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WITNESS NAME: GERARD J. HARMS JR.		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: JACQUELINE QUIGLEY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I support.



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WITNESS NAME: JEFF PFANKUCH		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This bill gives a real choice to the right to choose delemma. With this the expectation mother can be supported in deciding on something other than death for her unborn child. This bill balances out the choice. As aside benefit families that want to adopt will save thousands of dollars over a foreign adoption and may be able to adopt more.



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WITNESS NAME: JOANNE SCHRADER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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As an adoptee, I support efforts to facilitate adoptions over abortions by providing resources.



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WITNESS NAME: MELISSA EICHHOLD		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I support making it easier for couples and families to adopt children who need families.



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WITNESS NAME: NORMA MORGAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Support for this bill would allow more families to be able to adopt children which would allow more babies and children to not ND up in foster situations and to reduce abortions knowing some family could raise these babies in a loving family instead of being aborted.



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WITNESS NAME: PAMELA QUIGLEY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: TIMOTHY FABER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
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I agree with the states' goal to reduce abortions, and I believe one of the best ways to do so is to make adoption available to more families. This bill seeks to make adoption a more viable alternative than abortion for mothers who choose not to keep their children. It will also help families desiring to adopt to be connected with babies whose families are willing to give up for adoption. While there are many private entities that provide this same service, and the state's efforts in this regard will be more bureaucratic and less personal, this will still achieve the goal of helping match children with prospective families. It is a giant step in the right direction. I encourage you to vote "do pass" on HB1579.



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WITNESS NAME: YVONNE REEVES CHONG		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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WITNESS NAME: ABIGAIL LAMPE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This is a violation of the privacy of women in Missouri and WE WILL NOT STAND FOR IT. Stop trying to sneak this in under our noses, you snakes. A registry of women, pregnant or otherwise, is an unconscionable act against citizens of this state.



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WITNESS NAME: AINSLEY COTHERMAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I am concerned with how you are going to identify someone as “at risk for seeking abortion services” .
The people of Missouri already spoke out against this bill and it was rescinded. This bill being reintroduced really does not instill confidence that MO legislators care about the opinions of their constituents.



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WITNESS NAME: AJ TURLEY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I oppose this dystopian and ethically bankrupt data basing project in totality.



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WITNESS NAME: ALEXANDER WILEY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This is creepy and weird. Only a certified creep would want this to pass. Whoever thought this was a good idea is a creep and sexual predator.



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WITNESS NAME: ALEXANDRIA ERICKSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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As a proud resident of Missouri, I am writing to express my strong opposition to HB 1579. While I recognize the importance of addressing adoption-related issues, I am deeply concerned about the potential implications of this bill. HB 1579, as currently written, risks creating unnecessary barriers for prospective adoptive parents and could inadvertently limit opportunities for children in need of loving homes. Adoption policies should prioritize the best interests of children, ensuring they are placed in safe, supportive, and nurturing environments. However, this bill appears to impose restrictive measures that may discourage qualified individuals or families from pursuing adoption. Furthermore, the proposed changes could disproportionately affect marginalized communities, exacerbating existing inequities in the adoption process. It is crucial that our state laws reflect inclusivity and fairness, rather than perpetuating systemic challenges. The idea of identifying and labeling expecting mothers as "at risk for seeking abortion services" raises significant ethical and privacy concerns. Such measures could stigmatize vulnerable individuals and deter them from seeking necessary medical care or support. Instead of fostering trust and providing compassionate assistance, this approach risks alienating those it aims to help. Furthermore, the requirement to maintain a central registry of expecting mothers who choose adoption is equally troubling. This registry could compromise the privacy and autonomy of these individuals, subjecting them to undue scrutiny and potential misuse of their personal information. Adoption should be a voluntary and empowering choice, not one that is overshadowed by invasive policies. HB 1579's provisions fail to address the root causes that lead individuals to consider abortion and adoption. Rather than implementing measures that could infringe on personal freedoms, lawmakers should focus on expanding access to comprehensive healthcare, education, and social services that support expecting mothers in making informed decisions. I urge lawmakers to reconsider HB 1579 and work collaboratively with stakeholders, including adoption advocates and child welfare experts, to develop legislation that truly serves the best interests of Missouri's children and families. Thank you for your attention to this critical matter.



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WITNESS NAME: ALICE BARBER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: alice.woodward.barber@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:46 PM
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My name is Alice Barber and I am a resident of Springfield, MO. I urge you to vote NO on HP 1579 because this is a massive overreach of government authority. Keeping records on individual people's lives beyond the minimum needed for taxes and the census is a violation of privacy and will not make anyone safer or healthier. Sharing that information with out-of-state law enforcement is even worse. Additionally, this bill makes no sense on a practical level: How would Department of Social Services staff determine "who is at risk for seeking an abortion?" How can they even know who is pregnant and who is not? Either this bill is seeking to create a horrifically invasive surveillance state--which all of us, no matter our position on abortion, can agree is wrong--or else this bill will fail to do what it advertises. When a bill's only possible outcomes are unjust and effective, or unenforceable, there is no reason that bill should ever become law. Vote NO on HB 1579 and save our tax dollars for programs that will actually improve people's lives without infringing on our rights.



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WITNESS NAME: ALICE FLOROS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This bill is not right for Missourians. It would harm our communities. It is inappropriately vague about who is “at risk of seeking abortion.” It would create undue burdens on the already overtaxed Children’s Division workers.



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WITNESS NAME: ALICE-ANNE NIX		PHONE NUMBER:	
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No woman should ever have to register her pregnancy. That is a violation of privacy. Women have the right to keep their medical information private. And furthermore, babies and children are not a commodity to be bred and traded as politicians see fit. This is government over reach in its most disgusting form. Missourians have already voted to allow women to make their own choices. Please stop trying to go against the will of the people.



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WITNESS NAME: ALLISON BLOCK		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: allisonblock99@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 4:02 PM
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I oppose HB 1579, the concept of a database of a woman's personal HEALTH information/choices should not be accessed by the government. Whether a woman considers an abortion (and in general, her health care decisions) should be between a woman and her health care provider. Can we please stop wasting taxpayers money and time on just another way for conservatives to control women. We voted to keep the government out of our personal healthcare decisions. Male politicians, please stop trying to regulate women and their bodies...thanks!



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WITNESS NAME: ALLISON GORDON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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My name is Allison Gordon from Kansas City, MO. I strongly oppose this bill and the potential infringement on my privacy and healthcare decisions.



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WITNESS NAME: AMANDA EHLL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Creating a registry of pregnant women is still inappropriate, even after refining the language of the bill. This is such a violation of a woman's privacy. The time it took to rewrite this bill could have been used to better address serving foster children in the Missouri system.



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WITNESS NAME: AMANDA MICHEL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Just stop. Women are not property and we're sick of your BS.



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WITNESS NAME: AMANDA SCOTT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: amanda.s.scott@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 1:35 PM
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I am in strong opposition to the State of Missouri keeping a registry of pregnant women "at risk of seeking abortion." All Missouri pregnancy decisions are nobody else's business- and certainly not the business of the state government.



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WITNESS NAME: AMBER BENGE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: amber.benge0605@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 12:47 PM
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I vehemently oppose this bill.			



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WITNESS NAME: AMBER KEMPF		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: amberlkempf@outlook.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 7:22 PM
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Please stop violating Pregnant Missouri Citizen's privacy and the voter approved right to access abortion which is vital health care. You clearly care nothing for women or children in this state, the Republican Party has not done a single thing to help either, but only take actions to attack and abuse women and children and take away their rights. It's over, you lost, please stop wasting taxpayer time and money with this garbage.



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WITNESS NAME: AMY DRUMMOND		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Strongly oppose overturning the clear will of the voters to protect a woman's privacy and right to make healthcare decisions for herself



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WITNESS NAME: AMY MOSMAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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The 'Pregnant Women Database' bill (HB 1579) being resurrected here is a blatant violation of citizen privacy and independence. A pregnant woman does not require state tracking of her every move because she "might be a risk for an abortion." Her information from the moment she is found pregnant is only needed to be followed by her medical team, who is responsible for following the law and constitutional rights of the land. HB1579 should not pass with any remnants of the preciously defeated pregnancy registry.



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WITNESS NAME: AMY RAVIN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: amyravin@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 2:15 PM

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My name is Amy Ravin and I'm in 63105. I urge you to oppose bill 1579. The government should not be tracking women's cycles. This is an invasion of privacy and patronizing to women.



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WITNESS NAME: AMY SEIBERT		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: amyjseibert@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 4:23 PM
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I'm a voter in Missouri. There was a majority of voters in Missouri to legalize abortion, and this bill imposes the will of one lawmaker over the will of the voters in Missouri. This registry has no legitimate use, and I strongly oppose it.



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WITNESS NAME: AMY THOMPSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: seuss1988@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 3:42 PM
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Once again I am flabbergasted as I see the lengths to which lawmakers are trying to push government into people's personal lives. A woman faced with the difficult, and it is a difficult, decision does not need the government rushing in trying to sway her. There are agencies currently in Missouri to help pregnant women questioning what they wish to do in times of difficult pregnancies and those who want to can easily reach out to these organizations. As a teacher in a school of poverty, I see first hand how the state fails to provide for actual children in need. It would be wonderful if we begin by helping the children have their early needs met from birth to high school before the government oversteps their reach and tries to force women to follow the will of the government versus what is best for the woman.



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WITNESS NAME: ANDREA DURWAY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: averya219@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 4:53 PM
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I am outraged that once again, Missouri legislators are trying to deviously insert language that would so negatively impact women. WE HAVE A RIGHT TO PRIVACY. This is ridiculous. I thought Republicans were all about less big government. Nothing says big government like keeping a database on pregnant women. We are not going to stand for this.



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WITNESS NAME: ANDREA SCHANKMAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: andipowers@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:34 PM

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I, Andrea Schankman, resident St Louis MO 63105, am in total opposition to HB1579. I urge you to oppose this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: ANGELA SHAVER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: Shaver.angela@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 6:59 AM
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I am writing to express my strong opposition to HB 1579, which is currently under consideration in the Committee on Children and Families. This bill, under the guise of adoption reform, would create a state database to track pregnant women—a dangerous government overreach that has no place in a free society. This bill raises serious concerns about privacy, bodily autonomy, and government intrusion. Regardless of political affiliation, Missourians are alarmed by the idea that the state would monitor pregnancies in this way. Such tracking could set a dangerous precedent, one that opens the door to further surveillance and control over personal medical decisions. I urge you to oppose HB 1579 and any legislation that infringes on the rights of individuals under the guise of so-called “reforms.” The government should be focused on supporting families and children—not invading the private lives of its citizens. Please stand up for personal freedom and privacy by rejecting this extreme and unnecessary proposal. I look forward to your response and hope you will take a firm stand against HB 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: ANGIE MILLER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Please stop trying to control women's reproductive rights. It feels like this is a way of "tracking" pregnancies under the guise of adoption. Missourians overwhelmingly voted for Amendment 3 in November. Despite that vote, state representative are tying to circumvent the people's rights.



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WITNESS NAME: ANN CAMPBELL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I OPPOSE proposed changes to HB 1579. Missourians don't need another system, no matter how seemingly "voluntary," to promote adoption over abortion. Funds for creating and supporting this department would be better spent supporting the health, education, and safety of thousands of Missouri's children already born and already needy.



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You are treating women like chattel. Shame on anyone who would entertain this ridiculous, dangerous, offensive bill.



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EMAIL: ann_poisson@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 8:22 AM
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EMAIL: amb737879@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 2:44 PM
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I am **TOTALLY AGAINST** HB 1579! This is a disgrace to present a bill calling for a data base for pregnant women. This is a violation of a person health information and their personal privacy. **ALL** medical information for anyone is between a patient and her physician. And is not the business of the government, state or federal.



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WITNESS NAME: ANNA MEYER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: anna@range-free.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:55 PM

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Why are you wasting everyone's time and tax dollars for an illegal, un-Constitutional bill? WE THE PEOPLE have already spoken. You don't get to work around democracy.



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EMAIL: annalisa_deaton@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 7:17 PM
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Submitted! I am writing to express my strong opposition to HB 1579, which is currently under consideration in the Committee on Children and Families. This bill, under the guise of adoption reform, would create a state database to track pregnant women—a dangerous government overreach that has no place in a free society. This bill raises serious concerns about privacy, bodily autonomy, and government intrusion. Regardless of political affiliation, Missourians are alarmed by the idea that the state would monitor pregnancies in this way. Such tracking could set a dangerous precedent, one that opens the door to further surveillance and control over personal medical decisions. I urge you to oppose HB 1579 and any legislation that infringes on the rights of individuals under the guise of so-called “reforms.” The government should be focused on supporting families and children—not invading the private lives of its citizens. Please stand up for personal freedom and privacy by rejecting this extreme and unnecessary proposal. I look forward to your response and hope you will take a firm stand against HB 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: ANNE ELISA TILL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: 314elisa@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:40 PM
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My name is Anne Elisa Till from Affton, MO. I am one of the Missourians who do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state.



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EMAIL: alkaseberg@att.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 1:34 AM
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This bill is abhorrent! There is no purpose, except to criminalize what happens with a woman's body. If you push for this absurd registry of pregnant women, you then arrest, put them on trial, and imprison them for a "self abortion." That was what my doctor referred to it as when I lost my first pregnancy by miscarriage. I had just entered my 2nd trimester. Other states have passed laws preventing women from having a D&C, as they consider it an abortion. The procedure is to clear the dead fetal material so it doesn't fester and go sepsis. I was lucky, my miscarriage occurred in the 1970s. The people of Missouri overwhelmingly voted to pass Amendment 3 to the State Constitution. The Republicans in the State House and Senate continually work to over turn the will of the voters. They won't be happy until women are dying from miscarriages and pregnancies gone bad. I oppose this and every other attempt by this administration to limit and/or prevent a woman in the State of Missouri from complete autonomy over decisions concerning her body. This includes the choice to not carry a pregnancy to term.



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EMAIL: arenginsberg@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 2:06 PM
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Respect the constitutional rights and individual liberties of Missourians: oppose HB 1579.If this was actually about child welfare and streamlining the adoption process, the sponsors would REMOVE THE "CENTRAL REGISTRY" part of it. They would LEAVE 'EXPECTING MOTHERS' ALONE to make their own decisions, a freedom Missourians worked HARD to secure for ourselves through the ballot box.



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EMAIL: ariana.pauley@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 9:59 PM
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Opposition to HB 1579 – The "Pregnant Women Database" Bill Hello, My name is Ariana Pauley, and I am a resident of Saint Louis County in Missouri. I am here today to express my strong opposition to HB 1579, the so-called "Adoption" bill, which includes provisions for a central registry of pregnant women. This bill raises serious concerns about privacy, constitutional rights, and government overreach, and I urge the committee to reject it. 1. This bill includes blatant infringements on the personal privacy of Missouri citizens. HB 1579 proposes a central registry for pregnant women, which would require the government to collect and track personal medical information about individuals who are expecting. This is a clear violation of privacy rights. No one should be subjected to surveillance simply because they are pregnant. This registry could lead to misuse of personal data and create a chilling effect on women seeking healthcare or making personal decisions about their pregnancies. The citizens of Missouri, myself included, voted to allow abortion access in this state as of November 2024. This bills, especially when viewed in conjunction with other legislation currently working their way through congress, fly directly in the face of what the people have directly chosen. 2. The government overreach included in this piece of legislation is blatant and simply wrong. The bill classifies certain individuals as "at risk" of exercising their constitutional rights, such as the right to reproductive choice. A right that Missouri citizens have clearly given their opinion on at the ballot box. This is deeply troubling. The government has no business targeting individuals based on their potential to exercise their rights. This sets a dangerous precedent and undermines the freedoms that Missourians hold dear. 3. The insidious inclusions within this piece of legislation undermines the positive changes that could be achieved if the ulterior motive were removed. While the bill is framed as a way to streamline adoption, the inclusion of a central registry for pregnant women reveals a different intent. If the goal is truly to support adoption and child welfare, the registry is unnecessary and invasive. Instead of focusing on registries, the state should invest in resources that genuinely support expecting mothers and families, such as healthcare, childcare, and financial assistance. 4. This piece of legislation will have an imbalanced effect on the citizens of Missouri. This bill disproportionately affects low-income women, women of color, and other marginalized groups who already face systemic barriers to healthcare and autonomy. A registry will further stigmatize and penalize these communities, rather than providing the support they need. I urge the committee to reject HB 1579. This bill is not about supporting adoption or child welfare—it is about controlling and monitoring pregnant women. Missourians deserve better. We deserve policies that respect our privacy, uphold our constitutional rights, and provide real support to families in need. We the People have already spoken on this matter, and we deserve for our choice to be respected. Thank you for the opportunity to speak today. I sincerely hope you will consider the serious concerns raised by this bill and stand with Missourians in opposing it. Please reflect on what we who oppose this bill present to you today. Please imagine how this registry can and will negatively affect the citizens of Missouri.

Please recognize the way this bill can be abused to target and discriminate against you, your daughters, your nieces, sisters, cousins and friends. Please imagine yourself in the shoes of those who you have chosen to govern and serve. Please vote NO on HB 1579.



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EMAIL: ariel.sarah@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:53 AM

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Creating a registry of pregnant women is a gross violation of privacy.



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WITNESS NAME: ARNIE C."HONEST-ABE" DIENOFF-STATE PUBLIC ADVOCATE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: arniedienoff@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: In-Person		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:27 PM
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I am Opposed to this Bill in its present form. These initiatives can be achieved by current State Departments and Divisions of State Government. There is NO reason to recreate the wheel and hiring of additional Staff to implement and operate a new Adoption Program. There is a \$40-Million Fiscal Note that only provides for 46 New Full-Time Employees. This Fiscal Note did not take into account the Legal Counsel and Coordinators that will be needed in all 115-Counties and the City of Saint Louis. This Bill needs to be revised to not take away services of Not-For-Profit Adoption Agencies and Organizations.



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WITNESS NAME: ARRISA ROBINSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: arrisarobinson@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 8:33 AM
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Good morning, This bill was brought to my attention with the intent of objecting to its provisions on pregnant individuals and pregnant individuals only. While it is absolutely unnecessary to carve out state resources to essentially "track" each pregnancy in this state, it also worries me as to even how that will be managed (I.e, who's in charge of managing this database, how many employees be needed for this statewide, what is the goal for this bill, how will success of this bill be measured if it succeeds in 1 year/5 years/20 years). Ultimately, I oppose this bill because I believe in the fairness of tracking all fertile males as well as pregnant individuals, who are biologically female. If females were to have this registry, then fertile males should also be subjected to a similar registry system for total oversight for ALL citizens who could viably create human life. Once again, I do wonder how this state will come up with the resources to manage these systems, but if we are already trying to make this bill happen then we obviously have funding and a plan in the grand scheme for this that is worth reevaluating to easily include a registry for fertile males as well. Until these plans merge into one, I cannot reasonably agree to the creation of this bill. Sincerely, Arrisa Robinson



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My name is Ashley Burk, and I am from St. Charles, Missouri. Testimony in Opposition to the Anti-Abortion Bill Establishing a Government Registry of Pregnant Missourians To the Honorable Members of the House Committee on Children and Families, I write to express my strong opposition to the proposed bill being considered today that seeks to establish a government registry of pregnant Missourians deemed "at risk of seeking abortion." This bill represents a dangerous infringement on personal freedoms, a violation of privacy, and a disregard for the autonomy and dignity of women and pregnant individuals. First and foremost, the establishment of a registry based on pregnancy status introduces an unprecedented level of governmental intrusion into one of the most personal and private aspects of a person's life: their reproductive choices. Reproductive decisions are deeply individual, shaped by a person's health, circumstances, beliefs, and values. No government or entity should have the power to track, monitor, or scrutinize these decisions. Such a registry would not only violate privacy but also create an environment of fear and coercion, where pregnant individuals feel pressured to comply with state-imposed expectations rather than make decisions based on their own well-being. Further, the idea of tracking individuals "at risk of seeking abortion" is both discriminatory and harmful. It assumes that individuals need to be controlled and manipulated, stripping them of their autonomy and reducing them to mere objects of government surveillance. This approach does not support the well-being of pregnant individuals; instead, it fosters an atmosphere of distrust and hostility between citizens and the state. It threatens the right to make personal medical decisions free from government interference—a cornerstone of individual liberty. Moreover, this bill does nothing to address the actual needs of pregnant individuals, such as access to quality healthcare, prenatal care, financial support, or mental health services. If the state truly cares about reducing the need for abortion, it should focus on providing comprehensive support for individuals facing unplanned pregnancies, including access to affordable healthcare, child care, education, and social services. Instead, this bill seeks to criminalize and stigmatize individuals who are simply exercising their fundamental right to make decisions about their own bodies and futures. In addition, it is crucial to consider the long-term consequences of such legislation. By imposing a registry, the state not only infringes upon the right to privacy but also sets a precedent for further erosion of civil liberties. It opens the door to other forms of governmental control over private, personal matters, ultimately undermining the values of freedom and autonomy that our society is built upon. I urge the committee to reject this bill and instead focus on policies that protect and empower pregnant individuals, support families, and safeguard personal freedom. Every person deserves the right to make their own reproductive decisions without the threat of government surveillance or coercion. Let us ensure that Missouri upholds its commitment to freedom, privacy, and respect for all individuals, regardless of their reproductive choices. Thank you for your time and consideration.



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I am an Arnold MO resident. There should not be any type of registry for any pregnant person. I strongly oppose.



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I live in SD15 and I am opposed to HB1579. Missourians do not need more government overreach. We do not want our tax dollars used to fund registries for tracking our fellow Missourians. Please vote no on HB1579.



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How dare you. This bill was already withdrawn due to the voters making it known they do not support this bill. And you thought you'd just re file it like our opinions don't matter. Remember, YOU work for US.



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Creation of a government operated, tax-funded baby exchange / database is weird. We should be resolving issues with existing foster care and adoption services that are already funded by taxpayer dollars. Also, this bill overlooks and duplicates existing program Alternatives to Abortion.
<https://dss.mo.gov/fsd/a2a/>



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I Oppose HB1579			



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I am a Missouri resident and I oppose this bill. This bill is an anti-abortion bill in disguise and will only hurt Missouri women. Implementing a registry tracking pregnant women is a violation of our rights, freedoms, and privacy. This bill does nothing to support existing foster care and adoption systems and will only hurt an underfunded and overworked system. This will also hinder women's healthcare and make Missouri more dangerous for pregnant women.



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WITNESS NAME: BARBARA BRUMLEY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Missourians do not want governmental interference or intrusion into their reproductive decisions. This legislation reeks of Big Brother and has no place in our state.



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**This bill is government overreach. This is a violation of personal information by the government.
Establishing and maintaining a central registry of expecting mothers is abhorrent. Absolutely NO.**



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As a 71 year old woman, I resent men politicians trying to chip away at my rights. Women have fought for the freedoms we have and we deserve the same respect afforded to men. Let women be the judge of what is best during pregnancy and stop trying to control our reproductive rights. I had a difficult pregnancy and was lucky to deliver a healthy baby. At the time I had to make decisions that were right for me. I was the only person qualified to do so. The state had no right or reason to be involved. The voters have spoken on these issues. We voted on the abortion issue so stop trying to work around issues we've already decided. Creating a database of pregnant women speaks volumes on how much you want to control women's bodies. Why not focus on restricting men's control of their bodies?!



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If as pregnant person wants information on adoption, there are many programs already in place to help them. Stop trying to pass this legislation to track pregnant people. Missourians voted for abortion access and it's no one's business but the pregnant person.



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Please vote against this bill. A better Adoption bill can be written with taking control of the bodies of the young women of our state. I am a Grandmother and Mother of all Girls. The state has no right to interfere with their lives. This is an extremely dangerous move and I pray that you will vote against it. Thank you, Barbara Tippet, St. Louis, MO 63123



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This is the beginning of The Handmaids tail. If you support this bill all women in the state will know your name for the wrong reasons. DO NOT support this abhorrent, closed minded, dangerous way of thinking. If you do, you will be held responsible for the suffering of women and children throughout the state. If you care more about saving face than women dying by all means go ahead.



