupid. A drag performance isn't any more sexual than cheerleaders at football games. I do not support this bill.



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This is just a ridiculous attempt to take away the ability for places to hold any kind of grad performance. Private businesses should be allowed to do so as they please, and the definition for drag performances is outdated. Drag is not always a sexual performance, yes there are sometimes sexual aspects but those kind of performances are put on somewhere age appropriate such as bars. There are also age appropriate drag performances in which the individuals dress up as popular characters and read their stories, etc. To automatically assume the drag means sexual is an overreach to the fullest extent.



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Nick S (he/him)19, Mus Ed student at MUI have enjoyed several privileges in my life. I'm white, cisgendered, have always been financially stable, had loving parents, and grown up here in Jefferson City. Along with those facts, I am here today proudly queer, and me, and anyone part of our community will remain proudly queer, no matter how much you legislate our freedoms away. As my main point today, I would like to state that if the legislative body here in Missouri and in the United States wanted to truly "protect our youth," they should also expedite discussions about the nearly 9 million starving children in the US - almost 200,000 being from Missouri (feeding America), the more than 330,000 students who have experienced gun violence at school since the Columbine shooting (wash post), and the over 4,000 sexual abuse cases against catholic priests in 2021 alone (US conf of cath bishops) in addition to expediting harsh anti-lgbtq legislation. As stated, there are several ways to truly protect the youth of Missouri and America. Anti-lgbtq laws are not one of those ways, and they purely seek to push all form of queerness back into the closet. Furthermore, categorizing all drag performance as sexually explicit is a scarily dangerous misrepresentation of the art, as well as the performers and viewers of drag. And even considering any general drag performer as a sexual predator is barbaric. Predators are predators, regardless of occupation, sex, gender identity, or sexual orientation. To put the generalization that drag, by nature, is sexually predatory is immensely dangerous to all queer folk, as well as perpetuates the delegitimization of true victims stories. Thank you for your time.



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Please stop the hate and bigotry. Focus on the low maternal mortality rate, our low funding of education, our low state worker pay, roads.



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This bill represents a violation of human rights and an improper interference of church doctrine in public education, resulting in a violation of separation of church and state. It is harmful to the mental, emotional and social health of children and community members, and is completely hypocritical, given that the broad excuse for this bill and others like it is “parental rights”. This bill and it’s bigoted companion bills completely disregards the parental rights of parents of LGBTQ+ youth to make medically-supported healthcare, social, educational and recreational decisions for their children, while imposing the will of a subset of unrelated parents onto children who are not their own.



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Drag performances are not inherently sexual in nature and activities like drag queen story hour are family friendly activities that encourage nothing but love and tolerance for others who are different, a lesson we could all use right now! Please do not enshrine hatred into law! I recently moved with my family back to Missouri where I grew up, but these are making me question that decision. Hatred like this makes me ashamed to say I am from Missouri!



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This bill is ignorant and bigoted against LGBTQA+ individuals, and Missouri should be ashamed of their position in this matter. I will never support this bill, and no one else should. People are free to live their life how they want and be protected from outdated religious opinions being forced upon them. Equal rights for all people.



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I run a small business that books music and food events. I am a transgender woman and many of the acts that we book feature transgender or non gender conforming people. We hope to open a cafe and venue that will be an all ages, alcohol free space for LGBTQ+ art and nightlife. There are almost no places for people who don't drink or aren't over 21 to hang out in a safe, affirming environment at night. The art and music world is dominated by businesses that sell alcohol. We want to create a safe, sober and supportive place for people of all ages and genders. But the way this legislation is written, we might be considered an "adult" business, just because we make space for people to express their gender however they want. There is nothing sexual about that. There is nothing inherently sexual about drag or wearing clothes that are assumed to be for people with different anatomy. SOME drag shows are more risque, just like some rock or country shows or even operas or classical theater is risque. Is Peter Pan considered adult or sexual when a woman plays the main character, as has often been the case? Is Shakespeare not appropriate for kids when his characters pretend to be another gender? Is a drag queen in a dress that covers her from neck to toe reading a kids book inherently sexual? I oppose this legislation as being too broad and trying to address a non existent problem.