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The part of this bill that's really offensive to Missourians is the idea that the state government is going to classify certain individuals as being "at risk" of exercising a constitutional right. I have to imagine that idea sends chills up the spine of anyone who claims to support constitutional rights and individual liberties. It is clear the bill sponsors are bending over backward to dress this bill up as a simple adoption program. If this was actually about child welfare and streamlining the adoption process, the sponsors would remove the "Central Registry" part of it. They would leave 'expecting mothers' alone to make their own decisions, a freedom Missourians (unfortunately) had to work HARD to secure for themselves through the ballot box. I urge everyone to read "The Girls who Went Away" by Ann Fessler. This is a collection of accounts of women (young single moms) who were coerced and forced to give their children up to be adopted by "fit" parents in the years prior to Roe. This proposed bill is a roadmap to start that practice again. Do not be fooled by Republicans trying to call it a "pro adoption" bill. On top of all of this, I'd be remiss to not stress the fact that the adoption industry in the U.S. is wildly flawed, to say the least, and the state has no business forcing vulnerable pregnant people into a system that many birth mothers have described as predatory, dehumanizing and traumatic. Forcing a central registry of "at risk" mother could have severe and far reaching implications that we may not expect, such as future employers doing background checks and excluding anyone who was ever on this list. Making it impossible for them to get jobs and provide for their children whether they actually put their children up for adoption, or not. This bill cannot be allowed to pass.



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This is a violation of constitutional and HIPAA rights. We have a right as individuals to not be tracked by the government.



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This is the second time this has been presented. This is not fair to women. What a step backwards. No, just no.



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Stop trying to take away women's rights. We passed the abortion law stop trying to go against our wished



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Vote no on this terribly invasive measure. The government must not be involved in tracking pregnant people. Pregnant people can and will find adoption services on their own, should they wish to do so.



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I am strongly in opposition to creating a registry of pregnant people to be matched with families wanting to adopt. This is just a way to control women and their healthcare choices. Keep your slimy government hands off women's bodies.



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This bill is infringing on the privacy of women. There are other ways to help them. Don't move Missouri and closer to The Handmaid's Tale than it already is. Stop or withdraw this bill! The residents of Missouri have already spoken on this!



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My name is Blythe Burkhardt and I live in St Louis. I am submitting testimony in opposition to HB 1579. The database proposed by this bill will lead to discrimination, abuse and harassment against pregnant individuals and is a violation of Missourians' constitutional rights and individual liberties. Missourians deserve to make their own decisions about their health and body and pregnancy decisions are no one else's business, and especially not the business of the state government. It's time to respect the wishes of Missouri voters and end these attacks on bodily autonomy and individual decision making.



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I don't believe the government has a place in this decision. A fetus is not legally recognized person. I strongly an oppose the government involvement in this decision.



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I am in opposition to this bill. I think there are huge privacy concerns and also we don't know what the unconsidered and unintended consequences would be.



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WITNESS NAME: BRANDON WINFREY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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State nor Federal representatives should have any say or authority to institute any kind of database or forum that makes pregnant women mandatory to register. Private family planning should never have the governments hand in it, unless it plans to also provide health care, housing and any other “amenities” that come with the cost of bearing a child simply because the government says you have to. While we’re at it let’s just make it mandatory for men to get a vasectomy until they are documented as a married male.



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Missouri does not need to track pregnancies as if women are livestock or carrying the next heir to a monarchy. Stop. Just stop. Pregnancy is a medical situation that is covered by privacy regulations. No information was detailed enough to indicate a woman's privacy would be taken into consideration.



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WITNESS NAME: BRENDA LEBSACK		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: balebsack@stjoelive.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 3:24 PM
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Politicians do NOT own women's bodies. We have fought for our right to make our decisions and we will continue to fight. You need to require boys and men to get vasectomies. WOW, problem solved. Get some real work done!



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WITNESS NAME: BRENDA PUTTHOFF		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This is an intrusion into the privacy of pregnant women. Women don't need to be "tracked" by their government. And, they certainly don't need the government to decide if they are at risk for seeking an abortion. This sounds like something from an authoritarian government.



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WITNESS NAME: BRIAN VANDERHEYDEN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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It is shocking that the Children and Families Committee would be hearing HB 1579. Last month the sponsor and his informational expert walked back the language contained in the bill of a mandatory registry. HB 1579 states, "The Division is required to make and maintain a central registry of each expecting mother who is at risk for seeking an abortion and a central registry of each prospective adoptive parent who has successfully completed certain screenings, background checks, home studies, and other investigations to ensure the fit of the prospective parent to adopt a child." There are so many problems with this bill, too numerous to list. But expecting pregnant individuals to hand over their medical information to the state of Missouri is a complete and egregious overreach of government. Another attempt by extremist lawmakers to guilt or perhaps criminalize women who have a right to an abortion is this state with the passage of Amendment 3.



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WITNESS NAME: BRIDGET WILSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I oppose this set back for women.



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WITNESS NAME: BRITNEY GRIFFIN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: britneysemailaddress@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 1:25 PM
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This bill is another unethical attempt to control women and their bodily autonomy. We are not a womb with legs meant to give pump out babies. We are not baby factories. Poor women are not baby factories. How about a bill that gives them \$\$\$ to keep their kids? Ya'll can't even find homes for the all kids already. How many of those who would vote for this bill are foster parents?



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WITNESS NAME: BRITTANY HANSCHEN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: bhanschen1@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:37 AM
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You stupid motherfuckers! We voted against this! Listen to the people. Stop pandering to that orange glob of shit! Let's start an ejaculation database. Track the& punish recreational ejaculators. How's that feel? Not as fun when it's about your pathetic little penis is it?



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WITNESS NAME: BRITTANY KIEFER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: brittany.kiefer@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:36 AM
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My name is Brittany Kiefer and I am voter from St. Louis City. I OPPOSE HB1579. Creating a registry to track pregnant Missourians is an invasion of privacy and government overreach. Missourians voted to protect the right to access full reproductive care and we know this is just another sneaky ploy by the Missouri legislature to defy the will of the people and ultimately ban abortion. Over 1.5 million Missourians showed up to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, IN THE HANDS OF THE PEOPLE AND FAMILIES OF OUR STATE, not in the hands of politicians. VOTE NO ON HB1579.



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I am an opposition of this Bill as a woman who desires to potentially be pregnant one day. I do not want to be associated with a list where I am not able to clarify details about my pregnancy. This is government, actively overstepping into the people's lives and I am not in support of it and neither should my representatives of my state. Do not need to track all pregnant women for adoption services, you are over reaching.



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WITNESS NAME: CANDACE JOHNSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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A woman's pregnancy must not be the business of any state or federal government!



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Leave women alone. You are trying to prevent women from exercising their constitutional freedom as decided by Missouri voters. Again. Any way you can get around the will of the people, eh? Why don't you focus on funding public education for once?



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WITNESS NAME: CARLA ARRIOLA		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: carlaarriola7@aol.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:51 PM
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You want to create a database of pregnant women who you all determine to be at risk for exercising their constitutional right to control their own bodies. Who will provide the data to you? Doctors? Insurers? Neighbors? This is unnecessary, unconstitutional and completely unacceptable.



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WITNESS NAME: CAROL MCCORKLE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This bill is offensive to women and assumes they are not able to make informed medical decisions with their doctors. It also goes against the will of the people. Please vote no.



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BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: carolinekmoll@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 6:23 PM
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Once again, I am here asking for you to listen to the will of the people. This is will not make Missouri a safe place for women and pregnant people. We are already failing women. We are at the bottom of the list for women's healthcare, maternal health and education. Let's stop wasting Missourian's time, money and limited resources on this nonsense.



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WITNESS NAME: CAROLYN IVEY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: cmivey9@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 10:44 PM
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Stop with the databases of pregnant women. This bill objectifies pregnant women and their children by targeting vulnerable women and forcing them to place their children for adoption. There are already children in the foster care system eligible for adoption, spend the resources on placing those children in forever homes This bill is NOT an acceptable alternative to abortion. Missouri voted "YES" on legalizing abortion, while I am personally pro-life for the whole life, Missouri law makers must respect the will of the people!



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WITNESS NAME: CARRIE LOVE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: lovecarrie82@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:35 AM
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Pregnant women are not "at risk" if they are seeking their constitutional right of abortion healthcare. We the people of Missouri voted for this constitutional right to abortion. Stop trying to infringe on the rights of women. Tracking women in ANY way is wrong. Calling them "at risk" is wrong. This bill will make women targets for anti-abortion zealots and government groups trying to control women. This is not constitutional. While it feels I am screaming into a vacuum, I cannot be silent on matters of autonomy and constitutional rights. I urge you to vote no on HB 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: CASEY CASSIDY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: clc4xp@umsystem.edu	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 9:26 PM
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I am writing in strong opposition to Missouri House Bill 1579 (HB1579), a deeply invasive and dangerous proposal that seeks to create a government-run pregnancy surveillance system. This bill is not about supporting adoption—it is about control. Let's be clear: this bill is not well-intentioned. It is a blatant attempt to track and monitor pregnant individuals, labeling them as potential "abortion risks" and pushing them into a system that prioritizes political ideology over personal autonomy. This kind of legislation does not help pregnant Missourians—it intimidates them. Privacy Violations & Government Overreach: HB1579 would establish a state-run registry of pregnant individuals, effectively putting the government in the business of tracking pregnancies. This is a massive overreach of government power. No one should have to worry that their reproductive choices are being monitored and logged by the state. This is a dystopian overreach that has no place in a free society. Coercion, Not Support: If Missouri lawmakers truly cared about increasing adoptions and helping pregnant people, they would invest in healthcare, housing, and economic support, not a registry that pressures them into placing their child for adoption. Instead of providing actual resources, this bill treats pregnant people like data points to be tracked and manipulated. A Dangerous Precedent: This bill is not happening in isolation—it is part of a broader effort to strip away reproductive rights and control personal medical decisions. The same lawmakers pushing HB1579 have worked tirelessly to ban abortion, limit access to contraception, and block funding for maternal healthcare. This is not about helping families—it's about surveillance and control. The Real Solution: Investing in Pregnant People, Not Tracking Them! If legislators truly wanted to reduce abortions and increase adoptions, they would: Expand Medicaid coverage for prenatal and postpartum care Provide paid family leave Increase funding for childcare and early education Support comprehensive sex education and access to contraception Instead, they are proposing a database that could be weaponized against vulnerable people. Reject HB1579: I urge this committee to reject HB1579 and any other legislation that seeks to track, control, and pressure pregnant Missourians into decisions dictated by politicians rather than their own lives and circumstances. This bill is a disgraceful attempt to normalize pregnancy surveillance and push an anti-choice agenda under the guise of "adoption reform." Missouri deserves better.



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WITNESS NAME: CASEY ZUNIGA		PHONE NUMBER:	
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A woman's body is her own business, and the government should stay out of it. If she chooses to have an abortion for whatever reason the government does not need to know about it.



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WITNESS NAME: CASSIE MALONE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: Cassie.malone42@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 1:39 PM
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Requiring a central database of pregnant women so that the government can control their bodies is absolutely sick and absurd. Particularly with the reasoning that they are "at risk" of exercising their constitutional right to bodily autonomy. As a Missourian I am disgusted that my state legislature would even consider such an abhorrent bill. Republicans do not care about women OR children. They care about having total control. They do not want this country to be the land of the free.



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WITNESS NAME: CATHY ROPER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: cathy@roperconsultinggroup.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 7:27 PM
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My name is Cathy Roper and I live in Wildwood, Missouri. I am violently in opposition to a registry of pregnant women. I feel like I've moved to a third-world country with a totalitarian government when I hear a registry proposed for law-abiding citizens simply because they're pregnant. The government has no business being involved in family planning or healthcare decisions, period! This is a Naziesque level of intrusion into people's personal lives and leads down the road to a surveillance society. If we're going to do that, why not a registry of fertile men, so you can monitor their sex lives in a similar manner. If I were of childbearing age, I would be running, not walking, to have my tubes tied. If your goal is to promote families, you're going to achieve the exact opposite. No woman wants to be monitored like she's an adolescent under supervision. You have my personal guarantee that I will make it my life's mission to organize to see that everyone who votes for this appalling proposal is out of office. Government exists to make the lives of its citizens better, not subject them to a police state. Please try to remember that, and that you work for us. You'd do well to listen to us when we vote on a specific issue instead of immediately trying to figure out how you can circumvent the will of your citizens. Sincerely, Cathy Roper



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WITNESS NAME: CHARIS NORELL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I find this bill deeply troubling. To create a record of pregnant women and persons feels deeply invasive to the person's right to privacy and respect for their own medical records. I am strongly opposed to HB 1579 and demand that this bill be dropped.



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Abortion must stay legal in Missouri for the health of all pregnant women



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WITNESS NAME: CHARLOTTE SCHAEFER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: charlotte.schaefer@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 4:38 PM

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Completely oppose this vast overreach into womens' private health information. I thought conservatives were for less government intrusion. Hypocritical and illegal. Do better.



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The service described is not and should not be the role of the state. Many organizations exist already that fill this role perfectly well.



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My name is Charmagne Schneider and I am from the 146th District Girardeau Missouri. I am opposed to the intrusion into private decisions in women's lives and in favor off safe and legal abortion. I oppose HB 1579 as do the overwhelming majority of Missourians who voted in favor of Amendment 3.



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good god, please STOP trying this bill. do something beneficial for missourians instead of routinely going against what we have already voted for.



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I am asking you vote no on this bill. Women are losing their rights to appropriate health care and suffering the consequences at an alarming rate. As a grandmother to a granddaughter I want her to have safe and easy access to heath care. This bill sets women back by decades. I insist you vote no on this legislation.



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WITNESS NAME: CHERYL MARTINI		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: crwmartini@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 6:04 PM
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Dear Senator Amato, I am writing to express my strong opposition to HB 1579, which proposes the creation of a registry for pregnant individuals considering adoption. While I understand the intent behind this bill, I urge you to reconsider its implications, particularly regarding privacy rights and the vast unintended consequences it may create. A government-managed registry of pregnant individuals is a serious intrusion into personal privacy. The highly sensitive nature of pregnancy decisions demands confidentiality, yet this bill raises concerns about how data will be collected, stored, and protected. Any breach—intentional or accidental—could expose vulnerable individuals to coercion, harassment, or exploitation. Furthermore, government oversight of such a deeply personal decision sets a dangerous precedent for state involvement in reproductive choices. Additionally, the unintended consequences of this bill are immense. Pregnant individuals may feel pressured into adoption, fearing surveillance or intervention in their personal medical decisions. It also risks creating a system that prioritizes the desires of prospective adoptive parents over the well-being and autonomy of those carrying pregnancies. Instead of facilitating coercive registries, Missouri should invest in programs that provide pregnant individuals with real choices, including healthcare access, parenting support, and economic assistance. I oppose HB 1579 and urge you to focus on policies that truly empower individuals rather than subjecting them to unnecessary governmental oversight. Thank you for your time and consideration. Sincerely, Cheryl Martini



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My name is Christine McMasters in Saint Peters, MO and I am in opposition to HB1579 for reasons of protecting human rights



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I am writing to express my strong opposition to HB 1579, which is currently under consideration in the Committee on Children and Families. This bill, under the guise of adoption reform, would create a state database to track pregnant women—a dangerous government overreach that has no place in a free society. This bill raises serious concerns about privacy, bodily autonomy, and government intrusion. Regardless of political affiliation, Missourians are alarmed by the idea that the state would monitor pregnancies in this way. Such tracking could set a dangerous precedent, one that opens the door to further surveillance and control over personal medical decisions. I urge you to oppose HB 1579 and any legislation that infringes on the rights of individuals under the guise of so-called “reforms.” The government should be focused on supporting families and children—not invading the private lives of its citizens. Please stand up for personal freedom and privacy by rejecting this extreme and unnecessary proposal. I look forward to your response and hope you will take a firm stand against HB 1579.



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EMAIL: ccoleman42@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 12:00 PM
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I thought Republicans were in favor of smaller government and here you are proposing a entirely new division. Maintaining a list of pregnant women under the guise of offering services and support is misleading. This sounds like a way to track pregnant women to see if they opt not to continue their pregnancy. You are asking women to disclose personal healthcare information that the state can then track. Instead, why doesn't every county office of the Division of Family Services establish a database of community groups, businesses, and attorneys willing to provide services to expectant families and make that publicly accessible so the state doesn't have to establish a new division and ANY expectant family can avail themselves of services without having to involve a government agency in their personal family decisions? Sounds like a more "efficient" system to me.



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WITNESS NAME: CHRISTINA FREEMAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This proposed legislation is another attempt to regulate women's bodies and access to contraceptive care and choices, as well as an attempt to override the will of the people. The bill proposes to create a pregnancy tracking system under the guise of matching pregnancies to those who wish to adopt, but who will determine which women are 'at risk of seeking abortion services' (page 5, lines 6-9)? Additionally, on pages 6-7, lines 20-23 - who determines what is 'appropriate and relevant training, education, and expertise'? Will that education and expertise include the ability to recommend and facilitate access to abortion care for women facing critical, life-threatening health emergencies? Missourians voted for access to abortion. Why are elected officials wasting time trying to overturn this? Better yet, why aren't elected women speaking out and sending this 1950s-era crap to the trash? Stop arguing semantics. Stop arguing about exceptions. Stop attempts to create fetal personhood. Abortion is healthcare, even if you don't like it.



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making a registry for pregnant people is a slippery slope to human trafficking. as an infertile woman who would love to adopt a child in need of a home, this is NOT the way to do it. this is a gross overstep in women's rights to privacy and likely a violation of federal HIPAA laws. this is the second time this type of bill has been raised in missouri and the public outcry from both sides of the aisle was immense the first time. please listen to your constituents and stop this insanity.



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Stop overturning the will of the voters			



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I voted to approve abortion and dispise this continued chipping away of womens health care in this manner.



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People who are parenting or who want to parent deserve support and access to resources– but HB 1579 is just another sneaky mechanism to ultimately ban abortion and track pregnant Missourians. Missourians do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state.



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I am opposed to HB 1579. Women have a right to abortion. A registry of women is a violation of privacy, as well as a waste of time, energy, and taxpayer dollars.



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The idea of creating a central database of pregnant women is both alarming and asinine. proposing such a measure under the guise of being “at risk” is nothing more than an assault to constitutional rights and bodily autonomy. As a Missourian, I find it appalling that our state legislature would even consider such a disturbing and invasive proposal.



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EMAIL: cierahmcelroy@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 9:11 PM
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I am greatly opposed to the pregnancy registry in this bill. I am an author who has devoted much of my creative life to studying family issues and adoption practices. This bill creates the potential for direct or indirect negotiations between parties, which could lead to coercion, financial exploitation, or baby brokering, which is unfortunately very common. I am very concerned that inadequate regulation could lead to exploitative financial arrangements, such as adoptive parents covering medical or living expenses in exchange for preferential placement—blurring the lines between ethical assistance and financial coercion.



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Good afternoon, My name is Cindy Potts and I am a resident of Springfield, Missouri. I am writing today to express my strong opposition to HB 1579, the so-called "Adoption" bill, which includes provisions for a central registry of pregnant women. This bill raises serious concerns about privacy, constitutional rights, and government overreach, and I urge the committee to reject it.

1. ****Invasion of Privacy****: HB 1579 proposes a central registry for pregnant women, which would require the government to collect and track personal information about individuals who are expecting. This is a clear violation of privacy rights. No one should be subjected to surveillance simply because they are pregnant. This registry could lead to misuse of personal data and create a chilling effect on women seeking healthcare or making personal decisions about their pregnancies.

2. ****Government Overreach****: The bill classifies certain individuals as "at risk" of exercising their constitutional rights, such as the right to reproductive choice. This is deeply troubling. The government has no business targeting individuals based on their potential to exercise their rights. This sets a dangerous precedent and undermines the freedoms that Missourians hold dear.

3. ****Misleading Framing****: While the bill is framed as a way to streamline adoption, the inclusion of a central registry for pregnant women reveals a different intent. If the goal is truly to support adoption and child welfare, the registry is unnecessary and invasive. Instead of focusing on registries, the state should invest in resources that genuinely support expecting mothers and families, such as healthcare, childcare, and financial assistance.

4. ****Impact on Vulnerable Communities****: This bill disproportionately affects low-income women, women of color, and other marginalized groups who already face systemic barriers to healthcare and autonomy. A registry could further stigmatize and penalize these communities, rather than providing the support they need.

****Call to Action****: I urge the committee to reject HB 1579. This bill is not about supporting adoption or child welfare—it is about controlling and monitoring pregnant women. Missourians deserve better. We deserve policies that respect our privacy, uphold our constitutional rights, and provide real support to families in need. Thank you for the opportunity to speak today. I hope you will consider the serious concerns raised by this bill and stand with Missourians in opposing it. Please vote NO on HB 1579.



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The vagueness surrounding what defines a mother “at risk of abortion” creates a dangerous opening for gross discrimination against women. This bill could lead to harmful and unjust treatment, further endangering women in vulnerable situations. Not to mention the privacy violations that could occur by creating a “marketplace” for unborn children. Instead of focusing on harmful legislation, we should direct our efforts toward meaningful actions that truly support children and families—such as protecting access to public education, supporting children with learning disabilities, ensuring free lunches for students, providing a livable minimum wage, making childcare affordable, and expanding funding for food assistance programs. The state does not have business in defining who is considered an at-risk pregnancy and what families are deemed more worthy of raising a child. The voters already spoke and passed amendment 3 to enshrine a woman’s right to choose last November. This is a personal healthcare decision only.



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Please remove all the central database nonsense in this bill, as that isn't relevant to any part of adoption. I strongly oppose this bill, and you all should be ashamed for trying to sneak this in quietly. It's not the state's business what a woman does with her body.



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EMAIL: richmonjr@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 1:24 PM
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This bill ia disgusting and offensive to not only women, but all Missourians. I am opposed.			



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WITNESS NAME: CONNIE LEE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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You have tried this once before and it didn't work. We the people voted to allow abortions and this feeble attempt to set up a 'registry' of at risk women again is nothing more than an attempt by old white guys to control a womans decisions about her body. Just get over it and move on to really important issues. Like the USDA cuts and the effects that has on Missouri farmers and school lunch programs. Or the high cost of groceries. MOVE ON!!!



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This bill is offensive on so many levels. Originally described as an anti-abortion bill by Amato, this bill targets pregnant women for the sole purpose of giving a newborn to “appropriate and fit” (Aja white and straight) prospective adoptive parents. This is the closest thing to legalizing selling babies I’ve ever heard of. This bill should be opposed.



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EMAIL: huskeycorey@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 8:58 PM
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My name is Corey Huskey and I live in Ballwin, MO. My rep is Ann Wagner and I am writing to oppose HB 1579. I do not believe it is the states right to monitor or get involved with families or pregnant women. This is a violation of bodily autonomy and a gross government over reach.



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EMAIL: mathews.cristen2011@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:28 PM
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Hello. My name is Cristen Mathews and I live in St. Louis City, Missouri. I am testifying in opposition to HB 1579 because the activity it describes is unconstitutional and an affront to the civil liberties of people needing reproductive healthcare, which includes abortion. The language indicates a desire to "track and surveil" pregnant people in the state of Missouri. This is not the first time these unconstitutional attempts have been made; for example, a former state health department director's (Dr. Randall Williams) admitting that he tracked the menstrual cycles of Planned Parenthood patients, a clear breach of patient confidentiality. Please reconsider this bill, even if ensuring that the reproductive rights of others is protected, as over a million of us voted for via Amendment 3 last year. In that case, helping prospective parents connect to existing children needing adoption sounds like a very beneficial social service. Thank you for your time and attention.



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WITNESS NAME: CYNTHIA GREIFE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: c.greife56@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 7:32 PM
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Please do not pass this bill. The goal post keeps getting pushed back even after the people voted. We are not stupid & know what we voted for. If you are going to be up for reelection, this will have consequences. You May Not Have A Job!!



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WITNESS NAME: CYNTHIA HEDRICK		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: kcah5134@sbcglobal.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 9:40 PM
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I write to you today in strong opposition to HB1579, a bill that would mandate the tracking of pregnant individuals in a state-run database. This proposed legislation is not only an egregious violation of personal privacy but also a dangerous overreach of government authority that threatens the rights and well-being of Missouri residents. STOP WASTING OUR MONEY by bringing back the same bills. The people of Missouri have spoken, quit trying to undo what the MAJORITY voted for. Missouri has no business interfering with the private reproductive decisions of its residents. The creation of such a database sets a dangerous precedent for government overreach, potentially leading to restrictions, criminalization, or undue scrutiny of personal medical choices. This bill does nothing to support maternal health or improve healthcare outcomes—it simply enforces unnecessary government intrusion. I urge this committee and the Missouri House of Representatives to reject HB1579 in its entirety. Instead of pursuing invasive policies that compromise privacy and autonomy, the legislature should focus on expanding access to healthcare, improving maternal health outcomes, and supporting families in ways that respect individual freedoms. Thank you for your time and consideration. I respectfully request that you vote against HB1579 and uphold the fundamental rights and privacy of Missouri residents.



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WITNESS NAME: CYNTHIA ROACH		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: oglesbyt54@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:28 PM
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This bill would infringe on the rights of Missouri's pregnant women. The government has no right to any of this information. As a Catholic mother of four, nana of fifteen, and great-nana of two, I am appalled that something like this would even be attempted. It is stepping all over the rights of women. Whether a pregnant woman is at risk of abortion is not any of the government's business. It is a personal matter between the woman and God! Do not support this bill. Thank you.



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WITNESS NAME: DAKOTA LEE ARROWSMITH		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: dakotaarrowsmith@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 7:35 PM
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Stop being Christian freaks trying to keep tabs on woman's body's. You have no right to make a list that tracks people's pregnancy , the fuck is wrong with yall. Why is it Republicans are always bitch about big movement coming for the people's rights and yall are always the ones trying to take them from good honest America's. STOP THIS BULLSHIT!



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WITNESS NAME: DALE TIESING		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: DAN KLOTZER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: danklzt@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:21 PM
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My name is Dan Klotzer and I live in University City. The outright bad faith and disrespect for the basics of human dignity that this bill represents makes it hard to believe any actual human proposed it. Such a high level of depravity is required to think it is OK to invade the beginnings of family with this equivalent of livestock tracking that I doubt many serial killers would be able to even fantasize in this way. The people of Missouri spoke with a large majority: Abortion is legal and protected in Missouri. Any elected official who cannot respect that needs to resign. Period.



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WITNESS NAME: DANA		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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EMAIL: danasandweiss@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 7:41 PM

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I strongly urge a no vote from every and all elected officials for many reasons including an invasion of privacy of all Missourians.



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WITNESS NAME: DANIEL SCHRAMM		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: daniel@dschrammlaw.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:33 AM
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My name is Daniel Schramm. I reside in St. Louis County, Missouri. I wish to express my opposition to HB 1579. I do not believe that the State of Missouri has any legitimate interest in tracking the pregnancies of women in the state. In my opinion, this proposed legislation is an invasion of privacy and is designed to chill the exercise of reproductive rights.



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WITNESS NAME: DARLENE BENWARE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: darlun38@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 3:12 PM

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The voters of Missouri have spoken, stop trying to take our power away.



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WITNESS NAME: DAVA-LEIGH B		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: dems22blue@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 12:20 PM
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Stop trying to create a registry of pregnant people. This is STILL a bad idea.			



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EMAIL: dems22blue@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/22/2025 10:49 AM

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Registries do not end well. DSS has huge tasks already. Fund and work on improving that.



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WITNESS NAME: DAVE CONANT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: davefb123@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 1:07 PM

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**You, and your legislative colleagues should mind your own business and that of the state of Missouri.
What your constituents do as private individuals does not fall into either of those areas.**



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WITNESS NAME: DAVE WEBSTER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: dwebster30@comcast.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 10:01 AM
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The aim of HB1579 is to reduce abortions by facilitating adoptions. However, this initiative sparks concerns about privacy and coercion, which can create additional barriers to adoption. The state does not need to get involved in the private affairs of either the expectant mother or the adoptive family. There are many organizations that help get a baby adopted quickly, competently and with no charge. They have the experience and understanding of the choice an expectant mother can make. They can operate nationwide and have been doing it for decades at no charge to the mother. There is no need for a government agency to do similar work. In addition to that, the proposed 'Missouri Adoptive Resources Services System' would have the ability to form its own regulations that are not Missouri law with penalties asking for jail time or fines. This is a severe overreach by the government into the private lives of our citizens. I cannot support HB1579.



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WITNESS NAME: DEB SPRAGUE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: debsprague88@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:49 AM
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This proposal is draconian, sexist, and absurd. Our rights to our own bodies and personal bodily functions and privacy regarding them, is obvious. Creating a registry like this is beyond the pale regarding human rights, privacy rights, our rights to bodily autonomy. Please cease with this effort and move on to actual legislative tasks that your constituents NEED in order to live and thrive in this state. There are plenty.



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WITNESS NAME: DEBBIE MOORMANN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: dmoo2@sbcglobal.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:47 PM

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Women should have the same rights as men when it comes to being able to make their own decisions about their bodies. It's a decision that should be made between a woman and their medical provider.



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WITNESS NAME: DEBORAH BARRETT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: murphypup@sbcglobal.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 10:26 PM

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We voted and you work for the people. Leave the abortion rights alone. It's not your decision. You are not a doctor. No government should be interfering or making lists and decisions for people.



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BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: debdurbin1@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/22/2025 10:32 AM
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The idea of requiring a central database of pregnant women is both alarming and absurd. Suggesting such a measure under the guise of being “at risk” is nothing more than an assault to constitutional rights and bodily autonomy. As a Missourian, I find it appalling that our state legislature would even consider such a disturbing and invasive proposal.



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WITNESS NAME: DEBORAH J KITCHEN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: Djresisting@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 7:45 PM
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Please stop all legislation, this bill especially, that is harassing pregnant women. We don't need registry for tracking periods or pregnancy's. I want this state to respect women's reproductive rights and our privacy.



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BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: debbielutzkya@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 4:34 PM
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I oppose this bill.			



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WITNESS NAME: DEBORAH STOLLER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: dlpkitty@sbcglobal.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 2:35 PM
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Because there is no reason for a registry of pregnant women or even women of childbearing years unless you're also going to keep a registry of all men (who can get a woman pregnant a lot longer in his life than a woman can get pregnant in hers)



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WITNESS NAME: DEBRA HEGER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: deborahheger@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 10:23 AM
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This is a violation of personal freedom Absolutely abhorrent ideaHIPAA violation This measure would allow unqualified and unfettered access to healthcare information Absolutely not responsible legislation Violation of women's rights



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WITNESS NAME: DEBRA JOHNSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: Dj4357@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 10:58 AM
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You have a lot more important things to do than take away more rights from women. How about fighting for kids, schools, Seniors and Veterans?? Instead you continue to ignore your Constituents. We wot forget!! Stop this bill and institute one that requires men to have vasectomies at 21. It can be reversed if they want to have kids when they are mature enough.



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WITNESS NAME: DENA AARON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: dnaaron2@charter.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 3:47 PM

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A registry of expectant women is not acceptable in a free society. This bill should not be passed. It was refilled in secret during a break.



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This bill is not helpful for Missouri families and can cause harm. Please don't not bring this bill to the floor.



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WITNESS NAME: DIANA MILLER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: info geek2001@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 3:10 PM

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Make a registry of all pregnancies? Oh hell no. Tracking pregnant people is not the government's business. No one is fooled that this is about adoption - it's more anti choice nonsense. Butt out.



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WITNESS NAME: DIANA STUART		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: diana@istuart.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 9:18 PM
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Dear House Members, I wish to submit my testimony on HB1579. Although I am not a proponent of abortion, I do believe that in circumstances when the life of the mother is in danger that an abortion is the right course of medical action. The decision should be made by a woman, her partner, and a medical professional -- not the state or federal government. At a time when women's rights are under assault by the federal government, this bill, which would require pregnant women to register their pregnancy with a statewide agency, is preposterous. The implications are Orwellian. What would the state do if a woman registered, but the pregnancy didn't go to term? What if she miscarried? What if she had been raped and didn't feel like she could carry a child from her rapist to term? What penalties would the state government exact upon her or the medical professional who assisted her? Although I have two grown children from my successful pregnancies, I would like to share my experience with you from my first pregnancy. I was approximately 18 weeks pregnant when my water broke at home. My husband rushed me to the hospital. I had no active signs of labor but began to bleed. My doctor told me that the fetus was not descending through the birth canal but was not viable at 18 weeks and they needed to take me into surgery for a D and C to remove the fetus and stop the bleeding. I was in shock, scared, and devastated by the experience. We desperately wanted that child, but we listened to the medical professional -- my OB/Gyn. In your eyes, we may have terminated the pregnancy prematurely. In our view, we were following sound medical advice and attempting to preserve my fertility for future pregnancies. A law that would have required me to register my pregnancy could have held my physician and me responsible for ending the pregnancy. So on one of the worst days of my life, I could have been charged with a crime. Women, their families, and their trusted medical professionals have the right to make appropriate choices for their reproductive rights. The state of Missouri overwhelmingly voted to revoke the draconian abortion ban in November of 2024. The matter should have been settled then as the people had spoken! So I wonder what the state would do with this registry and how it could be used to further subjugate the rights of women. I implore you do drop this bill and protect the rights of women -- the right to privacy, the right to make informed decisions about their own bodies, and the right to be treated as equal citizens in this state.



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WITNESS NAME: DIANE M MEEKER		PHONE NUMBER: 573-234-0342	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME: NATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR WOMEN, MISSOURI; NATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR WOMEN, COLUMBIA AREA		TITLE:	
ADDRESS: 109 N. KEENE ST.			
CITY: COLUMBIA		STATE: MO	ZIP: 65201
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WITNESS NAME: DON CROZIER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: doncrozier@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 8:29 PM

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This is a terrible bill that is an example of extreme government overreach. The registry of pregnant people that this bill would create is a dangerous violation of privacy and must not happen.



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WITNESS NAME: DONELLE BLUBAUGH		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: djblubaugh@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 1:52 PM
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This bill is an abomination. it represents incursions on the right to privacy and a woman's right to make her own decisions about her reproductive health. Proponents will argue that the law would apply to women who have already decided to pursue adoption. Even if that is so, adoption is already regulated by law. The state should intervene onlyif those laws are broken.



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WITNESS NAME: DONNA ADAM		PHONE NUMBER:	
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For heaven's sake listen and respect Missouri voters. Stop trying to do a walk around of Amendment 3. We voted for Missouri women to make their OWN medical decisions, and this bill adds a layer of "monitoring a woman's pregnancy. Just stop this nonsense and leave pregnancy to the woman and her doctor.



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WITNESS NAME: DOROTHY ARVIZU		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: drarvizu92@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 6:21 AM
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THIS IS APPALLING!! This isn't about "adoption" at all. This is misleading and exploitative and **MANIPULATIVE**. At **BEST**, this is flatly turning women (and even any possible future babies) into a horrific 'MARKETPLACE OF FLESH'. I **ADAMANTLY OPPOSE** this bill!!



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WITNESS NAME: DOUG		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: doug.landau1@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 8:42 PM

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The state has no business documenting a woman's menstrual or pregnancy status unless they provide information willingly this would violate HIPPA requirements



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WITNESS NAME: DOUG MOORE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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WITNESS NAME: DOUGLAS J HOUSE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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We need to trust women to make their own healthcare choices. Pregnancy decisions are healthcare decisions and not anybody else's decisions; especially that of a government, state or national. If the Missouri government wants to track women's pregnancies, then there must be a co-equal bill that tracks men's masturbation.



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WITNESS NAME: DR. LISA WOODRUM		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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The state of Missouri does not need a list of pregnant persons.



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WITNESS NAME: DR. PARIS DEPAEPE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: parisdepaepe@missouristate.edu	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 1:51 PM
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I am in opposition to this bill. A woman's pregnancy status is no one's business except hers, her partner's, and her medical doctor's. This is not Gilead and we are not your future handmaidens. This bill allows for the invasion of privacy of pregnant women in MO which is unacceptable. Keep your hands out of MO women's medical conditions and records.



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WITNESS NAME: DULCE TREDWAY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Requiring a central database of pregnant women so that the government can control their bodies is absolutely sick and absurd. Particularly with the reasoning that they are “at risk” of exercising their constitutional right to bodily autonomy. As a Missourian I am disgusted that my state legislature would even consider such an abhorrent bill.



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WITNESS NAME: EA FRANKLIN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I strongly oppose this bill. It's SO invasive; I'm sure most women (and men) don't need bigger and more intrusive government. This bill claims it will provide assistance or services to expecting mothers identified to be at risk (undefined) for seeking abortion services; and prevent abortions through the adoption of children by "fit and proper persons." This bill is NOT needed; what IS needed is for this sponsor to advance legislation to assist with adoption of children currently in foster care and make the current Department more successful. Interfering with a woman's right to reproductive health care under the guise of saving babies for adoption is insincere.



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WITNESS NAME: EDITH GARNETTA SULLIVAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: garnetta@sullivancreative.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 3:18 PM

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Pregnancy decisions are nobody else's business— and certainly not the business of the state government.



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WITNESS NAME: EDWARD ROBINSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: earobinsonfof@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:59 AM

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Stop all this nonsense! There's no reason to track pregnancies! This bill is government over reach. The care of a pregnancy is between a woman and her doctor. Missouri citizens have spoken regarding abortion, and this bill is a pathetic attempt to go against what Missouri citizens voted for!



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WITNESS NAME: ELISABETH OKENFUSS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: erthieman@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 6:53 PM
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I am writing to express my strong opposition to HB 1579, which is currently under consideration in the Committee on Children and Families. This bill, under the guise of adoption reform, would create a state database to track pregnant women—a dangerous government overreach that has no place in a free society. This bill raises serious concerns about privacy, bodily autonomy, and government intrusion. Regardless of political affiliation, Missourians are alarmed by the idea that the state would monitor pregnancies in this way. Such tracking could set a dangerous precedent, one that opens the door to further surveillance and control over personal medical decisions. I urge you to oppose HB 1579 and any legislation that infringes on the rights of individuals under the guise of so-called “reforms.” The government should be focused on supporting families and children—not invading the private lives of its citizens. Please stand up for personal freedom and privacy by rejecting this extreme and unnecessary proposal. I look forward to your response and hope you will take a firm stand against HB 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: ELISE BRUBAKER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This is invasive, infringing on privacy which is a basic human right, especially in personal healthcare, and I oppose HB 1579. Missourians do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state.



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WITNESS NAME: ELIZABETH A MOSHER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Government has no right to tell anyone what they can and can't do with their bodies.			



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WITNESS NAME: ELIZABETH A PIATCHEK		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: elipiatc@hotmai.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 3:53 AM
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HB 1579 is an extreme government overreach that is being branded as a reform of the adoption system. Whether pro-choice or pro-life, Missourians should be horrified by the idea that there would be a database to track pregnant women. As stated in HB 1579: "The Division is required to make and maintain a central registry of each expecting mother who is at risk for seeking an abortion..."Does HIPAA not apply to women any longer?With adoptions agencies having databases in place if an expectant woman wishes to join, this would be redundant and forcing government involvement into programs that already exist?How many millions of dollars would this cost the state to create and maintain such a database? Where would funding for workers come from? The state of Missouri has shown through its social services and place in education that it does not care about children. I would suggest that politicians do better to serve their populations by focusing on family strengthening programs and working towards quality education for all and not bringing forth such grossly overreaching bills to the table.



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WITNESS NAME: ELIZABETH FAWCETT		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: elizabethlafond@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:11 PM
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My name is Elizabeth Fawcett, residing in St. Charles, MO. Pregnancy in and of itself is complex and complicated, and for that reason alone, a person's pregnancy is no one else's business - especially the state government. People who are parenting or who want to parent deserve support and access to resources but HB 1579 is just another way to ban abortion and track pregnant Missourians. Missourians do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state. Honor and respect the will of the voters in this state.



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WITNESS NAME: ELIZABETH GRILL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: dugganelizabeth@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:08 AM
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I am 100% against the state of missouri keeping track of pregnant women and harassing them, coopting their freedom in making decisions for their autonomous, private citizen selves. **STAY THE FUCK OUT OF OUR LIVES.** There are more than enough private adoption agencies to fill the needs of pregnant women and every woman already knows that adoption exists.



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It is not a free nation with autonomous citizens that have their pregnancies tracked by the government! GET OUT OF OUR LIVES and MIND THE BUSINESS of government- YOU have NO right in a free nation yo legislate ANY of your beliefs into law! Each individual should be free to make their own decisions and govern their own body completely and fully. Women already know about adoption- stop patronizing citizens by treating them like children. There are many adoption services available and social workers have all the information about how to start adoption processes. GET OUT OF OUR LIVES



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WITNESS NAME: ELIZABETH VANDERHEYDEN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: betsy@vanderheydens.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:57 AM
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It is shocking that the Children and Families Committee would be hearing HB 1579. Last month I did watch most of the hearing for HB 807 and listened to the sponsor and his informational expert walk back the language contained in the bill of a mandatory registry. HB 1579 states, "The Division is required to make and maintain a central registry of each expecting mother who is at risk for seeking an abortion and a central registry of each prospective adoptive parent who has successfully completed certain screenings, background checks, home studies, and other investigations to ensure the fit of the prospective parent to adopt a child." There are so many problems with this bill, too numerous to list. But expecting pregnant individuals to hand over their medical information to the state of Missouri is a complete and egregious overreach of government. Another attempt by extremist lawmakers to guilt or perhaps criminalize women who have a right to an abortion is this state with the passage of Amendment 3.



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WITNESS NAME: ELLA ROSE LAURENT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: ellarose057@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 6:37 PM
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Keeping a registry of pregnant women is an absolute overreach of government and an appalling act of fascism. Women should not be forced to live under a surveillance state during one of the most vulnerable points of their lives. Claiming to represent the party of “small government” while proposing such a thing is not only hypocritical, but shameful.



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WITNESS NAME: ELLEN SCHAPIRO		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: LNschap@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:20 AM
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Missourians DO NOT want political or government interference in their pregnancy care and decisions. They clearly voted to have abortion access and want to keep decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state. Thank you for voting against HB 1579



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REGISTERED LOBBYIST:			
WITNESS NAME: ELLIE BLEDSOE		PHONE NUMBER:	
REPRESENTING: PLANNED PARENTHOOD GREAT RIVERS		TITLE: LEGISLATIVE DIRECTOR	
ADDRESS: 4251 FOREST PARK AVE			
CITY: SAINT LOUIS		STATE: MO	ZIP: 63108
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Honorable Members of the Committee; Chair, Vice Chair, Ranking Member and other members of the committee, thank you for the opportunity to submit this testimony on behalf of Planned Parenthood Great Rivers Action in opposition to HB 1579. This bill is eerily similar to HB 807 which had a hearing in this very committee just over a month ago., yet unfortunately many of the same problematic issues of the original draft remain here today. The surveillance proposed here is a breach of the expectation of a basic right of privacy expected by all Missourians. As a former Republican, my mind can not wrap around the basic principle of government should not compete with the private sector. Adoption agencies are already equipped to provide this exact service in assisting the placement of children with loving and supportive homes when their biological parents have made the intensely personal decision to give up their child. People who are parenting, or who want to be parents, deserve access to essential resources and support, but HB 1579 doesn't do that. Instead it flouts the will of 1,538,600 Missourians who in November loudly declared that their government has no role in their family planning decisions. Beyond the flagrant disregard for the voters, this bill presents significant privacy issues. During the original hearing on HB 807, the sponsor and bill drafter repeatedly mentioned that participation is voluntary, however, the language contained in HB 1579 would "required to make and maintain a central registry of each expectant mother who is at risk for an abortion." How can something be both optional and required at the same time? And where is the language in this bill regarding the implementation of such a registry? If this is "optional" for an expectant mother to partake in, how does she sign up? If a parent opts out, does that remove them from this registry as if they were never on it? Who is making the decision about whether someone is "at-risk of abortion"? Is that all persons who are pregnant, or is this bill targeted towards a different segment of the population? By leaving these questions unanswered, the true objective of this bill becomes clear: this isn't about improving the adoption rate, but rather finding yet another backdoor into restricting the right of all Missourians to reproductive freedom and privacy in their health care decisions.. All HB 1579 would do is deny pregnant Missourians their ability to choose what's best for them and their families. Adoption is not an alternative to abortion, and a so-called "registry" would only create yet another entry point for the government to monitor and interfere in private, personal family planning decisions.. I strongly urge you to vote no on this bill.



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I cannot believe that we even have to write to oppose the idea that the Missouri government should keep a registry of pregnant women "at risk of seeking abortion." My pregnancy decisions are nobody else's business, and it's shocking that the party of "limited government" believes it's ethical to even consider creating citizen tracking regarding our private healthcare status and choices.



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There is no such thing as a person "at risk of seeking an abortion" because seeking an abortion is not a risk. In fact, it's a much safer procedure than giving birth to a child. The idea of creating a registry for all expecting mothers, voluntarily or not, is a disgusting overreach of government and would likely lead to persecution of women who suffer miscarriages. You're telling me there is no way currently for mothers to find adopters for a child? This bill is anti-choice rhetoric presented as if it's helping mothers and kids. We need more funding and resources. If you want to help reduce abortions, provide better sex education, condoms, and birth control.



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My name is Emily Follman and I am from from Clayton, St. Louis County. I am noting my opposition to HB1579. It is noted that this bill would establish a government registry of pregnant Missourians “at risk of seeking abortion.” This is outrageous - women's pregnancy decisions are nobody's business—especially not the business of our state government.



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Infringement on right to privacy! I absolutely oppose this bill. No registry of women.



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My name is Emily Stoinski, and I am a registered Missouri voter. I am writing today to express my strong opposition of HB 1579. Missouri expectant parents need tangible resources, not arbitrary systems. Missouri has an overwhelming abundance of referral organizations and not enough actual resources such as housing, food, health care, and accessible childcare. When a similar bill went forth earlier this session, Missourians expressed their strong opposition to the monitoring of pregnant people. This current iteration of this idea still does not ensure enough choice and care for pregnant people. When I have previously worked with individuals who placed their children up for adoption, it was not because they wanted to; it was because our state did not have the resources that they needed to keep their children safe and cared for. Missouri resources must go to directly to individuals to support families having the resources they need to parent. Resources should not be going to an effort with little confidentiality, little explicit instructions around how they will ensure abuse survivors are not put on this registry without their consent, and how they are going to increase support for already born Missouri children. I am strongly opposed to this.



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I don't support this bill. Women should not be tracked or placed on a registry for the crime of being pregnant. Will they wear GPS monitors? Will they be forbidden from leaving the state? Placed on house arrest? I also don't know what "at risk" of seeking an abortion means; it's too vague. Is it simply of to what a practitioner thinks, or does the patient have to overtly say or do something? Further, Missourians now have a constitutional right to seeks abortions, so placing pregnant women on a state registry to prevent them from seeking abortions is clearly in violation of that right.



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What does "at risk" mean? Well, since it's legal in Missouri, I presume this means ALL pregnant women. And once in that list, what exactly happens if whoever is keeping track of it doesn't see a baby within 9 months? Are they going to start investigating women who have miscarriages or still births? This is disturbing for so many reasons. The government has no business knowing anyone's medical history. How is this not a gross violation of HIPPA?



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This invasion on a woman's right to privacy and protected health information is unacceptable. There is nothing good that can come from this. On behalf of myself and my daughter, I call for the rejection of this legislation.



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I stand in vehement opposition to the proposed Missouri HB 1579, which surreptitiously includes the creation of a central registry of pregnant women. This bill is a blatant invasion of privacy, an overreach of government power, and an egregious attempt to strip women of their autonomy over their own healthcare choices. This proposal is nothing short of a dystopian attempt to monitor and control women's reproductive health. Requiring the tracking of pregnancies is a direct violation of personal medical privacy, a fundamental right protected under both state and federal law. No government has the right to surveil women's bodies, nor should it have access to private medical records under the guise of bureaucratic oversight. Even more disturbing is the government's attempt to identify women who may exercise a constitutional right and create a central registry to do so. This is not healthcare policy—it is surveillance. It sets a dangerous precedent, where the state positions itself as the ultimate authority over women's medical decisions, treating pregnancy not as a private medical matter but as something to be policed. The idea that the government would track individuals based on the possibility that they may seek legal medical care is not only unconstitutional but deeply authoritarian. This database will have devastating consequences. It will deter women from seeking prenatal care for fear of being tracked. It will force healthcare providers into ethically and legally fraught positions. It will also disproportionately harm vulnerable populations, including victims of domestic violence and those in crisis situations. This is not about protecting life—it is about exerting power over women's bodies at the expense of their health and dignity. I urge lawmakers to reject this outrageous violation of personal freedom. If privacy and bodily autonomy mean anything, then this database cannot be allowed to exist. The government does not own women's bodies, and it has no right to compile lists of those who may seek medical care. Women's rights cannot be allowed to be eroded under the false pretense of regulation.