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I'm in opposition of this bill.



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I oppose legislation in this state to restrict the rights of LGBTQ+ individuals under the guise of protecting children. I know that most citizens of this state care deeply about the welfare of our children. But instead of providing funding for child hunger, child health care, child protection services, education, the arts or acts to protect children from gun violence - this house is responding to right wing fear mongering about LGBTQ+ individuals. Please reject these transparent and ineffective bills that will not protect our children or improve their quality of life - and instead focus on how we can provide more safety from gun violence in our communities, and a better quality of life for all Missouri youth.



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I oppose any bill that defines a child as a person under the age of 14. This legislation does nothing to stop the grooming and pedophilia associated with child marriage laws in our state. Mazzie Boyd is a pedophile.



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I do not support this bill



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God, this is dumb.



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I firmly believe that drag performances should not be classified as a sexually oriented business. Drag performances are an art form that have been around for decades, and are a form of self-expression and entertainment for many members of the LGBTQ+ community. They are not meant to be sexually suggestive or offensive in any way. Classifying drag performances as a sexually oriented business would be a form of discrimination and would further marginalize the LGBTQ+ community. It would also harm the livelihood of drag performers, many of whom rely on these performances for their income. Additionally, drag performances are often held in venues that are considered safe spaces for members of the LGBTQ+ community, and classification as a sexually oriented business could lead to these venues being shut down. In conclusion, drag performances are a form of art and entertainment, and should not be classified as a sexually oriented business. Doing so would be discriminatory and harmful to the LGBTQ+ community and to the drag performers who rely on these performances for their livelihood.



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This will be used to target performers doing their jobs. Why? I'll answer because the bill's proponents surely won't. They despise queer culture and queer people. They use their power to inch out a measure of control over the lives of vulnerable people to feel more secure in their own dying ideology. You are passing this bill to hurt people you hate.



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This bill is absurd and entirely made of political nonsense



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The state of Missouri seems to be obsessed with genders. Drag performers are artists, and like artists, they can and do perform a variety of shows. Family friendly drag shows exists, there are numerous events like this in Boone County, fundraisers, activities like bowling, bingo, etc. I have been to several drag shows, both 18+ and family friendly. There is nothing inappropriate about the family friendly events, it's G rated entertainment. There are videos from NClusion and ones that I have personally taken at these events, where you can see that it's just music, big hair and jokes. There are people singing (lip-syncing) songs that are everyday songs, one of my favorite drag queens always sings country songs, and Taylor Swift. The dancing and attire they wear is not risque, It's wild to me with all the mass shooting around the US, that we are worried about if someone is wearing a dress or not. Dressing in drag is not a crime, and shouldn't be treated as one. We don't need bills put in place telling people what they can or can't wear. Drag isn't a sexual business, it's entertainment. Fully clothed, non-contact entertainment. I think we can all agree that this is only up for debate because drag is usually, but not always, performed by a gay man, and we live in a state full of homophonics.



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It is clear from this bill's language that the author is not culturally competent and does not understand what 'drag' really is. Drag has nothing to do with expressing an individual's sexuality. Drag shows are not inherently sexual in nature; they are a celebration of identity and community. I oppose the language in this bill as it only acts to further the stigma surrounding the LGBTQIA+ community.



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So now we're going to police businesses who show Mrs. Doubtfire and Shakespeare? This bill is a waste of my tax dollars.