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I testify in heavy opposition to this bill. Besides being unnecessary and disgustingly creepy, it violates so many rights. It violates HIPAA. It is unnecessary. The purpose is to police women's bodies in a state whose people have voted in favor of legalized abortion. Because of that, this intrusive, gross bill does nothing for anyone. Absolutely not.



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Women's health is their own business including their pregnancies. I oppose this registry because it violates a women's right to privacy and can lead to discrimination and harm. This registry can be used to target, harass, and attack women for decisions between them and their doctor.



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I am writing to express my strong opposition to House Bill 1579. The idea of creating a central database of pregnant women so that the government can track and control their decisions is not only invasive but fundamentally un-American. This bill is not about support or adoption—it is about surveillance and control. This bill does not serve women—it seeks to control them. Missouri already has a wide range of resources for those considering adoption, and there is no need for a government registry that strips women of their rights under the pretense of support. If lawmakers truly want to help pregnant women and mothers, they should focus on policies that improve maternal healthcare, expand access to childcare, and support working families—not coercion and forced birth. The government has no business interfering in a person's private medical decisions. House Bill 1579 is an alarming attempt to erode individual freedoms, and I urge you to reject it.



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As a concerned citizen of Missouri, I strongly oppose House Bill 1579, sponsored by Representative Phil Amato, which proposes to establish and modify provisions related to the adoption of children. While the bill's stated intent is to improve the adoption process, several aspects raise significant concerns that could negatively impact the welfare of children and the integrity of the adoption system.

1. Potential Invasion of PrivacyThe bill includes provisions that could lead to the creation of a database containing sensitive information about pregnant women considering adoption. Such a database poses serious privacy risks, as it could expose personal data to unauthorized access or misuse. The confidentiality of individuals contemplating adoption is paramount, and any measures that compromise this confidentiality are unacceptable.

2. Risk of Discouraging Adoption ConsiderationBy implementing measures that may be perceived as intrusive, the bill could deter pregnant women from considering adoption as a viable option. Fear of personal information being recorded or misused might lead individuals to seek alternative, potentially less safe options for themselves and their children. It is crucial to maintain a supportive environment that encourages open and confidential exploration of all options, including adoption.

3. Unintended Consequences on Adoption RatesThe proposed changes could inadvertently lead to a decline in adoption rates. If pregnant women feel apprehensive about their privacy or face additional bureaucratic hurdles, they may be less likely to pursue adoption. This outcome would be detrimental to children in need of stable and loving homes and counterproductive to the bill's purported goal of facilitating the adoption process.

4. Lack of Sufficient SafeguardsThe bill lacks clear safeguards to protect the collected information from potential abuse. Without stringent data protection measures and oversight, there is a heightened risk of sensitive information being mishandled or exploited, leading to harm for the individuals involved.

ConclusionWhile the objective of improving the adoption process is commendable, House Bill 1579, as currently drafted, raises serious concerns regarding privacy, the potential deterrence of adoption consideration, and the lack of adequate safeguards. I urge lawmakers to reconsider this bill and engage with stakeholders, including adoption professionals, legal experts, and advocacy groups, to develop legislation that truly supports and protects all parties involved in the adoption process.



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This bill goes against the wishes of Missouri voters who passed Prop 3 in 2024. Additionally, it is an affront to the civil liberties, right to privacy, and physical security of pregnant women to have them identified and registered in the ways identified in the bill. This is draconian and unacceptable in a free society.



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Establishing a government registry of pregnant Missourians “at risk of seeking abortion” is simply Orwellian. This pretense of protection is another thinly disguised ploy to inject politicians between a woman and their physician. Trust women. Trust their physicians. They are the only ones that should be in charge of these healthcare decisions. Oppose HB 1579.



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I don't think the state should be involved to this extent in women's healthcare. Women and adoption agencies have been working together for decades. Further state intervention is unnecessary and unwarranted and unwanted.



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We the people have spoken. The next vote will be to replace those who are not lio.



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It is disturbing that you want to track people's reproductive systems. Stop trying to do this.



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Requiring a central database of pregnant women so that the government can control their bodies is absolutely sick and absurd. Particularly with the reasoning that they are “at risk” of exercising their constitutional right to bodily autonomy. As a Missourian I am disgusted that my state legislature would even consider such an abhorrent bill.



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This is a blatant attempt to undo the will of the voters who overwhelming passed amendment 3 with a mandate for legal access to abortion. Stop harassing our citizens and let us make our own decisions. Abortio access is enshrined in the MO constitution . Let the states decide. We have decided and the answer is access.



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I feel this bill provides too much information to the government about the women involved. Such information should be shared only between the women and their doctors/hospitals. This bill has too much potential for misuse and abuse of the women's data.



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My name is Glenda Bailey from Independence, MO. HB1579 is ludicrous! Stay OUT of womens' bodies and business. Unless you want your penises monitored and regulated, you need to mind your own business and leave our business to us. Quit wasting MY taxpayer money bringing up this subject. We voted, and the voters were in majority telling the MO govt to put decisions back where they belong, in the hands of women and families.



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There are services already in play for those seeking foster/adoption. Stop overturning voter rights, stop overturning votes, stop putting work in place that does nothing to actually combat the realities at play killing our birthing bodies and fetuses. Your work is not based on merit, science, or the voice of the people. Your work is selfish and self seeking. Shame on you.



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The legislature needs to stop acting against the will of the people. We objected to this bill strongly once. We object for all the same reasons again. Stop trying to make women property again. We are not going back.



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EMAIL: handleyphelan@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 6:52 PM
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The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) of 1996 sets national standards for the privacy and security of health information. This bill is a direct violation of HIPAA. Not to mention, anxiety inducing for women who are trying to conceive or have recently become pregnant (which is unsafe for the mother and baby). Please consider PROTECTIONS for pregnant women and ADVOCACY and CARE for them... this bill is a waste of time and resources.



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This removes constitutional rights. A central repository of pregnant women is ridiculous. Stop wasting our time this way!



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Let women choose what to do with their bodies. This is none of your business.



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This is appalling. Tracking women's fertility and pregnancies is a blow to medical privacies as well as human rights. I cannot believe the GOP or Y'alqeada would even be so daring as to try this the first time, let alone a second. Get away from women's bodies—you do not have consent to view my medical forms, you do have have consent to track whether or not I am pregnant and you certainly do not have my consent to gauge whether I am at risk for having an abortion.How embarrassing to live in Missouri in 2025, where women are made to be nothing more than potential breeders. Your absolute dishonor and disrespect of the will of the Missouri voter is obscene and I hope it keeps you up at night. This is an affront to basic human rights and decencies.I hope the author of this bill sits on his own testes daily.



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EMAIL: heather.true@wustl.edu		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 6:20 PM
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Vote No. Women are equal citizens protected under the Constitution and by our laws. They don't need to be tracked by the government. This is a violation of rights. If you want to protect women, protect all aspects of HHS - from NIH to Medicare- and protect their children with medicaid, food assistance and fully funded education.



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WITNESS NAME: HELEN J. HURLEY		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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Stop regulating women's reproductive rights and health. Forced birth for adoption needs is human trafficking.



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WITNESS NAME: HELENA WEBB		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: helenatwebb@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 6:46 PM
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What ever happened to small government What ever happened to a citizen's freedoms and right to privacy? I am against the state invading the privacy of citizens in this way. People shouldn't be profiled and end up on a government list and vulnerable to government harassment. Just creating a list like this is a form of intimidation against the citizens of Missouri. I believe it is wrong and unconstitutional.



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WITNESS NAME: HOLLY BERNSTEIN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I strongly oppose this bill. To quote the bill, "The system shall coordinate community resources and provide assistance or services to expectant mothers identified to be at risk for seeking abortion services and to prevent abortions.....". The decision to have an abortion is highly personal and should be between the pregnant person and their doctor. I do not want the state involved in deciding who is "at risk" and interfering in this decision. Voters passed Amendment 3, which makes it clear that the majority of Missourians do not want the government involved in these decisions. In addition, a registry of pregnant people definitely would cause issues around privacy and have who knows what unintended consequences. Do not pass this bill.



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This is a disgusting invasion of privacy.			



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WITNESS NAME: IAN STANEK		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: stanek.ian@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 6:12 PM
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Creating a central registry of expecting pregnant people is a gross violation of privacy. The only people who need to know the status of a pregnant person is that person and their medical professional. The state does not need this information. I do not see how having this "registry" will help streamline the adoption process. Stop trying to encroach on privacy and take this section out of the bill and keep it out of any other bills.



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WITNESS NAME: J LEMING		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: dinghy_faux1p@icloud.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 10:25 AM
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This is a flagrant violation of a person's rights. Unless there will be a registry of every time a man ejaculates without impregnating a woman (also a flagrant violation of a person's right), I suggest you all sit the f down and deal with real problems facing Missourians. Stay out of my life, off of my body and it's functions, and away from my womb!



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WITNESS NAME: JACK GANSNER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This is unconstitutional and sets a precedent for the government to later infringe on rights to privacy and protected care. Do not let this bill go through, you are putting women in danger



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This is an unnecessary overreach of government power and an invasion of privacy, providing information about a woman's status as an expecting mother or otherwise is unethical. Please vote no to HB 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: JACOB CARSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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The government has no place making decisions about women's bodies. That's all I have to say. I know you fuckers probably don't care, there are plenty of fools that will still vote for you, but I had to make my voice heard.



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EMAIL: b.jackie79@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 4:43 PM
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UNBELIEVABLE!!!!!! This constant push to invade the privacy of women and their reproductive health must stop! I mean let's start a registry of men with viable sperm and maybe we can connect them with some sort of baby making system for folks who want to adopt. There are already ways to connect women with adoptive parents without needing a registry. This is a dystopian and invasive idea thinly veiled as a way to track women and their reproductive private information.



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WE, THE PEOPLE, HAVE A RIGHT TO PRIVACY. Requiring a central database of pregnant women is a complete violation of every women's right to privacy. I see no where on the bill that this is "voluntary."



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WITNESS NAME: JADA WATKINS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: jadawatk@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 3:03 PM
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Chairwoman Jones, members of the committee, My name is Jada Watkins, and I am writing today as a concerned citizen to strongly oppose House Bill 1579. This bill, which establishes a registry for expectant mothers considering adoption, raises serious ethical, legal, and human rights concerns. First and foremost, the idea of requiring pregnant women to register their intent to place a child for adoption is deeply invasive. Pregnancy is a private and highly personal matter, and no government entity should have the power to track or monitor women during such a vulnerable time. This bill treats pregnant people as government-controlled assets rather than autonomous individuals with rights. Additionally, this bill opens the door for coercion and exploitation. By creating a system where expectant mothers are monitored and placed on a registry, we risk subjecting them to undue influence, pressure, or even trafficking. The language of the bill may make it seem benign, but the potential for abuse is clear. Women in crisis should be met with resources and support—not with surveillance. I also have grave concerns about the data security implications of this bill. Maintaining a government list of pregnant women, particularly those in difficult situations, is not only intrusive but also a major privacy risk. Who will have access to this information? What safeguards will prevent misuse? The risks far outweigh any purported benefits. Rather than advancing HB 1579, Missouri should focus on providing comprehensive support to pregnant individuals, including access to healthcare, financial assistance, and unbiased counseling—not a government registry that could put them at greater risk. For these reasons, I strongly urge this committee to reject HB 1579. Thank you for your time.



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WITNESS NAME: JAMES OSBORNE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: innerdriven_1949@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 2:26 PM
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Since Missourians spoke at the ballot box, this has officially become a decided issue. Ensnaring women further in some legislative 'snare' wherein becoming part of their reproductive choice(s) is antithetical to the voters determination.



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WITNESS NAME: JAN CHAPMAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: janpchapman@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 12:38 PM
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Please VOTE NO on HB1579. The title of this bill is misleading, as it purports to protect women and children, but actually interferes with a woman's individual right to make decisions about her family size, health care, and well-being. Women are capable of gathering information about their options and making decisions in consultation with their partner, their medical professional, and their faith. Government plays no place in this decision, which is extremely personal. Bigger Government--not something that's good for Missouri.



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WITNESS NAME: JANE BEAL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This bill is so wrong in several ways. It takes advantage of girls/women who are pregnant in violating their personal rights. It violates HIPPA rules for doctors to give out this information. It puts undue pressure on the pregnant individual who wants to change their mind later. It is also another incident of trying to invade the privacy in regards to women's reproductive rights. Plus this department has enough issues, and does not need to add another task. In addition, this type of legislation does not belong in the Children's and Families Committee. Please do not consider this.



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WITNESS NAME: JANE FICKLE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: jfickl1@sbcglobal.net		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 2:55 PM
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I am against the pregnancy database! You do not own my body nor that information! If this was truly about adoption, you would not be looking to add a pregnancy database. Please remove adding a pregnancy database! If you want a database, let's have a database of all men taking Viagra.



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WITNESS NAME: JANE QUARLES		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: jkquarles@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:34 PM
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My body should not be surveyed by my government.			



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WITNESS NAME: JANE T. WEIDHAAS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: tekla.weidhaas@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 3:37 PM
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This bill is an intrusion into the private lives of citizens. It is not the government's business to keep track of pregnancies. This from the party that touted it wants less government involvement in our lives, is very hypocritical.



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WITNESS NAME: JANE WOOD		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: jane.f.wood@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:59 PM

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**How dare you try to cram Project 2025's project to keep track of pregnancies in MO? Don't you get it ?
You're in the minority! Our bodies- our decisions!**



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WITNESS NAME: JANELLE HIZER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: JANET MYERS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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The people have already spoken on this matter. Please stop trying to overrule us!



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WITNESS NAME: JANET SLOEY		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: jegs115@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:18 AM
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I am Janet Sloey and I live in Manchester, MO. I am strongly in opposition to HB 1579 which would allow a database of women who are pregnant and "might" seek an abortion. This is a sneaky, shameless effort to ultimately ban abortion in Missouri. Why, I might add, is there NEVER a bill that demands accountability of the males in this issue. I am pretty sure there are some out there who contributes to these pregnancies...



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WITNESS NAME: JEAN VEDVIG		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: jean16709@yahoo.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:24 PM

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Women do not need a government registry of pregnancies. Please remove this bill from the house agenda.



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WITNESS NAME: JEANETTE ROUSE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: rousejl53@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:17 PM

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Hands off. This violates patient/ doctor relationships and should be NONE of your business!!



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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: rousejl53@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 1:20 PM
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I am against any database for any person in the healthcare system. This is no one's business to interfere in a person health status-pregnant or otherwise.



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WITNESS NAME: JENNA WOODSIDE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: JENNIFER HEFFERN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This database encroaches on the privacy of pregnant women. The government does not need to know anyone's reproductive status. The provision that allows identification of women "at-risk" of abortion opens the doors to racist and classist discrimination. It could also serve as a child trafficking pipeline that forces vulnerable women to give babies to the privileged who want them. Many of us have read and/or watched the Handmaid's Tale, and we don't want to live in that reality.



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EMAIL: hopkinsja@sbcglobal.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 7:56 PM
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Absolutely unreal that you want to override the will of the people and try to jam this through again. This isn't about adoption. You want a database of pregnant women, a la the Handmaid's Tale. You, the government, do NOT get to decide anything about a woman and her body. I am in absolute opposition to this ridiculous stunt. Keep your hands off our bodies!!



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WITNESS NAME: JENNIFER JAYNES		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: Jjaynesmt@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 7:10 AM

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Missouri voters legalized abortion. This is yet another attempt by a Missouri lawmaker to evade the will of voters and punish pregnant women. There is no legitimate use case for this proposed registry. It is purely a lawmaker attempting to push his religious beliefs on others. I strongly oppose this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: JENNIFER KARREN CROUCH		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Missourians voted to legalize abortion in our state, and this is an attempt to undermine that vote. I am an adoptive parent but believe this bill is an attempt to track and intimidate pregnant women. The government is not wanted in our personal health care decisions. Stay out!



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As a Missourian, I'm deeply troubled by the notion of mandating a centralized database for pregnant women. This proposal, disguised as a means to identify "at-risk" individuals, is not only alarming but outright violates our constitutional rights and personal autonomy. It's appalling that our state legislature would entertain such a invasive and disturbing idea.



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EMAIL: jeniono@msn.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:20 PM

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We already VOTED to put into law that you are not allowed to have information about reproduction rights.BACK up. You are so grossly overstepping your job. You work for us, not the other way around.



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To whom it may concern, This is horrific. We have already voted and passed this as a State. The fact you want to overturn the voters will is disgusting. Dr. Jennifer Ono



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This is a clear violation of privacy rights. The state has zero legitimate reason to intrude on women's private medical information. This is an intrusion by the state and the voters have already spoken to protect the right to an abortion. Leave this alone!



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I absolutely disagree with having a registry of this sort. We passed Amendment 3 and this is just more of your hostile takeover. Listen to the will of your constituents because we are WATCHING ALL OF WHAT YOU ARE TRYING TO DO!



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This bill was withdrawn earlier this month. It has been slightly edited/changed but is still calling for the bill to ".... requires the Division to create and maintain a database of expecting mothers..." on page 3. This unacceptable and offensive aspect, a database of expecting mothers, is that the state government is going to classify/track certain individuals as being "AT RISK" of exercising a constitutional right. I am completely in opposition to this bill.



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This is not something the state should be doing.			



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Creating a central database of pregnant women is not only disgusting, but also a clear violation of every woman's first amendment rights. The citizens of the state of Missouri voted for the right to abortion care and body autonomy. A woman's pregnancy decisions are her own. They are private and no one else's business, let alone the state of Missouri.



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WITNESS NAME: JENNY ARMONTROUT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: jennypenny1028@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 2:09 PM

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My name is Jenny Armontrout and I live in Kansas City, MO (Clay County), and I oppose HB 1579. This bill purports to help those Missourians who want to adopt; however it is just another way for men in power to track women and limit their personal choices in terms of bodily autonomy. The majority of Missourians do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state. Tracking pregnant individuals to stop them from seeking the options that are best for them, under the guise of helping those wanting to adopt, does not support the will of people in Missouri.



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WITNESS NAME: JERRI RAY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: jrblackracer@att.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 5:08 PM
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Get out of our bedrooms sir. Also, maybe we should set up a registry for men starting at the age of 13. Their sperm count can be tested and if they are in danger of getting a vasectomy at any point in their life, they will have to get permission.



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EMAIL: jessicaborrini@hotmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 1:51 PM
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WITNESS NAME: JESSICA FLETCHER-FIERRO		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: fletch.survey@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:23 PM
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Good afternoon,I am writing to you to voice my opposition to Bill 1579. The bill states that there will be a government registry of pregnant women, "at-risk" for abortion. My opposition is two-fold: first and foremost, women and their significant others have a right to privacy and bodily autonomy. Women should not be required to report their pregnancy, doubts about said pregnancy, or thoughts about their own healthcare to our government. It's a great over reach to keep a registry of pregnant women in the state. It is up to each woman what information she shares with the government, and what decisions she and her partner make about the pregnancy. Second, who would decide if someone is, "at-risk" for abortion? What criteria is used? Will women be asked invasive questions which are then reported to the government? Do doctors judge it? On what merits? This seems rife for confusion, judgement, and accusations. While I understand there is a desire to link prospective parents (via adoption) to women with unwanted pregnancies, there are other ways to accomplish this goal that don't compromise the privacy of pregnant women. Please vote no on this Bill if it comes to a vote.Thank you,Jessica Fletcher-Fierro



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WITNESS NAME: JESSICA SHEPHERD		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I oppose any legislation that creates any registry tracking pregnant women. It makes no difference if it is voluntary or not. This legislation is a solution in search of a problem. With an estimated cost of \$30-40 MILLION annually this would be incredibly fiscally irresponsible.



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WITNESS NAME: JILL A MOORE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Stay out of our private health care decisions.



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Creating a database of pregnant women violates every bit of women's first amendment rights.



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WITNESS NAME: JILL M OSWALT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: mjzgarden@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 7:49 PM
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It is of great concern that a woman's pregnancy would be required to be tracked. This is a total infringement on a woman's rights, her body, and her legal rights. There are already systems in place for adoption. A woman's privacy should be just that---her privacy. All individuals have this same right. This precedent simply cannot be set. For trying to decrease government involvement in people's lives, this appears to be a huge overstep. Individuals' medical history, medical needs, health are protected by law. This is an invasion.



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WITNESS NAME: JOANN BUDY		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: jbudy72@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:39 PM
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Hello, I am Joann. I currently reside in Kansas City which is House District 18. I am submitting this written testimony in opposition to HB 1579 - which would create a registry of pregnant people in the state considered "vulnerable" in the sense that they may seek out an abortion. Last November, Missourians made it clear when they voted to pass Amendment 3 that they wanted to restore abortion access and rejected government intrusion into their private lives and decisions. Isn't that the conservative priority? Small government that stays out of people's business? Now, that being said, my bigger reason for opposing this registry with the strongest words possible is this: officials at any level of government putting together a list of names of people whose only reason for being on that list is that they may do something said officials object to should terrify anybody. Particularly when this list can be shared with law enforcement in any state. If you have not thought about the endless possibilities of abuse here, please think about that now. HB 1579 should never see the light of day much less have any sensible person's support.



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WITNESS NAME: JOANNA DINSMORE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
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Fuck this handmaiden's tail registry bullshit. Stop trying to control women's bodies. If you are a woman, worry about yourself. Leave me and my daughters and every other Missourian woman alone.



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WITNESS NAME: JOHN BOWMAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
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WITNESS NAME: JOHN DAVID BIER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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The registry is a violation of privacy. The voters have made their wishes quite clear, stop trying to use the power you've been given by the people to violate the will of the voters.



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WITNESS NAME: JOHN J NIXON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: peteramthor@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:43 PM

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Women are not to be registered and tracked like cattle. This is a complete and utter disregard for their civil rights and privacy. Anyone supporting this needs to step down from office and let someone who isn't a complete and utter sociopath take their position.



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WITNESS NAME: JORDYN SANCHEZ		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sanchezjordyn02@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 4:33 PM
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Committee members, I am a lifelong Kansas City Metro resident. I am writing today to express my strong opposition to HB 1579, the so-called "Adoption" bill, which includes provisions for a central registry of pregnant women. This bill raises serious concerns about privacy, constitutional rights, and government overreach, and I urge the committee to reject it. In regard to invasion of privacy; HB 1579 proposes a central registry for pregnant women, which would require the government to collect and track personal information about individuals who are expecting. This is a clear violation of privacy rights. No one should be subjected to surveillance simply because they are pregnant. This registry could lead to misuse of personal data and create a chilling effect on women seeking healthcare or making personal decisions about their pregnancies. Regarding gross overreach of the government; The bill classifies certain individuals as "at risk" of exercising their constitutional rights, such as the right to reproductive choice. This is deeply troubling. The government has no business targeting individuals based on their potential to exercise their rights. This sets a dangerous precedent and undermines the freedoms that Missourians hold dear. There should be no fear of any individual utilizing their rights as given in the constitution of our state or country, and individuals should not face punishment, either actual or perceived, for exercising those rights. Regarding the misleading framing of this bill; While the bill is framed as a way to streamline adoption, the inclusion of a central registry for pregnant women reveals a different intent. If the goal is truly to support adoption and child welfare, the registry is unnecessary and invasive. Instead of focusing on registries, the state should invest in resources that genuinely support expecting mothers and families, such as healthcare, childcare, and financial assistance. Regarding this bill's impact on vulnerable Missouri communities; This bill disproportionately affects low-income women, women of color, and other marginalized groups who already face systemic barriers to healthcare and autonomy. A registry could further stigmatize and penalize these communities, rather than providing the support they need. I urge the committee to reject HB 1579. This bill is not about supporting adoption or child welfare—it is about controlling and monitoring pregnant women. Missourians deserve better. We deserve policies that respect our privacy, uphold our constitutional rights, and provide real support to families in need. We deserve representatives and leaders who will uphold our rights to these freedoms. Thank you for the opportunity to voice my opposition to this violation of Missouri citizens' healthcare rights. I hope you will consider the serious concerns raised by this bill and stand with Missourians in opposing it. Please vote NO on HB 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: JOSHUA GROSS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
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I do, and always will oppose attempts from the government, on the state or federal level, to openly interfere with the lives of American citizens without prior just cause. Regardless of the circumstances of her situation, every expecting woman is entitled to privacy within their own residences. The implementation of a state registry of expecting mothers for the purpose of limiting abortions would be a gross violation of the inherent right to privacy and self-determination possessed by all American citizens, and I firmly believe with great conviction that this bill would be better left untouched by both the Missouri House and Senate.