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To the Legislatures currently hearing the anti-trans bills on the floor: Instead of focusing on real issues that affect Missourians, such as obeying the voice of the People and expanding Medicaid as approved in August of 2020, you GOP Legislatures are now trying to distract Missourians by targeting literal children. We see right past your tactics. Your entire illegitimate clown show has been a self-repeating cycle of creating issues that don't exist in the first place, then providing fluff solutions that look like you've solved something big. However, your political games will put children in harm's way. Denying kids to healthcare will do more damage to them in the long run and place more costs on the state. Additionally, criminalizing the existence of drag queens, trans people, and other adults with free will is a violation of our inalienable rights. You have no right to threaten us and children with structural oppression when your entire party has made a mockery of a governance.



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I've had more time to sit with this and would like to add to my original statement. Trans people in Missouri are at risk with this bill. Defining a drag performance as "a performance in which a performer exhibits a gender different from the biological sex as assigned at birth" would absolutely be used to disallow trans people from doing things as simple as teaching. Please reconsider this harmful act as our attorney general is already using past legislation against drag performers beyond the scope it was intended for. I wish I was able to attend in person to deliver this, but please know myself and thousands of your constituents unequivocally dissent.(As an aside please refer to Rep Ed Lewis or Sen Caleb Rowden if that helps to de-anonymize my testimony--and to Mr. Lewis and Caleb I'm open to a conversation about this and other legislation.)



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(This is the same statement provided by myself for HB 494)The fact that elected public officials are trying to make public drag performances a sex crime is astounding to me. Yes, some drag shows are for adults--and those are clearly marked as such and minors are not allowed anywhere near them. I have been to many drag shows in the past 10 years or so and have never witnessed an adult show where children were allowed in. This act would upend our annual pride shows, drag queens reading in libraries, and much more. This totalitarian act will do nothing but alienate the very drag performers you claim to represent.I'm also going to mention that the language in this document is transphobic--if this were to pass I, a trans man, who has been living as a man for almost 7 years and has transitioned, wouldn't be allowed to express myself as a man and perform karaoke. If this is not the case, please outline exactly how.These acts that are being read today show just how far the Republican party has fallen--from "anti-big government" to telling a man what he can and can't wear in public.



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Drag performances are a form of art and gender expression. Gender identity does not determine sexual orientation. Events such as drag performances that include diverse gender expressions are not sexual performances or pornography. To pass such legislation is to discriminate against LGBTQ performers. This bill should be dismissed.



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Good afternoon. My name is the Rev Mike Angell. I am a pastor at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Communion in University City Missouri and I am here to voice my opposition to eight bills attacking the LGBTQ+ community. Eight bills, announced late yesterday, which seek to criminalize parents, punish doctors, and defund schools for allowing kids to play. You now have proposed more bills against trans kids than there are known trans athletes in our state. Doubtless today we will hear about the book of Genesis. We will likely hear that God created humanity male and female, from chapter 1, verse 27. That reading makes it sound like the gender binary is the point of the teaching. It isn't. There's a repetition in the verse: God created humanity in God's own image. Human beings have the capacity to do such good. Last night, my husband and I were explaining to my four year old why I needed to get up before five in the morning to be in Jefferson City, why I wouldn't be back in time to put him to bed. Some lawmakers want to make a law to keep your friends from playing sports, was the best I could explain. Now, our son is about the most gender normative kid you could imagine. He loves trucks, and dinosaurs, and he loves sports. He said, "that's mean! Dada, tell them not to be mean." Please stop this cruelty. Stop trying to win elections by unleashing ugly bullying. Let the doctors and parents and educators and coaches work together to decide what is best for our kids. Don't put big government in the way. The last thing I want to say is this, to every trans leader who is here, especially the kids who are out of school to fight back. You are made in the image of God, just as you are. Your courage inspires me. Whatever awful questions you face today. However scared you are, know, know that these proposed laws will not have the last word. Cruelty will not have the last word. You are loved, valued, seen, and infinitely worthy. And we will show up again and again to tell these legislators not to be mean.



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I oppose this proposed legislation



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I am opposed to this bill. I am offended by members of the Missouri legislature who believe they can regulate others according to their own misguided ethical standards. Stop big government overreach. Don't tread on me!



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Hooters is sexually oriented as well. Why don't you target them. This is so stupid.



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Conflating all form of drag with pornography and adult content is demonstrably false, segregating LGBT people and performers from their communities, reducing employment opportunities for performers, opening all manner of theatrical performances to prosecution, and isolating LGBT youths from potential role models and community at a vulnerable time in their lives



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Please stop inventing issues and address the public school problems in Missouri. We need to pay teachers substantially more and spend our ridiculous budget surplus improving our schools.



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I am strongly opposed to any bill that focuses on hate and divisiveness. The legislature should not focus on discriminating against the LBQTQIA community. It's pathetic and disgusting



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I oppose this bill.



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This is a violation of the 1st amendment and an overstep of the government. I do not think the state should be regulating businesses in this way.



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If you don't like drag performances then here's a crazy idea.. don't go? ?? Laws should not be used to suppress people who don't look like you because you can't comprehend anything beyond your 4 white walls.



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You're spending public time and money on divisive issues that stem from your religious beliefs rather than anything to actually improve the quality of life for Missourians. Our state has a median income of **LESS THAN \$31,000**; we are ranked around 30th for education; 42nd in healthcare; and some of you are too focused on what people have between their legs and if house members have a jacket with long sleeves? You people make a mockery of public office and I will be happy to stand alongside younger generations who will be the end to the out of touch bigoted boomer era.



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This bill is a knee jerk reaction by a conservative lobby that wants to take away everyone else's freedoms. It smacks of Germany in 1933. Drag queens aren't coming for your kids. That's the clergy you're thinking of.



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I am strongly opposed to this bill and anything that makes it harder for LGBTQIA people to live their lives in our state.



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To state that any business that hosts a drag performance is a "sexually-oriented business" is asinine. Singing and dancing in costumes happens on all sorts of stages. It's bigotry to single out some performers and not others. If drag shows are pornographic, so are many other theatre performances.



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Trans people are the gender they say they are. The purpose of this bill is nothing other than cruelty toward an extremely marginalized group, purely for cruelty's sake. I pledge to vote every member voting for this bill and immediately vote them out and work to ensure they never govern again.



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I am testifying in opposition to HB 498. This bill is ridiculous. I understand that the sponsor is opposed to drag performances, but this bill would classify businesses such as the Muni outdoor musical theater, a St. Louis tradition for over 100 years, as a sexually oriented business because every few years the Muni puts on the shows Hairspray and Matilda, both of which have roles which are performed in drag. This is absurd and offensive. Just because someone is performing in drag does not mean the content is inherently sexual. Please oppose this poorly considered bill.



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Apart from betraying an appalling degree of prudery, this bill appears designed to enable an oppressive attack on the LGBTQ community by criminalizing "male or female impersonators." Yes, I know the bill text mumbles something about "prurient interest," but that's vague enough to enable a cop to persecute drag queens having harmless fun, or transgender people just going about their lives, under color of law.



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I'm in opposition to this bill.



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I am in opposition of this. It's anti-LGBTQ+.



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In addition to its obvious violation of the first amendment — both in principle and in spirit — this bill's discriminatory intent (and eventual discriminatory impact) are facially obvious. It is, furthermore, difficult to imagine a more flagrant example of government overreach and intervention into free markets than the inflationary use of categories which shouldn't exist in the first place to chill the advertising speech of entrepreneurs. The bill is a gross transgression against Missourians' freedom of expression and assembly, violates every principle of libertarian and conservative government, and should be withdrawn.



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Not all drag performances have adult themes. If you are objecting to men wearing clothes that are traditionally female outfits, then you'd have to ban most children's cartoons, too. If you want to ban billboards for drag shows, will you ban billboards for XXX shows along I-70? Or even Hooter's restaurants?