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WITNESS NAME			
INDIVIDUAL:			
WITNESS NAME: JOY DAGGS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: joydaggs@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:10 AM
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Stop this garbage! This is disgusting. While you claim this is to help women and children, it's simply a way to control and track women. These same women that you claim to be "helping" with this bill are the same women that you won't provide Medicaid for to help with the prenatal healthcare, WIC benefits to help children, or nutritional aid for school lunches, etc. Stop pretending this is about helping women and children and admit this is about controlling women.



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WITNESS NAME: JOY WEESE MOLL		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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I oppose databases of women for any reason, but especially when they're pregnant. I wrote in opposition the last time this came up. It was a bad idea then and it is a bad idea now. Missourians don't won't to be monitored.



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WITNESS NAME: JUDY DAVIS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
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The state of Missouri has already voted on the Right to Reproductive Freedom. Women have enough on their plates when deciding what is best for themselves. With the aid of their medical team, family and their personal morals, they are able to make the best decision for themselves. They do not need coaching or monitoring while they are doing this. Stop wasting time, effort and money on a topic that has already been voted on and passed by your constituents.



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WITNESS NAME: JUDY GLIK		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: mamaglik4@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 7:35 PM
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I am in total opposition to this bill!			



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WITNESS NAME: JUDY WOODHAM		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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This bill is wrong



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WITNESS NAME: JULIA MILAM		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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This bill is utterly unconstitutional. My body is mine, my children need me, and with my own personal risk of high chances of Molar pregnancy recurring make me terrified to try and make more babies. My health is important to me, my partner and my children and if I need an abortion of any kind to keep my own health a priority, then I deserve access to that without fear of repercussions.



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WITNESS NAME: JULIA THORSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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WITNESS NAME: JULIA WOESSNER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
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Didn't this get withdrawn as misguided earlier this year? Maintaining a registry of women "at risk of abortion" is positively dystopian, not to mention an egregious violation of privacy. Just stop doing these stupid bits of performative legislation and start thinking about how we're going to deal with the loss of federal funding.



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WITNESS NAME: JULIE POWERS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: jpowers.livehealthy@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 5:08 AM

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This bill is an invasion of privacy in the worst possible way. It is horrific and abhorrent and is ethically and morally wrong. I strongly oppose this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: JULIE STANGLEIN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: julestang43@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 10:45 AM
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This bill is designed to criminalize women for being pregnant and weaponize the healthcare system against them. Pregnancy is a personal and private health condition that deserves the HIPAA protections that any other medical condition receives. Pregnant people receive the options for their pregnancy outcomes from the facilities that provide their obstetrical care. Lawmakers and public officials should not be involved in this process. Being pregnant has enough challenges. Worrying about interference from strangers should not be one of them.



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WITNESS NAME: JULIE STEENSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: Julie.Steenson@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 2:15 PM
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I am grateful that this legislation was revised to include voluntary participation in the registry, it is still unclear to me why adoptive parent matching is the responsibility of a state agency. I continue to oppose this Bill because I feel that these functions can be best accomplished by social service, non profit agencies that already exist.



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WITNESS NAME: JULIE TEVLIN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I am writing to share my opposition of this bill. There is no reason for there to be a legal database for registering pregnant women. If a woman makes a personal choice to put her baby up for adoption, she should be able to maintain some sense of privacy throughout the process. This genuinely concerns me as a woman who has suffered from multiple miscarriages. One in four women suffer miscarriages and this bill put these women who are already in a vulnerable position (one of being unsure of if they are able to care for their baby) and adds an additional pressure if something does go wrong. There is no need for this bill. It is an invasion of privacy, incredibly insensitive to vulnerable women, and would be a disgrace to the state of Missouri.



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WITNESS NAME: JULIE TIETZ		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: jtietz2002@yahoo.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 11:11 AM

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I oppose this bill and urge the committee to vote it down. This is a camouflaged attempt to control women's bodies. True support for adoption does not involve central registries but instead would make it much more affordable, including more incentives for adopting older children and children with disabilities.



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WITNESS NAME: KAITLIN MURRY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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The idea of requiring a central database of pregnant women is both alarming and absurd. Suggesting such a measure under the guise of being “at risk” is nothing more than an assault to constitutional rights and bodily autonomy. As a Missourian, I find it appalling that our state legislature would even consider such a disturbing and invasive proposal.



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WITNESS NAME: KAITLYN YORK		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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This bill is a massive violation of civil liberty, privacy, and basic human decency. No pregnant person should have to disclose information about their body and health to the government. That is private information, between the pregnant person and the HEALTH PROFESSIONALS in their life. Not to mention, this is a waste of taxpayer money and your time that could be spent actually helping your constituents and solving problems for Missourians. You must stop this bill. It would be a huge loss for Missourians.



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WITNESS NAME: KALEB JOHNSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: kalebk95@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 6:07 PM

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We already made it very clear we DO NOT support this bill. In no way will we ever support this bill. It's barbaric and unconstitutional. We shouldn't have to tell you twice.



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WITNESS NAME: KALISHMAN DIANE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: dkalishman@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:25 PM

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My name is Diane Kalishman from Ladue, MO, and I oppose this bill. A woman's pregnancy is no one's business but her own.



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WITNESS NAME: KARA MENTZER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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My name is Kara Mentzer, from Columbia and I am opposed to this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: KAREN CLARK		PHONE NUMBER:	
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The people have voted. The right to bodily autonomy should be irrevocable.



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WITNESS NAME: KAREN FRANCIS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: karenbitzafrancis@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:49 AM

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Medical records are private/ government has NO RIGHT to “ follow a pregnancy “



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WITNESS NAME: KAREN ISBELL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: moharmony50@aol.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:39 AM
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Pretend this is you, if you are female. If you are a man, pretend you must register to buy condoms or get a vasectomy. Or better yet, pretend you are pregnant with a fetus (not a baby) that will be born with a serious defect such as no brain. Pretend you will give birth to a drug-addicted baby. Or one born with fetal alcohol syndrome. Or pretend that you realize this is no place for government interference.



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WITNESS NAME: KAREN PASZEK		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: tkpaszek@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 4:33 PM
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I am an adoptive parent and have witnessed how difficult the decision is for women who face unplanned pregnancies. While I am glad my son's birthmom chose adoption, I understand that it was a difficult and individual decision. Please respect the privacy and rights of women and oppose this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: KAREN ROBERTSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: KAREN TIESING		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: KARISHMA FURTADO		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: karishmafurtado@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:11 PM
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My name is Karishma Furtado and I live in St. Louis, MO. I encourage this body to stop trying to subvert the will of the people that was so clearly demonstrated in the passing of Amendment 3 last year. Creating a registry for women "at risk of getting an abortion" is a wild over-reach and it is also plain creepy. The idea of e-Harmony for babies is appalling--it trivializes what should be a very careful and thoughtful process of facilitating adoptions. Not to mention that I do not trust, for a moment, that this state's institutions will not use this kind of registry to constrain the rights of people who can be and are pregnant. There is nothing noble about what you are proposing here.



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WITNESS NAME: KATE BROOKS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: kbrooks8@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 5:59 PM
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We in Missouri are very weary of voting down things, voting for things and then our elective representatives of the state then decide to go back and not listen to their constituents. We recognize this as the extremely unpopular HB 807. Cold water was thrown on this when sponsors realize how unpopular it was. HB 1579 is an extreme government overreach that is being branded as a reform of the adoption system. Whether pro-choice or pro-life, Missourians should be horrified by the idea that there would be a database to track pregnant women. As stated in HB 1579: "The Division is required to make and maintain a central registry of each expecting mother who is at risk for seeking an abortion..." Does HIPAA not apply to women any longer? With adoptions agencies having databases in place if an expectant woman wishes to join, this would be redundant and forcing government involvement into programs that already exist? How many millions of dollars would this cost the state to create and maintain such a database? Where would funding for workers come from? The state of Missouri has shown through its social services and place in education that it does not care about children. I would suggest that politicians do better to serve their populations by focusing on family strengthening programs and working towards quality education for all and not bringing forth such grossly overreaching bills to the table.



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WITNESS NAME: KATE HUNT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: khunt@iwu.edu	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:08 PM
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My name is Kate and I'm from St. Louis City. Missourians voted to protect abortion and those seeking abortion. I condemn the underhanded actions Missouri politicians are taking to undermine what voters overwhelmingly support. This bill is dangerously un-American. It has genuinely frightened all my friends - particularly those who desperately want to be mothers and fathers.



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WITNESS NAME: KATE TAMMEUS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: katektammeus@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:44 AM
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Believe it or not, women are completely capable of making decisions about their own bodies. Wild, right? A central registry of pregnant women is the most draconian stuff I've heard - and you guys think you can keep sneaking this bill into the house AGAIN - as if people wouldn't notice it. It's time to stop weaponizing government to restrict a woman's right to choose. Missourians voted to enshrine abortion rights. STOP TRYING TO PASS LEGISLATION TO OVERRIDE THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE. This bill is not only discriminatory and dangerous, such a list would explicitly target low-income women and women of color, making them vulnerable to harassment, public condemnation, employment discrimination, and even violence. And because low-income pregnant women are most at risk for pregnancy complications, inclusion on such a list would easily allow for the criminalization of these women when later term pregnancy complications in highly surveilled women are misinterpreted as an illegal pregnancy interruption. I am DEEPLY opposed to this ridiculous bill.



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WITNESS NAME: KATHERINE BROCKMAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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My name is Katie Brockman, and I'm a constituent in Missouri District 1 (2665 Smoke View Dr., Maryland Heights). I strongly oppose HB 1579. Missouri voted to put decisions about reproductive care in the hands of individuals, NOT the state. The state of Missouri should not be interfering with those decisions at any stage of pregnancy.



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WITNESS NAME: KATHERINE COREY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: kcorey115@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 12:51 PM
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You mystery strike the part of the bill that requires a registry of women "at risk" of seeking abortion services. No! This is intrusive and calls for judgement that only the prospective mother should be able to make.



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WITNESS NAME: KATHERINE WILSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: kwilson818@sbcglobal.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 4:16 PM
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I oppose any database to track a women's pregnancy.			



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WITNESS NAME: KATHIE ALLISON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: katiea@planetkc.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 9:00 AM
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A woman has the right to make reproductive choices. This bill clearly will prevent her from exercising this right and it will affect her right of privacy to make this choice. Body autonomy is essential and should be equal for women as it afforded to men.



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WITNESS NAME: KATHIE MOLYNEAUX		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: whiteyoleo@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:14 PM
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Please remember that you are public servants of the people of Missouri. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state. That you disapprove of abortion is only your opinion, and shouldn't be imposed on your constituency in the form of a bill that misrepresents the real impetus behind it: intimidation of anyone possibly considering abortion. This is how totalitarian regimes operate!



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WITNESS NAME: KATHLEEN LOFRANO		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: kabarry1@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 7:21 PM
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This bill is unconstitutional and illegal. It is an invasion of privacy and blatant disregard for HIPAA laws that should make all people angry. Missourians voted in favor of women's choice to maintain their own bodies when we voted in favor of a bill that maintained a woman's right to abortion in the fall of 2024. Creating a list of pregnant individuals is directly rejecting this, and jeopardizing the health and safety of anyone seeking medical care, let alone pregnancy care. This bill needs to, yet again, be rejected to preserve individual freedoms in the state of Missouri.



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WITNESS NAME: KATHLEEN PRAKASH		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: kaprakash9@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:05 PM
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I strongly oppose this legislation.			



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WITNESS NAME: KATHRYN HACKETT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: kmjhackett@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/22/2025 11:15 AM
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I am speaking in opposition to HB 1579. In reading through this bill it becomes obvious that its purpose is to increase the supply of infants to the adoption industry. While it tries to step around it by indicating that the registry would be for those people who have voluntarily decided to place their unborn child for adoption, in the previous paragraph it talks about identifying those at risk for seeking abortion services. This bill indicates that the goal is to prevent abortions by providing assistance and services to those identified as at risk for abortion, but only with the end goal of an infant being place for adoption and does not include any verbiage indicating that assistance and services also be extended to those choosing to parent their child themselves. This bill sets up the state to police the pregnancies of all people in this state. If that is not the intention then the state would make sure that all expectant families were informed of assistance and services available to them, not just the ones that have been flagged as being at risk for aborting. After all, there is no way of knowing which pregnancies fall into that category. This bill fails to recognize that the majority of people with unplanned pregnancies who have not been able to access abortion decide to parent their children, not place them for adoption. Or perhaps it does recognize this and instead wants to pressure and manipulate people into relinquishing their children.



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WITNESS NAME: KATHRYN LAUDEL		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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As a woman of childbearing age, my pregnancy decisions are between me, my husband, and my doctors. I am not cattle meant to be tagged and monitored by my own government for the length of my pregnancy. I have the right to privacy, and this bill is ludicrous. Stand up for women and do NOT approve this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: KATHY IRVIN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: stingshuman@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:35 PM
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This is an overreach by our Government. As a reminder, 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state. GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE, BY THE PEOPLE, FOR THE PEOPLE. The majority spoke in NOVEMBER 2025.



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EMAIL: kmarincel@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 7:58 PM
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Creates a Maternal and Child Resources division in the Department of Social ServicesRequires the Division to create and maintain a database of expecting mothers at risk for seeking an abortion and prospective adoptive parents for the purposes of identifying children who may be suitable for adopting Interferes directly with a pregnant woman's fundamental right to make their own decisions about health careCreates increased costs for unadopted babies that move into foster care and/or institutions



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WITNESS NAME: KATIE SANDERS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: mrs.sanders2009@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:48 AM
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My name is Katie Sanders and I am a resident in St. Louis county, MO. This bill is just outrageous. This is basically creating a registry of pregnant women to surveil them. Who decides which women are "at risk" of having an abortion? As a women who is still of reproductive age, I cannot understand how if I were to become pregnant I would have my name added to some list. What happens if I miscarry due to my "advanced maternal age" and then have to have a D&C (medically coded as an abortion) in order to not go septic and die leaving my husband and child without their wife/mother? This is harmful to ALL women and denies them the right to privacy and should not pass.



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WITNESS NAME: KATIE VONDERA		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: katie@thevonderas.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:05 AM
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Women need control over their own bodies and choices. This bill would violate women's first amendment rights.



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WITNESS NAME: KAYLA GIBBS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: kaylagibbs99@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 5:06 PM
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I am a foster care case manager in southeast Missouri, I work closely with at risk populations, but I would not consider these individuals to be 'at risk' for utilizing their constitutional right to abortion. There are a large number of cases where an infant is brought into care at birth, sometimes with older siblings. In some situations, the mother was unaware she was pregnant and did not seek prenatal care. However, there are other situations where the mother was aware of the pregnancy and chose not to seek medical care out of fear of her children being removed. Requiring a central registry for pregnant women who are identified as being 'at risk' for utilizing their constitutional right to abortion is not serving women or protecting children, but controlling a woman's anatomy and right to choose how they proceed with their pregnancy.



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People who are parenting or who want to parent deserve support and access to resources– but HB 1579 is just another sneaky mechanism to ultimately ban abortion and track pregnant Missourians. Missourians do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care. On 11/5/2024 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state.



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WITNESS NAME: KEITH MEYER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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A government database of all pregnant women is an invasion of privacy. So much so that in essence will become a deterrent of woman even seeking any kind of medical care. Having multiple friends either in or participating in foster care and adoption. I am aware there is deficit of children needing homes, in relation to parents that want to adopt. This is a whole hearted abuse of a system for nothing other then control and monitoring of female constituents and is entirely unmerited.



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This is an invasion of privacy!!			



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WITNESS NAME: KELLY M FINCH		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This bill is nothing more than a cover for tracking women's healthcare purchases.			



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WITNESS NAME: KELLY SUTTON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I strongly oppose this. You already have too many children in foster care well past when the should be so focus on taking care of those who are already in the system. Please focus on things that need to be fixed and stop trying to trample of the rights on Missourians. This is another attempt to sneak this at risk for abortion "list" through again.



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WITNESS NAME: KENNETH RICHARDS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: KERRY SORACI		PHONE NUMBER:	
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What a woman does with her body and pregnancy are none of missouri's business.
Government—particularly government with a male majority—has no place in women's healthcare, except to protect women's health. A fetus is not a baby. A fetus is not a resident. I am NOT catholic, therefore MY religion doesn't ban abortions...which shouldn't even matter, considering the entire basis of this country was to separate church from state. I wish my representatives were smarter. I wish you would practice more logic and critical thinking skills, because these bans are based in the Catholic Church, which is diametrically opposed to our founding fathers' intent. Keep the church out of government! Keep the government out of my uterus! If you don't want big government, then shut down "big brother"!



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I oppose this overreach into womens' private health information.



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The Missouri House Committee on Children and Families' proposed bill to create a government registry of pregnant Missourians "at risk of seeking abortion" is a dangerous invasion of privacy and a blatant attempt to control personal medical decisions. Tracking and monitoring pregnant individuals in this way sets a disturbing precedent, undermining basic rights and placing them under government surveillance simply for making choices about their own bodies. Instead of prioritizing resources to support maternal health, childcare, and access to healthcare, this bill weaponizes the state against its own citizens. Missouri lawmakers should reject this intrusive and unethical policy.



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WITNESS NAME: KIM EVANS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This is CRAZY. A list of pregnant women?? Men AND women are BOTH against this!.



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How dare the anti-abortion politicians like Representative Amato think the Missouri government should keep a registry of pregnant women “at risk of seeking abortion”? My pregnancy decisions are nobody else’s business— and certainly not the business of the state government. Any why isn’t anyone proposing registry for MEN?!



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The public has voted! Leave our ability to make our own choices along! What a woman chooses should only be between her and her health care provider!



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This is a veiled attempt to suppress the rights of women. The government has no right to challenge the bodily autonomy of women and girls. This is one more attempt to overthrow the vote of the people and terrorize citizenry. The sponsors show no respect for democracy OR Christianity, but 1930's Germany style suppression of rights. I can only assume these people are woefully ignorant of history. Maybe we should be passing a law that they pass a Constitution and history test.



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This bill is unconstitutional. Missouri voters approved abortion access to its citizens. If you really want to prevent abortions, provide universal health care, access to free birth control, or provide vasectomies for all males!



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Policing women's bodies is not the place of the law makers or anyone for that matter. Quit trying to control women via reproductive services.



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This bill to track Missourians who are "at risk of seeking abortion" is CREEPY. The ability to put a child up to adoption is well-known. There is no reason for a privacy-invading "registry." Tracking and monitoring Missourians' health statuses like this is an invasion of privacy. My pregnancy decisions are my own - not that of the state government.



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EMAIL: kortniehuddleston@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 8:52 PM
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As a concerned citizen and advocate for reproductive rights, I strongly oppose HB1579 (Amato), which threatens the privacy, autonomy, and dignity of Missourians under the guise of promoting adoption and reducing abortions. This bill is a dangerous overreach that weaponizes government systems to surveil and control pregnant individuals, while undermining the will of Missouri voters who enshrined abortion rights in the state constitution through Amendment 3 . 1. The “At-Risk” Registry Is Invasive and Unethical The bill’s central registry of pregnant individuals “at risk for seeking abortion” lacks clear criteria for determining “risk,” opening the door to arbitrary profiling and discrimination . While proponents claim participation is voluntary, the legislation does not explicitly state this, and its vague language risks coercing vulnerable individuals into a surveillance system. Worse, the registry allows data sharing with law enforcement agencies—even those outside Missouri—which could lead to criminalizing pregnancy outcomes or targeting individuals seeking reproductive care . This echoes Missouri’s history of tracking patients’ menstrual cycles, a practice condemned as invasive and unconstitutional . 2. The Bills Prioritize Anti-Abortion Politics Over Real Support Rather than addressing systemic barriers like healthcare access or economic instability, this bill funnels resources into a bureaucratic system that pressures pregnant people into adoption. It ignores the reality that abortion restrictions disproportionately harm low-income, rural, and marginalized communities. Missouri already forces patients to travel out-of-state for care due to its draconian laws , yet this bill doubles down on punitive measures instead of expanding support for families. 3. Undermines Voter-Approved Reproductive Rights HB1579 is part of a broader effort by Missouri lawmakers to subvert Amendment 3, which voters passed to protect abortion access up to fetal viability. By creating barriers to abortion under the pretext of “preventing” it, this bill contradicts the will of Missourians and perpetuates a pattern of legislative interference in personal medical decisions. 4. Privacy and Safety Risks Are Unacceptable The registry’s lack of robust data protections exposes sensitive health information to potential breaches or misuse. Even with claims of confidentiality, the bill’s provisions for sharing records with law enforcement and third-party contractors create avenues for abuse . No one should fear that seeking pregnancy resources could result in surveillance or coercion. 5. The Bills Fail to Address Root Causes True support for pregnant individuals requires affordable healthcare, paid family leave, and childcare—not a registry that treats them as subjects to be monitored. Missouri’s existing child welfare system struggles with foster care and adoption services; diverting \$32 million annually to this flawed initiative wastes resources that could directly aid families . These bills are dangerous escalation in Missouri’s campaign to control reproductive choices. They violate privacy, perpetuate stigma, and disregard the electorate’s mandate for bodily autonomy. I urge lawmakers to reject these bills and focus on policies that genuinely support families—not surveil them.



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I oppose HB 1579 on the grounds that it infringes on constitutional rights and rights to privacy. This type of government overreach has no place in Missouri law.



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EMAIL: kristene_rowan@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 10:13 PM
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I suffered from Hyperemesis Gravidarum during every one of my pregnancies. During my first pregnancy, the vomiting was so violent, my amniotic sack tore, unbeknownst to me. I ended up massively bleeding from an infection that sent my white blood cell count off the charts. In order for me to survive, I had to deliver my baby at just 15 weeks. Republicans call this an abortion. During a routine exam with my final pregnancy, it was discovered that the baby had passed away 3 weeks earlier & the umbilical cord had already started to grow into the wall of my uterus. Without delivering the stillborn baby & subsequently having a D&C, I most likely would've contracted a fatal infection. I've heard some Republicans say that this procedure would also be labeled as an abortion. The Doctors who treated me during those situations were saving my life, which is their job. I am forever grateful to them for putting my health first because if they hadn't, my children would not have a mother. Why should those traumatic ordeals be public information for anyone other than my Doctor or me? No one else has the right to know what happens with my reproductive system. No one NEEDS to know except my Doctor and me. I would never ask for records of men who have had a vasectomy. I would never request it to be public knowledge how many times a man has impregnated women. I URGE EVERYONE TO OPPOSE HB1579!



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My name is Kristy Racinowski and I live in Ballwin, MO. My rep is Ann Wagner. I do NOT SUPPORT HB 1579. This is a blatant violation of a families right to make decisions in the best interest of their own family dynamic. The state has no place in the business of a pregnant woman.



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This is an absurd and offensive level of invasion of privacy. Not to mention that the keeping of said list is a ridiculous waste of my tax dollars. Family planning choices belong with the family, not the government. Keep the government out of family business, and our homes.



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Adoption is easily and cheaply done through the state already. This is both a waste of taxpayer money and a creepy violation of privacy of a group of people that need protection and support. The lawmakers still trying to pass this bill should be ASHAMED of themselves. This is a gross and would set a dangerous precedent for government sanctioned watch lists. Women are not cattle or breeding stock and I refused to support a bill like this that would inevitably treat them this way.