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I don't understand this bill. The author is conflating sexually-oriented businesses and men dressed in female attire. The fact that men are dressed in drag doesn't mean that the establishment necessarily falls under the category of obscene or indecent. In fact, men have performed in women's clothes since the time of Shakespeare. In more modern times, families were entertained by Milton Berle dressed in women's clothing as well as the classic movie, Some Like it Hot. Fast forward a few decades and we see Flip Wilson performing as Geraldine to the movies Tootsie, with Dustin Hoffman once again wearing women's clothes, to Robin Williams doing the same in Mrs. Doubtfire. There are countless community theaters where men have dressed in women's clothes to play a part. There are too many examples that contradict the manipulative intent of this bill. Men dressed in women's clothing while lip-synching but not removing their clothes does not fall into the same category as the sex industry, which is already regulated in this state.



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Let people be who they are and stop hating others who are different.



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I oppose this bill.



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I am a concerned Missourian who opposes HB498. The definition of drag performance is "a performance in which a performer exhibits a gender that is different from the performer's biological sex as assigned at birth using clothing, makeup, or other physical markers and sings, lip syncs, dances, or otherwise performs before an audience for entertainment," is very broad. It does not just restrict sexual performances, it would restrict any performance where someone was not conforming to their birth gender. This would mean transgender people and gender non-conforming people, in general, would have their performances severely restricted. This is un-American and attacks freedom of expression. For this reason, I encourage you all to vote NO on HB498 or at least narrow the definition of drag performance.



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Absurd. There's nothing sexually explicit about playing dress up.



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#LetKidsPlay Stop legislating God's beauty.



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I am highly concerned with the definition of a drag performance being used as part of a sexually oriented business. Are Hooters and similar restaurants with their scantily clad workers considered a sexually oriented business?- NO Are kids allowed?- Yes. Why the double standards? Adult performances are already 21+, or at least 18+ so why is this even an issue? This is a not needed law that will crush small bars who use special events to keep their doors open.



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These bills do nothing but further divide people between political extremes. They are garbage aimed squarely at taking transgender folks out of public spaces and indeed actually making our existence illegal. You hold in your hands to power to actively harm thousands of Missourians and you have chosen violence over kindness, hate over love. There is nothing that your chosen targets, the transgender community, can do to convince you that we are your neighbors, caretakers, friends, family, children, teachers, partners, and above all, that we are human too. May your choice to destroy us haunt you forever.



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Are you really serious...by this standard any theater/ university/ school or play house that chose to do any Shakespeare's play or hundreds of other plays such as "the bird cage" and others that would portray men dressed as woman or women dressed as me would have to register as a sex establishment. Have you really even thought this out. Have any of you ever taken an acting class. Get real. Drag is no more disrespectful than the golden girls performing on the mizzou field! Or those small town high-school cheerleaders dressed as football players and the football team dressed as cheer leaders...are you willing to go down this road all the way...imagine suits being brought against school districts over plays and half time performances...



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This is a media stunt, a distraction, from the real work the MOleg was elected to do. Missourians face the loss of local affordable healthcare, low wages, unattainable housing, and the defunding of public education. As a rural leader representing residents of Southcentral Missouri, it is my duty to once again ask that our quality of life no longer be ignored. Stop advancing a culture war that is wasting residents' tax dollars while members of this House and their buddies gain fame and wealth with tax-cut legislation.



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Not an appropriate definition/categorization.



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This proposed legislation is absurd in the extreme. The government should not be obsessing over applying outdated, puritanical standards to every little bit of personal life they can, or targeting intersex and transgendered individuals as the latest butt of the conservative moral panic.



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No one is taking their children to adult cabaret performances. These shows occur at bars and children aren't allowed admittance. Men have been dressing up for hundreds of years because they wouldn't allow women to perform on stage. It's dress up. That's all. Kids get it when someone in drag reads a book to them. Don't overthink it. Older adults are the problem. Just ask the vast majority of young people who are poised to be the largest voting bloc.