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I am writing to express my firm opposition to House Bill 807, which seeks to create a registry of pregnant women under the guise of promoting adoption. This bill is not only a blatant violation of privacy but also an unconstitutional attack on personal freedom and bodily autonomy. HB 807 is an outrageous government overreach that infringes on the rights of Missouri women. It sets a dangerous precedent by attempting to track and monitor expectant mothers, creating a system ripe for abuse, coercion, and discrimination. The fact that firearms enjoy stronger privacy protections than pregnant women should be a wake-up call to anyone who claims to support individual rights. This bill raises serious legal concerns, including: Violations of privacy and medical confidentiality – Tracking pregnancy status is an invasion of personal health information and contradicts established privacy protections. Potential conflicts with Missouri’s constitutional amendment on reproductive rights – The state recently enshrined protections for reproductive healthcare, making HB 807 an unconstitutional restriction that will undoubtedly face legal challenges. A vague and unenforceable framework – The bill fails to define how the state will determine if a woman is “at risk” of seeking an abortion, opening the door for state surveillance and government control over personal medical decisions. Let’s be clear: this is not about helping mothers or children. It is about control—plain and simple. Any lawmaker who supports this bill is advocating for a government registry that monitors and interferes with private medical decisions. That is not leadership. That is tyranny. If you continue to push this unconstitutional legislation, it will not be out of ignorance—it will be because you choose corruption over integrity and authoritarianism over freedom. I urge you to reject HB 807 and stand on the side of personal liberty, privacy, and true support for women and families. I, along with many others, will be watching how you vote on this matter. If you stand for limited government and individual rights, there is no justification for supporting HB 807. Sincerely-Laci Francis lacifrancis519@gmail.com



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WITNESS NAME: LANDON SCHNURBUSCH		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I work for a health insurance company in a financial analytics capacity, and I complete trainings regularly on the use of sensitive, personally-identifiable data about individual's medical claims. We go to extraordinary lengths to ensure that data is de-identified so as to avoid putting members at risk. The collection of a personally-identifiable database of "expecting mothers" is **WILDLY IRRESPONSIBLE** and is in violation of all women's right to privacy of their health information as spelled out in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). In this age, where guardrails for keeping information within the appropriate government agencies no longer exist (as has been made apparent by the passing of information between DOGE and the federal agencies which house our sensitive and personal data), I **DO NOT TRUST** that the information contained in this database will be in **ANY WAY** confidential, and it should not be collected. Other than the fact that it is simply not necessary to step further onto the right of pregnant women to decide whether to complete or terminate their pregnancy, **THE COLLECTION OF THIS DATA IS IRRESPONSIBLE AND IN DIRECT VIOLATION OF THE RIGHTS OF WOMEN IN MISSOURI.**



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WITNESS NAME: LAURA D. PATTERSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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I am vehemently against this bill which blatantly ignores the right to privacy of Missouri women! This bill is abhorrent! The state has no right to obtain and maintain such a list which ignores the Constitutional right to privacy.



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WITNESS NAME: LAURA HORWITZ		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Healthcare and family choices are private choices and should remain private.			



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WITNESS NAME: LAURA KIPNIS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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No government should ever maintain a registry of pregnant individuals. The thought is creepy, an invasion of privacy, and treats women as untrustworthy and in need of monitoring, which they are not.



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WITNESS NAME: LAURA KRUEGER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I oppose HB 1579 on the grounds that it is a blatant invasion of a woman's privacy, and an undermining of her right to reproductive care of her choice as approved by Missouri voters. Thank you for your consideration.



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WITNESS NAME: LAURA OCONNOR		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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WITNESS NAME: LAURA TERRY		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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WITNESS NAME: LAURANCE HOAGLAND III		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
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I believe there are better uses for the taxes I pay to the State of Missouri than providing adoption services to expectant parents. If there is a great need for expectant parents to be offered adoptive services, than that need should be met by the private sector, not the nanny state.



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WITNESS NAME: LAUREN HARRISON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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WITNESS NAME: LAUREN HERMANN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Bill 1579 is once again an egregious measure to surveil women in the state of Missouri. This thinly veiled attempt to make it about adoption is weak at best. There are many organizations that offer help and assistance at no or reduced cost to mothers seeking adoption and a registry is absolutely not the way to build connections between these parties. I am writing in severe opposition to this bill because I believe the creation of such a registry by the current legislation will impact women in several ways. I am very concerned that the 'data' will be used for unintended purposes which will be harmful and will be without the consent of the individuals in the registry. There have already been instances in this state where this has been the case. I also believe that this data will be used to discriminate against pregnant people and therefore subject them to harm and other malicious behaviors. My main concern lies in the complete lack of autonomy in someone's ability to place themselves on a list or remove themselves. People deserve to know and have a say in who has access to their private information and how that information can be used. This is not the government's place. Additionally, this is an attempt for the government to surveil a population which has far-reaching consequences especially as they relate to abortion or access to other reproductive healthcare. Women have the right to privacy. Women have the right to have a pregnancy that does not involve the government. This will have a chilling effect on women's healthcare as some women will be hesitant to receive the appropriate care if they fear their information will be added to a registry and potentially misused or used against them. I shouldn't have to mention, but I will that these types of bills and policies will always target and have a disproportionate impact on vulnerable populations. Maybe we should spend more time fixing the problems in our state instead of wasting time on bills that will never lead to better health outcomes for women or children.



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WITNESS NAME: LAUREN ROLF		PHONE NUMBER:	
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What this bill is proposing would be a violation of HIPPA.DO YOUR JOB, and uphold the will of The People!



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In my opinion, this bill sets up too much government interference with a woman's personal, medical information. There should not be a government data base of women who are pregnant. This is government overreach.



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WITNESS NAME: LEIGH ANNE ROGERS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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It's clear the bill sponsors are bending over backward to disguise this bill as a simple adoption program. If this was actually about child welfare and streamlining the adoption process, the sponsors would REMOVE THE "CENTRAL REGISTRY" part of it. They would LEAVE 'EXPECTING MOTHERS' ALONE to make their own decisions, a freedom Missourians secured for themselves through the ballot box.



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WITNESS NAME: LEONARD MEIER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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Oh. I see you are trying to sneak the pregnant women registration requirement back into another house bill. I urge a NO vote. This is a horrible breach of privacy and personal liberty. I am absolutely opposed to such an outrageous idea.



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I oppose this. It's nobody's business.



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WITNESS NAME: LIEM NICKELSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: LINDA BUTLER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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If this bill will create a database of pregnancies in Missouri, it is WRONG. That is invasive. The government needs to stay OUT of our personal, private medical affairs and OUT of our bedrooms!



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Keep the government out of our personal business.



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I oppose HB1579. Vote NO



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WITNESS NAME: LINDA KRAM		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: LINDA SKOLNICK		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This Orwellian bill tramples on the rights of women. As an analogy, how about we require gun owners to have their names in a registry that is provided to Children's Division because they are "at risk" of having their gun go off inadvertently or intentionally and harming a child. Gun violence is the number one cause of deaths for children in Missouri. Government should nit be regulating women's bodies and their healthcare decisions.



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I stand with the 1,538,600 Missourians who VOTED YES to restore decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care as an individual decision between the woman and her physician, so I DO NOT support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy monitoring. The Missouri Republican legislative majority is wrong to ignore the voters clear choice that was made on Amendment 3 in last November's election. Respect your constituency!



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WITNESS NAME: LINDSEY GROJEAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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Aside from the obvious reasons this bill is in and of itself a HIPA violation, I find it appalling that Missouri lawmakers would try to disguise their pro-life agenda behind such a strange concept. Let's allow people who can become pregnant to make their own decisions, free of shame.



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WITNESS NAME: LISA BANGERT		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I am writing to express my strong opposition to HB 1579, which is currently under consideration in the Committee on Children and Families. This bill, under the guise of adoption reform, would create a state database to track pregnant women—a dangerous government overreach that has no place in a free society. This bill raises serious concerns about privacy, bodily autonomy, and government intrusion. Regardless of political affiliation, Missourians are alarmed by the idea that the state would monitor pregnancies in this way. Such tracking could set a dangerous precedent, one that opens the door to further surveillance and control over personal medical decisions. I urge you to oppose HB 1579 and any legislation that infringes on the rights of individuals under the guise of so-called “reforms.” The government should be focused on supporting families and children—not invading the private lives of its citizens. Please stand up for personal freedom and privacy by rejecting this extreme and unnecessary proposal. I look forward to your response and hope you will take a firm stand against HB 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: LISA BANGERT		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Testimony in Opposition to Missouri House Bill 1579 Chairperson and Members of the Committee, I am writing to express my strong opposition to House Bill 1579. The idea of creating a central database of pregnant women so that the government can track and control their decisions is not only invasive but fundamentally un-American. This bill is not about support—it is about surveillance and control. The language of the bill states that it aims to identify pregnant individuals who are “at risk for seeking abortion services.” This bill does not serve women—it seeks to control them. Missouri already has a wide range of resources for those considering adoption, and there is no need for a government registry that strips women of their rights under the pretense of support. If lawmakers truly want to help pregnant women and mothers, they should focus on policies that improve maternal healthcare, expand access to affordable childcare, and support working families—not coercion and forced birth. The government has no business interfering in a person’s private medical decisions. The people of Missouri made their voice heard in November and we do not want our constitutional rights taken away. House Bill 1579 is an alarming attempt to erode individual freedoms, and I urge you to reject it.



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EMAIL: lisadlf@aol.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:19 AM
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As a physician, I am absolutely opposed to any intrusion of government into healthcare delivery (including reproductive care). Reproductive medical information is protected under HIPAA.



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WITNESS NAME: LIZ RAULS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This is a sneaky way to control women. Keep your hands off!



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WITNESS NAME: LOGAN NAILLON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: naillon.logan500@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 5:46 PM
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I think it's extremely unconstitutional and a massive violation of privacy across the entire state to have a registry of women in any capacity. This is one of the most absurd things I've ever heard of and I hope everyone who votes in favor of this understands that they are no longer ever working "for the people".



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WITNESS NAME: LOIRE BIGGS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: loire.biggs@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 4:06 AM
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Dear Members of the House Children and Families Committee, I am writing to express my strong opposition to House Bill 1579. This bill seeks to establish a system that identifies and tracks individuals “at risk” of seeking abortion, with the aim of redirecting them toward adoption. Rather than supporting people, this approach interferes with their ability to make private, personal medical decisions—and prioritizes a political agenda over bodily autonomy, privacy, and health. Everyone deserves the freedom to choose what is best for their life, their body, and their future without state pressure or surveillance. HB 1579 stigmatizes abortion, introduces the potential for coercion, and undermines reproductive rights. It also raises serious concerns about privacy by collecting sensitive personal data without clear, ethical safeguards. If lawmakers truly want to reduce the number of unintended pregnancies and support families, the solution is not coercion—it’s comprehensive, evidence-based public policy. That means expanding access to full-spectrum reproductive health care, including:

- Inclusive, medically accurate sex education that teaches consent and covers the full range of contraception options;
- Affordable, accessible birth control and emergency contraception;
- Prenatal and postpartum care for those who choose to continue their pregnancies;
- Housing, food, childcare, and mental health support for people raising children; and
- Protection of legal access to abortion so people can make their own decisions about parenthood.

Supporting pregnant people means trusting them. HB 1579 does not offer support—it offers surveillance and restriction. I urge you to vote no and instead invest in real solutions that empower individuals and families. Sincerely, Loire Biggs



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WITNESS NAME: LOIS J. RIFNER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: lois.rifner@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 1:18 PM
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I am Lois Rifner, and I live in Affton, MO. I am appalled at the invasion of privacy proposed by the creation of a registry of pregnant women. I fear such a registry could result in women being reluctant to seek prenatal care, which is life saving for both fetus and pregnant women. Having been of child-bearing age prior to Roe v Wade, I am well aware of the risks women took to get an abortion, even when it was illegal. Women were raped and killed by amateur and unsanitary practices. If you have so much money to implement an adoption program, how about contributing the money to improving education and other services for our children. And would it not make more financial (and personal rights) sense to just create a pamphlet that describes the program of acquainting pregnant women with the potential for choosing adoption and let them decide what they wish to do. But the idea of a registry has got to go.



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WITNESS NAME: LOLA EVANS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: lolajaneevans@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:04 PM
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Women and people with uterus' should have complete control over their body and this bill will be used to prevent people from having abortions. No one struggling through pregnancy should have to be logged into a database.



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WITNESS NAME: LORI RAINES		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: busymama2@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 6:22 PM

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What in the "BIG BROTHER" is going on here? We the people have spoken. Stop trying to overturn the will of the voters.



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WITNESS NAME: LORI ROONEY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sparklequeenlori@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:41 PM

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A pregnancy registry is severe government overreach. A registry would violate women's privacy and is certainly against Amendment 3 and the wishes of Missouri voters.



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I wish I thought bill was well intentioned, but I believe the registry will be used to keep track of pregnant women and punish those that wish to keep their medical life private between themselves and their doctors. This makes pregnant women second class citizens with less rights and that is wrong.



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WITNESS NAME: LOUISE CENATIEMPO		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: leigh17@charter.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:56 PM
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My name is Louise Cenatiempo. I live in Wildwood, Mo. I want to express my strong opposition to HB 1579 which would include establishing a registry of pregnant Missourians. How dare the government intrude on women and their families with government tracking! This sort of government intrusion into our lives has traditionally been opposed by the Republican party. I still believe in minimal government. Last November, the majority of Missourians - Democrat, Republican, and Independent - made clear by voting for Amendment 3 that they did not want government intrusion into private family matters. HB 1579 is truly Orwellian. Where does government oversight of our lives end? Should there be a registry of men who might seek a vasectomy? Or who use condoms or erectile dysfunction drugs? How about a registry of people who buy ghost gun kits? At least with ghost guns there would be a public safety interest. This kind of government overreach is a very slippery slope. Don't do it. Please vote NO on HB 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: LYNET BAUMCHEN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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HB 1579 would turn the tax-paying, hard-working women of Missouri into farrowing house sows. And that would be a bad thing.



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WITNESS NAME: MACY WHITE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: mwhite970@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 2:54 PM

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This infringes on the personal freedoms of pregnant women and will not prevent abortions.



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WITNESS NAME: MADISON DURHAM		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: mdurham0915@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 2:57 PM
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The state should not keep a record of individuals who may need an abortion. An abortion is a medical procedure and medical decisions and information should be kept between a physician and their patient.



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REGISTERED LOBBYIST:			
WITNESS NAME: MAGGIE EDMONDSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
REPRESENTING: ABORTION ACTION MISSOURI		TITLE:	
ADDRESS: 1210 S VANDEVENTER AVE			
CITY: ST. LOUIS		STATE: MO	ZIP: 63118
EMAIL: maggie@abortionactionmissouri.org	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 4:58 PM
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Chair, Vice-Chair, members of the committee, thank you for the opportunity to submit testimony on behalf of Abortion Action Missouri in opposition to HB 1579. The proposed surveillance in this bill is a gross violation of the basic right to privacy expected by all Missourians. Missouri has a history of misusing the power of the State to track and surveil pregnant Missourians, such as when former Health Director Randy Williams admitted to keeping a detailed spreadsheet with the menstrual cycles of patients at the St. Louis Planned Parenthood Health Center. Beyond bringing national attention and embarrassment to our state, Williams turned the Department of Health and Senior Services into a weapon of abuse targeting pregnant women – a tactic we see again with HB 1579. There are no salient details in this bill; how will “expectant mothers identified to be at risk for seeking abortion services” be defined? How will the State identify Missourians supposedly “at risk for seeking abortion services”? Who manages or has access to this registry? Who adds to the registry– state agencies? State law enforcement? Using taxpayer dollars to support the constant surveillance of all 1.2+ million Missouri women of reproductive age who could theoretically become pregnant is a blatant abuse of state funding and power. This bill also effectively turns the State’s Department of Social Services into a state-funded adoption agency, another waste of state funding and means. Critically, adoption is an alternative to parenting– not pregnancy. Studies show pregnant women who choose abortion are aware of adoption, and yet overwhelmingly do not consider it. A 2017 study out of the ??Jacobs Institute of Women’s Health within the Institute School of Public Health at George Washington University found that people considering abortion infrequently consider or choose adoption. People considering abortion are generally considering between abortion or parenting. The political framing of abortion vs. adoption does not accurately reflect the realities of the real people making those considerations. Many adoption agencies are for-profit and in significant competition for the small number of babies placed for adoption annually versus the much larger number of families hoping to adopt, which has led to unethical and coercive practices aimed at preventing birth parents from changing their mind about adoption. Financial incentives to give up an infant for adoption are inherently coercive, and take advantage of the challenging position pregnant people considering adoption are often in. Further, page 5, lines 6-9 read, “to prevent abortions through the adoption of children by fit and proper persons seeking to adopt.” “Fit and proper” shows up in MO statute 453.080, as one of the factors that the court has to find in an adoption hearing for the adoption to be finalized: “(7) It is fit and proper that such adoption should be made.” Courts typically make this determination. Arguably, financial circumstances and outside recommendations could be considered in a court’s assessment of what is “fit and proper.” How the state will make such a determination of a parent’s fitness is not clear. What makes a prospective parent, “fit and proper”? How much does economic standing factor into fit and proper? Are only wealthy families fit and proper? Does a parent’s religious

affiliation or lack thereof contribute to their “fitness?” Currently adoption agencies in Missouri are allowed to discriminate against families in same-sex relationships– are same sex couples “fit and proper” in the eyes of DHS? Are people who consider abortion, fit and proper parents? The majority of people who have abortions are already parenting children– does having an abortion make them unfit parents? This sounds like an invitation for the state to track and surveil and ultimately separate families it does not agree with politically. Missourians do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state. As the dually elected representatives of those very same voters it is your job to uphold and defend the promise of Amendment 3. Rather than attempt to coerce pregnant women into adoption, ensure access to the supports families need to raise their children in safe environments, such as access to childcare, food and housing security, and access to maternal and infant healthcare. Abortion Action Missouri, representing more than 80,000 Missourians across the state, opposes the advancement of HB 807 and urges you to vote NO. Thank you. Abortion Action Missouri works to protect and expand every Missourians’ right to bodily autonomy, to access essential reproductive healthcare including abortion care, to access accurate information to make the best decisions for ourselves and our families, and to parent our children in safety and dignity.



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WITNESS NAME: MAGGIE MORRISOWENS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: memorris93@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 11:30 AM
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I am writing to express my strong opposition to HB 1579, which is currently under consideration in the Committee on Children and Families. This bill, under the guise of adoption reform, would create a state database to track pregnant women—a dangerous government overreach that has no place in a free society. This bill raises serious concerns about privacy, bodily autonomy, and government intrusion. Regardless of political affiliation, Missourians are alarmed by the idea that the state would monitor pregnancies in this way. Such tracking could set a dangerous precedent, one that opens the door to further surveillance and control over personal medical decisions. I urge you to oppose HB 1579 and any legislation that infringes on the rights of individuals under the guise of so-called “reforms.” The government should be focused on supporting families and children—not invading the private lives of its citizens. Please stand up for personal freedom and privacy by rejecting this extreme and unnecessary proposal. I look forward to your response and hope you will take a firm stand against HB 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: MANDY KIRSCHNER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: hendrixmandym@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 4:32 PM
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My name is Mandy Kirschner, and I'm from St. Louis County. I'm in **OPPOSITION** to HB 1579. The government needs to stay out of people's reproductive decisions and honor the vote of 1.5+ million Missourians who voted in favor of making abortion and reproductive access legal.



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WITNESS NAME: MARCIA CRANDALL		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: marcielynnsmail@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 12:17 PM
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This bill is just creepy. Are we creating a police state? Missouri voters passed a constitutional amendment making abortion legal, therefore the state has no business keeping a database of pregnant women. Next, will there be a database tracking women's menstrual periods. This is an invasion of privacy and frankly none of the states business; besides tying up money better spent on living children already in Social Services databases.



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WITNESS NAME: MARGARET MARY NOLD		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: noldmaggie@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:06 PM
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It's unconstitutional and wrong



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WITNESS NAME: MARGILEE E. LABORDE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: leethesnail@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 2:33 PM
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Even though HB 1579 does not directly state the use of a data base of information on pregnant women, it is vague enough to allow that kind of invasion of privacy. This an unnecessary overreach by government. Adoption options, both private and state run, are already in place for people seeking that option. Voters in Missouri have already made clear their position on abortion as a decision that resides with medical professionals and the people involved with the pregnancy. I oppose this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: MARIA WETZEL		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: mtwetz3@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 8:42 PM
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Total overreach into women's private health information.			



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WITNESS NAME: MARIAH RADLE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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WITNESS NAME: MARIANNE JONES		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: jones.marianne@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 1:50 PM

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I oppose any legislature that is invasive regarding a woman's pregnancy. How dare you! Thus is personal, private information between a woman and those with whom SHE decides to share it. Back off!



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WITNESS NAME: MARILYN OWENS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: marilyn.owens52@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 2:58 PM
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This is government overreach! It is also discriminatory towards women. The government has no business knowing whether women are pregnant and has no right to monitor their bodies. If you pass this, every man who takes medication for erectile dysfunction needs to be monitored closely. Stop the madness!!!!



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WITNESS NAME: MARTIN J OBRIEN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: marty.obrien@charter.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:31 PM
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I am opposed to 1579 regarding the government creating a law creating a database of a select group of citizens. It is clearly a violation to an individuals right to privacy. Maintaining a database of this sort is wrong.I did not spend 22 years in service to my country to see my government overreaching its authority, which is to protect the individual rights sanctioned in the US Constitution.Again I strongly oppose HB 1579Very Respectfully,Martin J OBrienMAJ US Army Ret



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WITNESS NAME: MARY DEFROY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Missouri voters approved Amendment 3 in November 2024, which codifies the right to reproductive , healthcare. There is no need for a central database, which oversteps the purpose of state government. Health care decisions belong to individuals and their health care providers.



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EMAIL: honeyredrn50@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:41 PM
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I am in opposition to this bill



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There is no reason to create a database of pregnant women in our state. This data could be used in a variety of horrible ways which would/could violate the rights of women to privacy. As a pro-life woman, I have lost a pregnancy to miscarriage. It was a tremendously difficult time for myself and my family. A database like this would force families in a most vulnerable and tragic time to justify or explain the loss of a baby. Unacceptable. This bill is not pro-life in any way. Instead, why doesn't the state work towards the adoption of the thousands still in foster care? I strongly oppose this bill.



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Please vote no on this attack on women's rights.			



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WITNESS NAME: MARYILYN SUE WARREN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: justpeacenjoy2all@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:07 PM

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Monitoring women who may be pregnant is abusive and contrary to the 4th amendment of the US Constitution.



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WITNESS NAME: MATTHEW PETROV		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: mattpetrov1231@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 11:41 PM
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I am writing to express my strong opposition to House Bill 1579. The idea of creating a central database of pregnant women so that the government can track and control their decisions is not only invasive but fundamentally un-American. This bill is not about support or adoption—it is about surveillance and control. This bill does not serve women—it seeks to control them. Missouri already has a wide range of resources for those considering adoption, and there is no need for a government registry that strips women of their rights under the pretense of support. If lawmakers truly want to help pregnant women and mothers, they should focus on policies that improve maternal healthcare, expand access to childcare, and support working families—not coercion and forced birth. The government has no business interfering in a person's private medical decisions. House Bill 1579 is an alarming attempt to erode individual freedoms, and I urge you to reject it.



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WITNESS NAME: MAUREEN JORDAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: maureenmicheljordan@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:36 AM
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A woman has the right to keep her posts about possibly looking for a person to adopt an unwanted baby to herself! What are you going to do with that information? Are you going to stalk her to be sure she does not visit a facility to get an abortion? NO! It is NOT your business! Your interfering into the lives of pregnant women has reached a new low.



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WITNESS NAME: MAUREEN THOMAS-MURPHY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Stop trying to control what a woman does with her own body--mind your own business!



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WITNESS NAME: MEGAN CUNNINGHAM		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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EMAIL: mecunningham27@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 12:38 PM
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As a woman of childbearing age, the idea of creating a central registry to track women is terrifying and is the definition of government overreach, which I thought the Republican Party was against. Dressing this proposal up as an adoption measure is misleading. Furthermore, women who are “at risk of abortion” are due to the lack of funding for social services in Missouri, which Missouri voters have repeatedly voted to make into law (such as Medicaid expansion and paid sick leave) but the legislators have thought themselves more important than voters. It is a disgusting abuse of the democracy that has been set up and that is currently being eroded away. I understand that to members of the Missouri GOP, my opinion as a woman holds less value than an overbred b***h from one of Missouri’s numerous puppy mills, but I would be ashamed of myself if I did not speak up for what I feel is one of the worst proposals to come out of Jefferson City. Thank you for accepting my testimony.



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WITNESS NAME: MEGAN LEMKE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: c.w.ryder544@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 7:10 PM

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Any bill that proposes to create a database of pregnant persons is a gross invasion of privacy and a massive overreach of government authority.



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EMAIL: meganbabyak.mb@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 2:53 PM
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I do not agree with tracking women "at-risk" of wanting an abortion. The state should not be involved in women's medical decisions. This is the opposite of what republicans stand for - less government oversight.



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WITNESS NAME: MEGHAN RUIZ		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This bill is extremely vague and opens the door for all Missouri women who are pregnant to be tracked involuntarily, giving no definition of what "at risk for seeking an abortion" actually means. I vehemently disagree with allowing this kind of egregious overreach of government into the personal lives of its citizens.



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WITNESS NAME: MELANIE NOBLE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: MELINDA L IHLENFELDT		PHONE NUMBER:	
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The verbiage regarding tracking at risk women is abhorrent, Enough! How about track the men that are a part of this equation?



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WITNESS NAME: MELINDA STANTON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: kimruralgrit@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:41 AM

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No to a central registry for expectant mothers. Identifying individuals as at risk is against their constitutional rights and individual liberties.



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WITNESS NAME: MELINDA SUE SOUTHERN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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As a Missouri voter, I'm adamantly opposed to this bill. This is an attack on women and we will not stand for it. This is an invasion of privacy and an attempt to take away rights from women. Do not support Bill 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: MELISSA C. PETTY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: m.petty2@icloud.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:35 AM
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State or federal government has no business dictating to a woman what she can and cannot do with her own body. Missouri voters made it clear that they support abortion in the state of Missouri! The thought that you would attract pregnancies is Draconian!



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WITNESS NAME: MELISSA CLUTE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: mmaddox269@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:43 PM
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A creation of a registry of regnant persons who are considered “at risk of abortion” violates an individual’s right to privacy and opens them to potential harm or harassment from those with differing viewpoints. The right to an abortion and bodily autonomy in MO Amendment 3 the right to reproductive freedom initiative has been passed by voters with a 51% majority and this action would take steps to go against that vote.



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EMAIL: melissafelps16@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 2:13 PM

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This is unconstitutional, opens up a world of HIPPA violations, and puts our freedoms in jeopardy.



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WITNESS NAME: MELISSA HERZOG		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: melissa.herzog@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 2:19 PM
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It is once again OUTRAGEOUS for this bill to be guised as pro-adoption when what you really mean is pro-birth and anti-abortion - you say it clearly in the bill in the hopes that people won't actually read it "...implement a system to reduce the number of preventable abortions in Missouri." By continuing to use language such as "at risk for abortion" you continue to make unfounded judgements and provide no definition of who would in fact be on this list. The claim in this newest iteration of a still terrible bill is that this is a "voluntary" directory. Yet, the language says the father can be on this list - does that mean a pregnant woman could get placed on this list without her consent? The language also reads "Assist expectant mothers and fathers in applying for existing services and resources." Does this imply that a pregnant woman who does not want to be on this directory would not get similar services or simply that you'll prioritize (i.e., bribe) people to get onto this list so they can get supports they need. This is NOT a bill about adoption or supporting children. This is another thinly veiled attempt to usurp the rights of pregnant women to decide how they handle their own pregnancy. If you truly cared about supporting children you would support legislation and existing programs that pay attention to children's social, emotional, physical and educational health, and not solely focus on ensuring fetuses are carried to term. And not only is the premise of this bill outrageous, the cost to Missouri taxpayers would be enormous to create this infrastructure and staffing. At a time of supposed desires to eliminate waste in government, this is surely a prime example of waste.



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The state has no business monitoring pregnancies. This is a clear invasion of privacy.



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WITNESS NAME: MELISSA NOVOTNY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: missy@washuhillel.org	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:31 AM
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Why does Amato continue to resurrect this disgusting and blatant overreach? It is abundantly unpopular among Missouri constituents, and yet precious time is being wasted bring it up yet again. Who is he pandering to, because this is NOT the voice of the people he is charged with representing.



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WITNESS NAME: MELISSA SEARLS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: searls134@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 4:36 PM

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Are you also tracking the fathers? Aren't they equally responsible? Quit making women's bodies a political campaign.



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WITNESS NAME: MELISSA WHEDON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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No one needs access to medical data except the physicians chosen by the woman.



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WITNESS NAME: MEREDITH SUMENEK		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: meredith.a.sumenek@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:29 AM
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I honestly can't believe that this motion is being. Women are not livestock and deserve to be given the respect that any human being deserves. To be put under suspicion and tracked (again like livestock) for the mere possibility of being pregnant or having the potential to become pregnant is repugnant and anti constitutional. The logical extension of this bill becomes that every man, any time he performs self pleasure should have to self report that he is performing an act against pregnancy and failure to report would constitute a felony. Stop legislating your constituents bodies and pay attention to the economy and areas that would actually be of benefit for the State and its citizens.



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EMAIL: mburs10@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 4:26 PM
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Despite a previous recall of this legislation due to overwhelming opposition, I am saddened to see a new hearing on this matter. To claim that this bill is supposed to support adoption shows how little the sponsor/supporters actually understand about the process and trauma that occurs with adoption -- and I say this as an informed adoptive parent. The provisions contained within this bill are invasive and offensive; the use of the term "at-risk" is concerning at best, discriminatory at worst. If the intent is to truly support adoption services in our state, it would behoove the sponsor/supporters to learn about the realities of adoption as well as to remember that Missouri made its feelings on bodily autonomy known. I stand in opposition to this bill and encourage others to do the same.



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EMAIL: miaruns@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 8:56 PM
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This is a major HIPPA violation.			



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WITNESS NAME: MICHAEL ALLEN WARE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: mike.ware21@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 9:22 PM
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I am starkly opposed to the tracking of pregnant women. Why does the government need to know? It is an invasion of privacy and it gives abortion opponents ease of access to monitor and harass women who may want to get the procedure. The state needs to stay out of it.



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WITNESS NAME: MICHAEL DEHART		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: michael_dehart@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 7:31 PM

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Have you forgotten who you work for? Missouri voters have made their choice known regarding abortion. Please do your job and move along.



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EMAIL: mdreyer93@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 8:51 PM
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As a concerned citizen and advocate for reproductive rights, I strongly oppose HB1579 (Amato), which threatens the privacy, autonomy, and dignity of Missourians under the guise of promoting adoption and reducing abortions. This bill is a dangerous overreach that weaponizes government systems to surveil and control pregnant individuals, while undermining the will of Missouri voters who enshrined abortion rights in the state constitution through Amendment 3 . 1. The “At-Risk” Registry Is Invasive and Unethical The bill’s central registry of pregnant individuals “at risk for seeking abortion” lacks clear criteria for determining “risk,” opening the door to arbitrary profiling and discrimination . While proponents claim participation is voluntary, the legislation does not explicitly state this, and its vague language risks coercing vulnerable individuals into a surveillance system. Worse, the registry allows data sharing with law enforcement agencies—even those outside Missouri—which could lead to criminalizing pregnancy outcomes or targeting individuals seeking reproductive care . This echoes Missouri’s history of tracking patients’ menstrual cycles, a practice condemned as invasive and unconstitutional . 2. The Bills Prioritize Anti-Abortion Politics Over Real Support Rather than addressing systemic barriers like healthcare access or economic instability, this bill funnels resources into a bureaucratic system that pressures pregnant people into adoption. It ignores the reality that abortion restrictions disproportionately harm low-income, rural, and marginalized communities. Missouri already forces patients to travel out-of-state for care due to its draconian laws , yet this bill doubles down on punitive measures instead of expanding support for families. 3. Undermines Voter-Approved Reproductive Rights HB1579 is part of a broader effort by Missouri lawmakers to subvert Amendment 3, which voters passed to protect abortion access up to fetal viability. By creating barriers to abortion under the pretext of “preventing” it, this bill contradicts the will of Missourians and perpetuates a pattern of legislative interference in personal medical decisions. 4. Privacy and Safety Risks Are Unacceptable The registry’s lack of robust data protections exposes sensitive health information to potential breaches or misuse. Even with claims of confidentiality, the bill’s provisions for sharing records with law enforcement and third-party contractors create avenues for abuse . No one should fear that seeking pregnancy resources could result in surveillance or coercion. 5. The Bills Fail to Address Root Causes True support for pregnant individuals requires affordable healthcare, paid family leave, and childcare—not a registry that treats them as subjects to be monitored. Missouri’s existing child welfare system struggles with foster care and adoption services; diverting \$32 million annually to this flawed initiative wastes resources that could directly aid families . These bills are dangerous escalation in Missouri’s campaign to control reproductive choices. They violate privacy, perpetuate stigma, and disregard the electorate’s mandate for bodily autonomy. I urge lawmakers to reject these bills and focus on policies that genuinely support families—not surveil them.



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WITNESS NAME: MICHAEL GODSY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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The voters have already decided this issue. The general assembly's refusal to accept the will of the people they represent, as with Medicaid expansion, is the most tyrannical arrogation of unconstitutional power possible. It is literally telling the voters to shut up about the issues that matter. Show the people of this State you understand that constitutional government must always be subject to the stated will of the people.



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WITNESS NAME: MICHELLE ESPINOZA		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: shelleyosburn@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 8:59 PM
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I voted yes on Amendment 3 because I want safe, legal abortion access. You have no right to overturn the will of the voters. That's exactly what you're trying to do with this ridiculous pregnancy database. Stop.



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WITNESS NAME: MICHELLE MEARS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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No database of pregnancies. This is an invasion of privacy and seeks to subvert the new law passed by voters to allow abortion by choice. A person cannot be "at risk" for exercising their constitutional rights. Do not pass this bill out of committee.



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WITNESS NAME: MICHELLE POTTS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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EMAIL: moonlightmap66@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 2:27 AM

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Believe it or not, women are completely capable of making decisions about their own bodies. A central registry of pregnant women is draconian - and you think you can keep sneaking this bill into the house - as if we wouldn't notice it. It's time to stop weaponizing government to restrict a woman's right to choose. Missourians voted to enshrine abortion rights. **STOP TRYING TO PASS LEGISLATION TO OVERRIDE THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE.** This bill is not only discriminatory and dangerous, such a list would explicitly target low-income women and women of color, making them vulnerable to harassment, public condemnation, employment discrimination, and even violence. And because low-income pregnant women are most at risk for pregnancy complications, inclusion on such a list would easily allow for the criminalization of these women when later term pregnancy complications in highly surveilled women are misinterpreted as an illegal pregnancy interruption. I am **DEEPLY** opposed to this dangerous bill.



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WITNESS NAME: MICHELLE WARNECKE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: jmeesh@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 10:34 AM
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This bill is well beyond the reach of what the government should be doing. It is frightening to think that a state government within the USA would try and be this invasive. It will be a costly act with no benefit to the state or its constituents. The Missouri Foster system is overwhelmed and people can begin the help there rather than shop for what baby they want by strong arming at risk women into adoption.



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WITNESS NAME: MIKE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: abortionishealthcare25@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 2:39 PM

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This is completely unconstitutional. The people of Missouri voted to keep abortion access legal for all and not only are you trying to undo that, but you're trying to keep a registry of pregnant women so you can enforce your illegal agenda. You scumbags are elected to serve the peoples' best interests; you do not get to unilaterally decide what is best for us, especially after we have already spoken. You should all be ashamed of yourselves and I hope that the women in your lives disown you. You do not deserve to represent the state of Missouri. Even the thought of a registry like this is tantamount to forcing Jews to wear gold stars during the holocaust. This is malicious and unconstitutional.



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WITNESS NAME: MIRIAM KATHLEEN SMITH		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: kitkat101055@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 11:48 AM

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This is Kathy Smith, a resident of KCMo, and I demand you oppose this disgusting bill that includes a central registry for pregnant women. It is a violation of human rights, is about controlling women- not about adoption.



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WITNESS NAME: MONICA ERNST		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: mlernst7@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:13 AM
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I am Monica Ernst from Kansas City, MO and I OPPOSE HB 1579. Pregnancy decisions are not the government's business. Pregnant Missouri women should not be tracked by the state and should be left to make their own pregnancy decisions in private without government interference.



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WITNESS NAME: NANCY A ARNOLD		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: nursenrock@aol.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:59 AM

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My name is Nancy Arnold, I live in Bridgeton MO 63044. I am very much in opposition of HB 1579. This is a waste of government and the government needs to stay out of women's health!!!!!!!!!!!!



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WITNESS NAME: NANCY BATEMAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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These bills calling for any type of pregnancy registry are inhumane and bigotry. Stop this nazi nonsense.



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WITNESS NAME: NANCY CREASY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: nancrazy@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 12:21 PM

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I strongly oppose this bill and find it to be another example of the Republicans controlling women and their right to exercise their constitutional rights.



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WITNESS NAME: NANCY FISH		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: samtisha@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 5:59 PM
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This database is a violation of privacy laws. The government needs to stay out of the personal healthcare decisions of the citizens of MO. Do you want your health status tracked in a database? I Don't. It's not the government's business!



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WITNESS NAME: NANCY JANE LOMAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: nancyloman11964@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 3:17 PM
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**I am totally opposed to anyone tracking the medical status of a citizen of the State of Missouri.
Absolutely no one's business if a woman is pregnant.**



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WITNESS NAME: NANCY OBRIEN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: nobstl@charter.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 2:35 PM
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You claim that this system will only be for mothers/fathers who voluntarily want to give their child up for adoption. However, the bill states the following: "The Division is required to establish a "Missouri Adoptive Resources Services System" for the entire State, the function of which is to promote the safe and healthy birth of children in the State through the utilization of existing resources; coordinate community resources and provide assistance or services to expecting mothers identified to be at risk for seeking abortion services; and prevent abortions through the adoption of children by fit and proper adoptive parents." The supplement also states this: "need to contract or renegotiate contracts with nearly 170 hospitals, over 100 Pregnancy Resource Centers and Maternity Homes (includes Alternatives 2 Abortion providers)." It is clear that you are targeting women who are seeking an abortion. It is clear that utilizing these so-called "crisis pregnancy centers," which shame/bully pregnant women from seeking abortion, that you expect all pregnant women to wind up on this "system." This is a violation of women's privacy rights, a violation of HIPAA, and I strongly oppose this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: NANCY REESE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: kater486@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/22/2025 5:04 PM
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I understand that there is a new bill introduced that will create a registry of women at-risk of obtaining an abortion. This idea is totally absurd. Creating a database of pregnant women that fit some definition of being at risk is unconstitutional and an assault on women's bodily autonomy. I find this disgusting that anyone in the Missouri legislature would 3rd consider such a bill. I am 100% opposed to any bill with such a list or database included in it



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EMAIL: njochens@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 8:58 PM
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WITNESS NAME: NANCY ZELIFF		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: ndzeliff@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:35 AM

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A woman's pregnancy is NO ONE's business. No woman considering an abortion "is at risk." It is her decision only. Rep Amato and scores of legislators in Jefferson City are obsessed with controlling the decisions of women. Why? Reproductive Rights are Human Rights. Get over, Rep Amato and all of you!



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WITNESS NAME: NATALIE STRICKLER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I am in opposition to HB1579.



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WITNESS NAME: NATASHA JOHNSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Missouri House Bill 1579, proposing a registry of pregnant women, raises several concerns regarding its necessity and potential implementation. Existing state and federal programs already provide a wide range of services to pregnant women. A critical question is whether additional government funding would be effectively allocated, given the documented underfunding of existing resources. For instance, the Missouri Department of Children's Services (DCF) has faced repeated scrutiny for underfunding, as reported by the St. Louis Post-Dispatch in their coverage of budget shortfalls impacting child welfare. Similarly, private entities contracted by the state, such as KVC, have faced allegations of negligence, as highlighted in investigations by local news outlets like The Kansas City Star regarding their handling of foster care cases. Furthermore, the bill's definition of "at-risk" pregnancies lacks clarity. The criteria used to determine risk, and the qualifications of those making such determinations, are not specified. This raises concerns about potential biases related to factors like race, religion, age, or income. Without clear definitions and oversight, the potential for discriminatory practices exists. The public response to this bill also indicates a lack of widespread support. Many argue that government intervention in women's health should be minimized, particularly when comparable attention is not given to men's health. Concerns have been raised about the potential for government overreach and the creation of unnecessary bureaucratic systems, especially in light of existing resource constraints. The bill's lack of thorough consideration, particularly regarding the definition of "at-risk", proper funding allocation, and Missourians poor reception should ensure this bill does not continue and does not keep being resurrected. Missouri has spoken, and we do not want MORE government oversight when politicians have been unable to handle running- and unwilling to allocate proper funding for-current programs.



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WITNESS NAME: NICOLE CHLYSTA		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
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EMAIL: nicole.chlysta@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 8:15 PM
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The idea of a state-run registry for expectant mothers is invasive, unnecessary, and unacceptable. This is blatant government overreach and a dangerous dystopian policy. I refuse to support it in any form and so should our representatives. If the government is so interested in pregnancy, it should start by registering men, as men are responsible for 100% of all pregnancies.



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EMAIL: nicoletosie@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 7:42 PM
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This bill goes against what Missourians voted for in the November 2024 election. In addition, any bill that includes a registry of pregnant women is a violation of civil rights. It is an abomination that taxpayers dollars are being used to draft and review such nonsense.



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WITNESS NAME: NICOLE K FOWLER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: nkfowler@outlook.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 10:17 AM

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There should NEVER be a registry for pregnant people at any point in time. Ever. We will remember who keeps trying to legislate these abuses of power, Amato.



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WITNESS NAME: NICOLE KRAMER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: fiberarts7@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:23 PM

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**I am in opposition to this bill. The people of Missouri have spoken with the passing of amendment 3.
We do not want politicians involved in decisions about our bodies.**



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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: nikkidesimone@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/22/2025 11:09 PM
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I am in my 20th year of supporting expecting mothers through the adoption process in Missouri. For 20 years I have worked for Christian adoption agencies in the pro-life space in Missouri. I am submitting testimony in opposition of this bill for the simple fact that everything in this bill is done completely by private adoption agencies already. Nothing additional is needed at this time and no further oversight is required. We are licensed by the MO Children's Division (and audited annually) to provide these services as their case loads are already outrageously high. They realized this more than 40 years ago and have been licensing private agencies since. We do excellent work and serve the state well. We work well with our courts, attorneys and cooperating agencies. This bill is unnecessary and the provisions would only complicate our work with assisting expecting parents to make adoption plans. There is no need to further entertain this bill, HB807, and/or any other like bills that would insert the already overburdened child welfare system into private adoption work.



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WITNESS NAME: NIKKI RUSSELL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: nikki_russell16@outlook.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 2:05 PM
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We have already done this song and dance. The people have expressed their opposition of this bill the last time it was introduced. We do not want the government telling us what we can and can't do with our bodies. We do not want a pregnancy database where the government is flagging "at risk" pregnancies. That is not your job or your concern. Our pregnancies and our bodies are none of the government's business. Women have a right to their bodily autonomy just like any man does. Women can make their own health care decisions. Missourians voted to remove the abortion ban in November. Stop undermining the will of the people. Stop trying to control women. We are not second class citizens. The women that came before us did not work so hard to get us to where we are for politicians to trample our rights. I oppose this ridiculous and dangerous bill.



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WITNESS NAME: NORA EBERSBACH		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: ebes1191@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 2:08 PM

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A woman's decision to have an abortion is hers and no one else's business. I absolutely oppose this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: NORMA SUE TRABUE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: nstrabue@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:47 AM
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This is an invasion of privacy and a breach of HIPAA laws.			



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WITNESS NAME: OLIVIA STOCKMAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: oliviastockman@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:51 AM
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My name is Olivia Stockman, I'm a 46 year old woman in Crestwood, St. Louis County. A government registry of pregnant women is just downright creepy, fellas. Stop being such creepy, creepy men. Seriously. Leave us alone.



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WITNESS NAME: PAM LANHAM		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: lanham@centurytel.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 5:17 PM
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Stop trying to overturn the will of the people! It's really offensiveto Missourians that the state government would classify certain individuals as being "AT RISK" of exercising a constitutional right. That does NOT support constitutional rights and individual liberties. If this was actually about child welfare and streamlining the adoption process, the sponsors would REMOVE THE "CENTRAL REGISTRY" part of it. Leave 'EXPECTING MOTHERS' ALONE to make their own decisions, a freedom Missourians worked HARD to secure for ourselves through the ballot box. My body, my choice!



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WITNESS NAME: PAMELA MAYBERRY		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: pmayberry1962@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 9:01 PM
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I am appalled that this was resubmitted. Having a registry for pregnant women are you kidding me??!
That is Big Brother material. And then you think you can identify who is "at risk for having an abortion"? Who do you think this is? The young? The poor? The minority? Surely not a college, educated, white woman! And even if you could correctly, identify them, it's none of your damn business. Are you going to harass them under the guise of counseling them towards adoption? Seriously, women know that adoption is an option. They don't need to be tracked like cattle. I can't even believe this is up for discussion. I urge you to vote no. I'll be looking to see how you voted.



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WITNESS NAME: PAT PAINE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: patriciaapaine@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 7:36 PM

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This is wholly out of the role of government. Abortion access was approved by the people of this state. It is a medical decision. A list of women potentially needing an abortion includes all women. Stop this infringement on our rights!



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WITNESS NAME: PATRICIA CROUGHAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: croughanp@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:58 PM
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I sincerely hope you will vote "NO" on this bill. Such a registry would be an inappropriate intrusion into the lives of Missouri women. Thank you.



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WITNESS NAME: PATRICIA DANIEL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sdaniel.mo@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:49 PM
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I am greatly opposed to HB 1579, which creates an 'e-Harmony for babies' database to track pregnant women 'at risk' of seeking abortion. Pregnancy decisions are nobody else's business-- especially not the business of our state government. Missourians do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state. What does 207.030, line 8 mean? Entering into agreements with political subdivision of this state, accepting moneys, services, or quarters as a contribution towards the support and maintenance of such country offices? This doesn't sound non-partisan. We do NOT need Missouri Adoptive Resources Services System in Missouri. We already have the services this would provide to assist families who want to place a child up for adoption or to adopt a child.



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WITNESS NAME: PATRICIA JONES		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: bartolaccipj@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:19 AM
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People who are parenting or who want to parent deserve support and access to resources– but HB 1579 is just another sneaky mechanism to ultimately ban abortion and track pregnant Missourians. Missourians do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state.



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WITNESS NAME: PATRICIA L BAKER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: trishbaker67@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 6:02 PM
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I'm Trish Baker from St. Charles (City) and I oppose HB1579. Missourians do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care, as evidence by the outcome of the November 2024 when the majority of Missouri voters VOTED YES to end government interference in an individual's decisions on abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care. The people have spoken. There is no place for government in such personal decisions.



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WITNESS NAME: PATRICIA SHAW		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: pattysaw@aol.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 1:47 PM
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A woman's health and what she does with her body is none of anyone's business but her own. The people have voted to make abortion legal in the state of MO. You need to honor that. Stay out of our business!



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WITNESS NAME: PATRICIA SUMNER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: sumnerpat2@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 8:28 PM

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I am opposed to this bill I feel like it infringes on my rights and on all women. I am concerned about my granddaughters futures if this bill is enacted. Please vote NO.



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WITNESS NAME: PATTI J. FLECK		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: pjfleck@icloud.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/22/2025 1:49 PM
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Stop! The idea of requiring a central database of pregnant women is both alarming and absurd - it brings to mind The Handmaiden's Tale. Such a measure is clearly an assault to constitutional rights and bodily autonomy. As a Missourian, I find it appalling that our state legislature would even consider such a disturbing and invasive proposal.



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WITNESS NAME: PATTY FISHER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: pwfisher1216@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 1:59 PM

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I am in total opposition to HB 1579. Not only is it completely absurd, it's also an embarrassment to the state that it our lawmakers keep trying to make it happen.



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WITNESS NAME: PAUL WRIGHT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: paulnkc@yahoo.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/22/2025 4:43 PM

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When a ballot initiative is passed by the majority of citizens, it is imperative that the elected assembly supports their decision. Any attempt to thwart the people's will is an act of treason and should be dealt with as such! This is the second attempt in recent days that a bill has been introduced that with supplant the WILL OF WE THE PEOPLE! Tread very carefully, and remove this proposed legislation before it's too late! When reasonable men are pushed too far...



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WITNESS NAME: PAULA PELIKAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: ppelikan86@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:22 AM

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**Here we go again! LISTEN TO THE PEOPLE AND OPPOSE THIS BILL!!! WOMEN ARE NOT CATTLE!!!!
THIS HAS GOT TO STOP!!!!**



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WITNESS NAME: PHYLLIS DANNAR		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: pjdannar@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:21 PM
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My name is ____Phyllis Dannar____ and although I am from House District 1, I am calling today all members of the House Children and Families Committee in opposition to HB 1579. A database of pregnant women is an invasion of privacy for women and a way to track pregnant Missourians. A woman's pregnancy decisions are no one's business.