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Advocates of Planned Parenthood of the St. Louis Region and Southwest Missouri opposes HB 498 and HB 494 as dangerous, discriminatory, and unconscionable. PPSLRSWMO proudly provides essential, equitable, and lifesaving care to transgender, nonbinary, and gender diverse individuals. By even introducing this legislation, its sponsors have already done unconscionable harm. This narrative adds fuel to discrimination and hostility against transgender, nonbinary, and gender diverse people and entire communities, and further contributes to radical attempts to deny them their fundamental humanity. Transgender communities are already at risk for pervasive mistreatment and violence. What we know to be true, and what the data confirms, is that we can optimize the health of transgender and nonbinary individuals by affirming their identities and securing their safety, not by leveraging reckless attacks on their humanity. Please oppose HB 494 and HB 498.



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Let adults do what they want. Stop trying to control other people's bodies. I will use my platform to support trans and sexual rights rights, encourage my colleagues and followers to directly oppose any politicians that are in opposition of trans and sexual rights, as well as fund community action against any politician that votes in opposition.



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Drag and cross-dressing are not inherently sexual. There are sexual drag shows, but that is not all of them. This is simply another abridgment to freedom of expression with no path to a practical service to the public.



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I am writing in opposition to HB 498, to be discussed in the General Laws Committee today at 4:30 pm. This bill defines as "Drag performance", a performance in which a performer exhibits a gender that is different from the performer's biological sex as assigned at birth using clothing, makeup, or other physical markers and sings, lip syncs, dances, or otherwise performs before an audience for entertainment. It then defines a "Sexually oriented business" as ...any nightclub, bar, restaurant, or similar commercial enterprise that provides an audience of two or more individuals a drag performance." Multiple restrictions are imposed on "sexually oriented businesses". This legislation is very broad and would impact dinner theaters that simply cast some actors to play a part that is different from their sex. In addition, this law would appear to allow colleges and universities and other nonprofits to put on performances that come within the definition of a "drag performance" without regulation because they are not "commercial businesses". This law therefore discriminates against commercial businesses. Lastly it discriminates against persons who chose to express themselves artistically through drag performances.



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While not a connoisseur of Drag Performances, I have attended several, and none of them were "sexual." It was a theatrical performance, just like clowning or standup comedy. And like the latter two, some is not for children - but that hardly implicates the entire genre. Also, cross dressing has been a mainstay within theatre for hundreds of years: Does this make University theatre departments, or Shakespearean companies "Sexually oriented businesses" if any of the actors are cross dressing?



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I am a 3rd year medical student in Missouri, and I oppose HB 498. Drag is not inherently sexual, just it is not inherently sexual to cast a character with an actor of the opposite gender- for example many times a woman is cast as Peter Pan. Classifying drag as a sexual business would also apply to theaters, where dressing up as the opposite gender is part of many shows. Calling drag "sexually oriented" is discriminatory and inconsistent.



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It is inherently dangerous to miscategorize Drag entertainment as being "sexually oriented". While an individual performance, or even an individual performer's character, may be more seductive in nature, it is demonstrably inaccurate to paint all performances with such a broad brush. Firm opposition to HB 498.



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House Bills 494 and 498 are wastes of time and the language used is incredibly superfluous. Overreaching definitions of adult oriented businesses do not define sexual or sexually oriented based on current scientific or academic understandings of human sexuality. This bill in particular restricts freedom of speech and expressions and thus should not be considered at all on constitutional grounds. These bills seek to discriminate against a small group of targeted individuals, which the bill sponsors have no personal contact to.



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There is absolutely nothing inherently sexual about drag. Drag queens are literally just people, oftentimes men, dressing up as characters and entertaining audiences. There are huge differences between adult performances and family-friendly ones, and I've only ever seen sexual drag shows in 18+ venues. Drag performers already respect those boundaries. A man in a dress and makeup dancing and lip-synching to an audience is harmless. What's really a threat are bigoted people who shoot up queer spaces out of hatred that's fueled by rhetoric and bills like this one.



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