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WITNESS NAME: RACHEL AUBUCHON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: raubuchon4287@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 5:04 PM
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Members of the Committee, I am writing in opposition to House Bill 1579. I am opposed to any organization or institution maintaining a central database of pregnant persons. Sanctioning government surveillance and tracking of health decisions is deeply invasive and I oppose this bill in the strongest terms. I want to know exactly how the state plans to identify individuals who are "at risk" for seeking abortion services. People from every walk of life seek abortion services for a multitude of reasons because abortion is healthcare, and the decision to access that healthcare should be made in confidence between a pregnant individual and their doctor. This bill does not add additional services for pregnant people, those seeking to place children for adoption, or those who seek to adopt unwanted children. It seeks only to identify and register those "at risk of seeking an abortion", an assault on the liberties of those persons. If lawmakers truly want to help pregnant people and children, they should focus on policies that improve maternal healthcare, expand access to childcare, and support working families. The government has no business interfering in a person's private medical decisions. House Bill 1579 is an alarming attempt to erode individual freedoms, and I urge you to reject it.



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WITNESS NAME: RACHEL DUNCAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: rachelroseduncan@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 8:41 PM

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This is a violation of women's privacy and has no place in Missouri. I'm disgusted at this blatant disregard for a woman to make her own choices with her doctor.



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WITNESS NAME: RACHEL EREN REVERIE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: rachelreverie@outlook.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 7:34 AM
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I am a Missouri voter. I, along with a majority of voters in Missouri, voted to legalize abortion. This bill is an attempt to undermine the confirmed will of we, the people. It is an attempt by an individual lawmaker to impose the morals of a minority on all Missourians in defiance of the law that was duly passed by voters. I strongly oppose this proposed registry, as there is no legitimate reason or use for it.



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WITNESS NAME			
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WITNESS NAME: RACHEL JAMIESON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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EMAIL: rachel.jamieson@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 6:08 PM
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My name is Rachel Jamieson and I'm from Springfield District 132. People who are parenting or who want to parent deserve support and access to resources– but HB 1579 is just another sneaky mechanism to ultimately ban abortion and track pregnant Missourians. Missourians do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state.



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WITNESS NAME: RACHEL M HAFNER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: rhafner77@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:04 PM
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I opposed HB1579.			



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WITNESS NAME: RACHEL NOELLE TAYLOR		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: rachel.haverstick@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 4:11 PM

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Missouri doesn't need a registry of pregnant women. I oppose this bill because I think it intends to create a tracking system for women's reproduction, which violates bodily autonomy and privacy. Don't do it!



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WITNESS NAME: RACHEL RILEY		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: rriley664@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 4:19 PM
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Missouri voted to allow abortions. Undoing the will of the voters is never helpful. A miscarriage is medically classified as an abortion. It is only the business of the pregnant woman and the doctor. We don't regulate men's health care so leave women's bodies alone.



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WITNESS NAME: RATNA CRAIG		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: ratna_shah@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:03 PM
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WITNESS NAME: RAYMOND JAMES		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: RaymondJames552@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: In-Person		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:25 AM
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The government should not maintain a data base. This will interfere with citizens civil rights, cost tax payer money and create conditions dangerous to our civil society in the future. Whst data base is next? We have too much government control of private personnel matters now. What happens when someone refuses to register? Charity organizations currently work to match people wanting to adopt with pregnant women who want to carry a pregnancy to term. Government action in this matter is not needed and should not be undertaken .



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WITNESS NAME: REBECCA ANDERSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: beccanders@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 4:59 PM
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As a mother of a toddler, I experienced anxiety about maintaining a safe and healthy pregnancy. I cannot imagine the additional stress of knowing my status as pregnant could mean the government is trying to sniff out if I'm "at risk of seeking abortion services." Interfering with the privacy of medical records is appalling and would lead to hesitance to seek healthcare at all, leading to worse health outcomes for everyone. This hurts Missouri children and families.



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WITNESS NAME: REBECCA LIVINGSTON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: BCLIVINGSTON13@GMAIL.COM	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 2:03 PM
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Requiring a central database of pregnant women so that the government can control their bodies is absolutely sick and absurd. Particularly with the reasoning that they are “at risk” of exercising their constitutional right to bodily autonomy. As a Missourian I am disgusted that my state legislature would even consider such an abhorrent bill. This is a hard step towards a Gilead-style country led by fascist dictators. The United States is supposed to be the land of the free, but that will no longer be applicable here if bills like this are allowed to be passed which would restricts the rights and freedoms of over half the population of the country. We literally just voted to get the rights to our own bodies back, and it is quite honestly disrespectful for politicians to try to circumvent the will of the people with shady bills like this.



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WITNESS NAME: REBECCA MURDOCK		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: rjlurye@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 1:26 PM
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I oppose the creation of a registry of "expecting mothers identified to be at risk for seeking abortion services." The government should NOT be making and maintaining a central registry of pregnant women. How does the state plan to identify these women? How will the state collect the information and determine whether a pregnant woman is considering ending their pregnancy? I fear for all kinds of civil rights violations, with racist and classist assumptions targeting poor women and women of color. Leave pregnant women alone, let them exercise their hard-won right to access an abortion if that is their choice. It should be between themselves, their families and their doctors, and not the state. Pregnant women are NOT opportunities for prospective adoptive parents. They are people who should be making choices for themselves and their families first and foremost. And if they want to pursue adoption, then they will make themselves known. If you truly care about children, about families and about mothers then refocus your efforts on supporting paid family leave, lowering child care costs and opposing Donald Trump and his massive planned and already-executed cuts to medical research, Medicaid, Medicare, Social Security, Health and Human Services, the CDC, and so much more.



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WITNESS NAME: REBECCA WATSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: rdcolnar@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/22/2025 11:57 AM
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This garbage again? No, we don't need or want the state government keeping a registry of pregnant women. I can't believe that needs to be said.



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WITNESS NAME: REBECCA WHEELER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: infigon630@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 7:11 PM

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I oppose this bill. The state has no interest in keeping this private info.



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EMAIL: infigon630@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 7:01 PM

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I am vehemently opposed to this legislation. This information is private and the state has no standing in this issue.



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WITNESS NAME: REBECCA WILLIAMS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: rneihouse@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 9:31 AM
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As a woman currently trying to conceive, I am NOT okay with the thought of being placed on a registry without my consent simply for being pregnant. Please oppose the central registry and allow women to opt in to this registry if they are interested in adoption.



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WITNESS NAME: REEMA GIBBS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: reema.gibbs74@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 6:35 AM
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I feel like a lot of people in Missouri are against HB1579 because it wants to create a registry for pregnant individuals. It seems like it could invade privacy and lead to discrimination. Many worry that it might discourage people from seeking the medical care they need. Plus, it's frustrating that Missourians have already voted to support abortion care, and this bill feels like a form of retaliation against that decision. Overall, I just want to see everyone who's pregnant in Missouri feel supported and protected.



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WITNESS NAME: RENEE BROSS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: renee.bross@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:37 AM
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This bill is in direct violation of Amendment 3 passed in 2024. Abortion IS healthcare. In 1988 I had an ectopic pregnancy which ruptured. Emergency surgery was required. I went on to endure a very risky pregnancy and did not miscarry. I was lucky to have had the healthcare necessary, leaving me with a partial ovary (a different emergency surgery) and a right tube. My son is now 30 years old and the love of my life. You people sit in judgement of my healthcare decisions. This is an awful bill that does nothing to help women.



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WITNESS NAME: RENEE STAAB		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: reneestaab216@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 11:19 PM

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I oppose a database with names of pregnant women as it is an appalling breach of privacy and bodily autonomy.



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WITNESS NAME: REV. EMILY CRANE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: starling49857@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 11:12 AM
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This nonsense again? At this point, just require all Missouri women to wear ear tags like heifers if you're going to track us like livestock. Please for the love of God, stay out of my uterus! Don't you have better things to be legislating about? Like, as an example, the fact that 1 in 5 children in this state are experiencing food insecurity and hunger. Or the fact that our state is significantly below the national average in quality of education and student success? Stop thinking about genitals so much and focus on what actually matters. I urge you to vote **AGAINST** this ridiculous, unnecessary, and oppressive bill. Thanks in advance.



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WITNESS NAME: RHONDA BOLES		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: purine_racers_3g@icloud.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/23/2025 9:47 AM

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The identification of expectant women is not the business of the government.



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WITNESS NAME: RHONDA STEELMAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: rlsteelstl@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 7:32 AM
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Stop legislating women's bodies! I oppose any database tracking pregnancies and adoptions. Give women full autonomy over their bodies and their healthcare. Support children and mothers with universal healthcare, free school meals, free education, subsidized childcare. As a single naive college student back in 1970's it was FREE PLANNED PARENTHOOD services that kept me from becoming an unwed mother dependent on state services. Planned Parenthood provided the means for me to complete my education, get a job and provide for my family .



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WITNESS NAME: RICHARD OSWALD		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: rro1950@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:23 PM

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Mind your own business. Stay out of the Missouri families decision making. Some people seem to think women get abortions like it's some kind of recreation or evil goal. Bad things happen to good people. Don't make it worse.



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WITNESS NAME: RISA BROWN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: RIVA CAPELLARI		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: rivacapellari@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 9:30 AM
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What is the criteria for indentifying expectant mothers at risk for seeking an abortion and how are these women identified and located? Are others reporting on these women (family members, neighbors?) to the state? If a woman wants to adopt out her unborn child she can already contact the agency for this. There is no reason to keep a list of pregnant women. Whether these women decide upon abortion or adoption is up to them not the state. Maintaining a list of expectant mothers is an invasion of privacy. This sounds like a "caring" bill, but ultimately, it is a way to make it "ok" to harrass expectant mothers considering abortion.



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WITNESS NAME: ROBERT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: robhuggins@rookeye.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 6:16 PM
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This is absolutely disgusting. How can the government violate the rights of half of it's citizens to privacy by keeping a list like this. It is absolutely no business of the government or anyone else about the status of a pregnant woman. At the very least, this bill sounds like it directly contradicts HIPAA laws. This is the type of horrible legislation I'm going to make sure I track the voting on, because I know almost every Republican and Democrat friend and family member would find this to be the most Orwellian possible legislation to come out of corrupt politicians that could ever be conceived.



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WITNESS NAME: ROBERTA SCHRUM		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: rschrum59@sbcglobal.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 6:53 PM
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WITNESS NAME: ROBIN BROWN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: brownette24@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 7:12 AM

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Pregnant women deserve privacy and quality healthcare. The registry proposed is predatory. Respect the will of the voters and stop attacking abortion



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WITNESS NAME: ROBIN MORRIS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: robin@d-claw.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 7:26 PM
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I am a family physician who practices OB in Missouri and this idea is illegal, immoral, and abhorrent. A database tracking pregnant women in the state infringes on personal privacy. I will not participate if passed. This has little/nothing to do with adoption and EVERYTHING to do with interfering with women's bodily autonomy.



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EMAIL: robinbrownw@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 8:06 PM

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I am deeply opposed to this bill and any action that infringes on my constitutional rights to make decisions about my body and to keep my medical records private.



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WITNESS NAME: ROBYN CROSBY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: wainekeh@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 1:46 PM
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Good afternoon, My name is Robyn Crosby, and I am a resident of Joplin in Missouri. I am here today to express my strong opposition to HB 1579, the so-called "Adoption" bill, which includes provisions for a central registry of pregnant women. This bill raises serious concerns about privacy, constitutional rights, and government overreach, and I urge the committee to reject it. 1. ****Invasion of Privacy****: HB 1579 proposes a central registry for pregnant women, which would require the government to collect and track personal information about individuals who are expecting. This is a clear violation of privacy rights. No one should be subjected to surveillance simply because they are pregnant. This registry could lead to misuse of personal data and create a chilling effect on women seeking healthcare or making personal decisions about their pregnancies. 2. ****Government Overreach****: The bill classifies certain individuals as "at risk" of exercising their constitutional rights, such as the right to reproductive choice. This is deeply troubling. The government has no business targeting individuals based on their potential to exercise their rights. This sets a dangerous precedent and undermines the freedoms that Missourians hold dear. 3. ****Misleading Framing****: While the bill is framed as a way to streamline adoption, the inclusion of a central registry for pregnant women reveals a different intent. If the goal is truly to support adoption and child welfare, the registry is unnecessary and invasive. Instead of focusing on registries, the state should invest in resources that genuinely support expecting mothers and families, such as healthcare, childcare, and financial assistance. 4. ****Impact on Vulnerable Communities****: This bill disproportionately affects low-income women, women of color, and other marginalized groups who already face systemic barriers to healthcare and autonomy. A registry could further stigmatize and penalize these communities, rather than providing the support they need. I urge the committee to reject HB 1579. This bill is not about supporting adoption or child welfare—it is about controlling and monitoring pregnant women. Missourians deserve better. We deserve policies that respect our privacy, uphold our constitutional rights, and provide real support to families in need. Thank you for the opportunity to speak today. I hope you will consider the serious concerns raised by this bill and stand with Missourians in opposing it. Please vote NO on HB 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: ROSALYN VANHECKE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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Missouri women have a right to privacy. Starting a "list" of at risk pregnancies? Who decides who is on the list? Where does the list go? It's wrong and shows no respect for women. Stop it



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WITNESS NAME: ROSE ADREANI		PHONE NUMBER:	
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My name is Rose Adreani, I am a voting constituent, and I strongly oppose this bill. The subject of this bill is a misnomer. If you were actually hoping to improve the adoption process, you could do so by streamlining it so that more children can access love and care and a permanent home. Instead, by suggesting the creation of an expectant mother's registry, you are instilling fear in much of the state population. You are putting women at risk. You are creating a situation in which Missourians are policing each other, rather than supporting pregnant people during a very sensitive, critical time in their lives. Expectant women deserve privacy and support. I oppose this bill, and I urge you to do.



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WITNESS NAME: RUTH HUEBNER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This bill proposes a NAZI SS like registry for pregnant women so that the government can monitor and control pregnancies. This is so dangerous to women. Right now there are more than 2000 ,children ready for adoption; only half are every adopted. If a woman chooses to release her fetus for potential adoption, she can go through several public (child welfare) and private agencies. There is NO JUSTIFICATION for such a reckless and dangerous registry.



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WITNESS NAME: RUTH KNITTEL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: ruthknittel55@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:31 PM
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This bill appears to be much more about tracking pregnant women and keep them from making their own choices about their bodies. "provide assistance or services to expecting mothers identified to be at risk for seeking abortion services; and prevent abortions through the adoption of children by fit and proper adoptive parents." Abortion is LEGAL in this state and we don't need legislation designed to harass women.



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WITNESS NAME: RUTHIE JAYNE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: ruthjayne@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 5:55 PM
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Oh hell no! NO PREGNANCY DATABASES!!			



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WITNESS NAME: RUTHIE JAYNE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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A database of expectant “at risk” mothers? He’ll NO! And who would be allowed to put a name on said list? Her pastor? Her abuser? Her hairstylist? No, absolutely not!!!



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WITNESS NAME: RYAN STRONG		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This is big government overreach. This a violation of civil liberties.			



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WITNESS NAME: RYANNE PETERS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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Why do you want to treat the women of Missouri the same as cattle? Are we not deserving of respect? Do you see women as "less than" men? How about a registry of every man who hasn't had a vasectomy? Women don't just get pregnant without a man being involved in some way. It only seems fair that if every expectant mother is on a list, EVERY potential father in the state ought to be as well. Doing this is OBVIOUSLY an attempt to control the women of our once-great state. Let adults make their own choices!! You are not God, you don't have any right to do this.



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WITNESS NAME: S. COX		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sandy@merrylegsfarm.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 1:13 PM
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Testimony in Opposition to Missouri House Bill 1579 Chairperson and Members of the Committee, I am writing to express my strong opposition to House Bill 1579. The idea of creating a central database of pregnant women so that the government can track and control their decisions is not only invasive but fundamentally un-American. This bill is not about support—it is about surveillance and control. The language of the bill states that it aims to identify pregnant individuals who are “at risk for seeking abortion services.” My main question is this: How exactly does the state plan to ‘identify’ these individuals? This bill does not serve women—it seeks to control them. Missouri already has a wide range of resources for those considering adoption, and there is no need for a government registry that strips women of their rights under the pretense of support. If lawmakers truly want to help pregnant women and mothers, they should focus on policies that improve maternal healthcare, expand access to childcare, and support working families—not coercion and forced birth. The government has no business interfering in a person’s private medical decisions. House Bill 1579 is an alarming attempt to erode individual freedoms, and I urge you to reject it. Thank you for your time and consideration. S. Cox



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WITNESS NAME: SABRINA BONNETTE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This is a ridiculous invasion of privacy! Why don't you turn your attention on the MALES who are causing the pregnancies and put some of the ONUS on them? It's bad enough there is still an active "Fathersagainst child support enforcement" FB Page, and Rep Gragg trying hard to get men onboard with actually being responsible fathers, so include THE MEN in the 'matching' database! Why do they get off scott free? Please accept the WILL OF THE VOTERS and Adhere to the State Constitution with AMENDMENT 3 from November. Just THINK of all the good you could do for families AND children if you just stayed out of the private medical decisions of people! Really, the amount of wasted time trying to turn this state into a theocracy instead of respecting the very Democracy which I served 23 1/2 years in the Navy to protect!!!! I served my country to DEFEND our rights, not to oppress them. It's a violation of my religious freedom to be pushing this agenda. If your religion directs oppression over women and their literal bodies, then you're no better than the Taliban. Religious extremism and domestic terrorism is what the GOP in Jefferson City are proposing with this ridiculous piece of trash legislation.



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WITNESS NAME: SAM HAWKINS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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As a constituent i completely oppose this bill. I dissent on all levels. This is unconstitutional and unjust.



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WITNESS NAME: SAMANTHA CODD		PHONE NUMBER:	
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This is outrageous and in violation of our rights. When I watched Handmaid's tale, I thought how outrageous and far fetched this is and now it's potentially a reality?!?! This can not stand!!



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WITNESS NAME: SAMANTHA LYNNE LADD		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: Samantha.Lynne.Ladd@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:25 AM
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The last place government needs to be is in my womb, and in my family planning decisions. I am a mother of two beautiful children, and I am lucky to have them. However, my decision to be a mother was my own decision and I am glad that I was able to do so without any interference from my government. This bill pretends to be a way to better support adoption efforts, but there is no reason to believe that a woman wanting to look into adoption cannot find plenty of resources that already exist to look into this path. Any effort by our government to register, or label pregnant women as 'at risk' of having an abortion is an invasion of privacy and is not in the best interest of the woman. Women will decide to avoid prenatal care if this bill is passed, and that is a huge risk to the health and safety of the women in our state. Please do not let legislation like this go forward.



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WITNESS NAME: SANDRA BRODY		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I am Sandra Brody from Manchester, Missouri. I oppose HB 1579 and any attempt to interfere with a woman's right to make her own health and family decisions. Like most Missourians, I do not support political or government interference in access to abortion, or any pregnancy care. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state. Republicans used to be in favor of less government. What happened to you? Why don't you repair Missouri's educational and infrastructure systems instead of meddling in people's personal lives?



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WITNESS NAME: SANDRA MITCHEM		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I am in opposition to the HB 1579 bill as it violates my right to privacy and body. We do not need a centralized registry. Nor does this bill give clear indication on how a woman is determined "at risk" .



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WITNESS NAME: SARA SCHACK		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: slschack@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:17 AM

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My name is Sara Schack and I'm from St. Charles, MO and I am in Opposition of this bill



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WITNESS NAME: SARAH KIM		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: sarah.niere@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 4:50 PM
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Please completely oppose this vast overreach into womens' private health information. We already voted to allow abortion in the state of MO. Yet, it seems you're trying to push your agenda instead of listening to your constituents. I thought conservatives were for less government intrusion.



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WITNESS NAME: SARAH A. SWISHER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: salswisher@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:07 AM

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Didn't we get rid of this once? I'm STILL completely OPPOSED to the State of MO creating a database of pregnant women who might want to exercise their rights [get an abortion.]. You can say it's about adoption all you want, but I'm convinced that it's really about controlling women.



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WITNESS NAME: SARAH DUNN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: sarahelizabethdunn18@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 2:39 PM
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Missourians made their option on reproductive rights very clear not even a year ago. We voted that a right to abortion be included in our constitution. Missourian who are pregnant should not be tracked on a government registry. They have a right to make their own decisions and to do so privately. This bill is an extreme overreach by the government for control of Missourians. It is a dangerous precedent to set and blatantly against the will of the people who make up this state.



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WITNESS NAME: SARAH FELTS		PHONE NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: SARAH L SHEPARD		PHONE NUMBER:	
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The government doesn't need to know about what I do with MY BODY. This is NOT a communist state!



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WITNESS NAME: SARAH LUEKEN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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I strongly oppose bill 1579. A registry of pregnant people should NOT exist. My pregnancy decisions are no body else's business but my own - and certainly not the business of the state government.



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WITNESS NAME: SARAH M. ELDER		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: ladyhawke687990@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 3:12 PM

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Stop trying to create databases for expectant mothers who "might" seek an abortion so you can track them for whatever purposes the legislature deems fit. Reproductive health, which does include abortion whether you like it or not, is a deeply personal decision that should only relate to the parties involved! The government has no business in Women's Health. Once again, you are trying to do an end run around the will of the people. When a slightly different version of this bill was introduced earlier this year, the backlash was fierce & the bill was withdrawn. But you thought you would quietly submit this bill during Spring Break & no one would notice. You were wrong! We are watching, like a hawk!



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REGISTERED LOBBYIST:			
WITNESS NAME: SARAH SCHLEMEIER		PHONE NUMBER: 573-826-1274	
REPRESENTING: AMERICAN COLLEGE OF OBSTETRICIANS AND GYNCOLOGISTS		TITLE:	
ADDRESS: 213 E CAPITOL AVE.			
CITY: JEFFERSON CITY		STATE: MO	ZIP: 65101
EMAIL: sgh@molobby.com	ATTENDANCE: In-Person	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:43 AM	
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The American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists oppose this legislation due to the risk it poses to the patient provider relationship.



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WITNESS NAME: SERAPH KUNKEL		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: grace_kunkel@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 1:50 PM
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I don't have to say why this is wrong. You all already know it's wrong. I'm going to take my statement as a time to tell you as a woman, In community with women in this state, you will have to fight us tooth and nail the whole way. We will not go backwards, you have NO right to know about a woman's health or pregnancy. You have a CONTROL FETISH. This is disgusting and you know why. You're evil. Get ready to deploy your militarized civilian control on women and their families because we will NOT go along with this. All your days in power are coming to an end each time you show your vile fetishes and abuses of power. Be prepared for the consequences of your evil actions.



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WITNESS NAME: SHANNON MCCARTHY		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: shanmc86@yahoo.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:38 AM

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Women should not be at risk of being put on a watch list IN CASE they want or need to exercise a constitutional right. My personal choices should be between me and my doctor.



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WITNESS NAME: SHANNON NICHOLS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: shan.nichols29@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 6:46 PM

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Creating a list of women who might be “at risk” of having an abortion should never be an option for any reason. It doesn’t matter if you are pro-life or pro-choice. This a violation of personal and medical privacy. I oppose this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: SHARON COTNER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: alphaplaymo@aol.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 12:18 PM
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I do not support this bill. The citizens made it clear in November 2024 how THEY felt regarding abortion. This is nothing more than legalizing harassment toward those considering abortion. I am disgusted by the aspect of this bill that calls for creation of a registry of "at risk of abortion" pregnant women. Please stop this behavior. You are not listening to the will of the people.



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WITNESS NAME: SHARON GAIL DERING		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sgaildering@outlook.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 2:42 PM
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I had an abortion at about 26 years old. I thought it through, consulted with my shrink and gynecologist, and prayed hard (Lutheran at the time). I have never been sorry or ashamed. Many women have very different reasons then mine. Almost no two women have the same reason. Some pregnancies are not meant to be. Some can cause the woman to die. Some fetus do not grow to be whole, missing their organs and may die shortly after birth. Had I not had the abortion I would have killed myself. I not only didn't want to have children, I didn't want to be pregnant. I am 70 now and still no regrets.



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WITNESS NAME: SHEILA HUNT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sheilahunt80@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 12:46 PM
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This bill is not about adoption. This bill is to track women and girls who some man determines is “at risk” for abortion. What happens to the women who do choose abortion? This is wrong in every single way. If we are going to track people, why is there not a registry for gun owners who are “at risk” of committing a gun crime?? Why aren’t there registries for men who are “at risk” of sexually assaulting a woman or child??



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WITNESS NAME: SHERI L FARBER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sheri_farber@yahoo.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 1:07 AM

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I object to this invasion of privacy.



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WITNESS NAME: SHERRI SHOE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sshoe72@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 12:13 PM
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Stop it. Please. This is absolutely an invasion of privacy, HIPPA violation, very offensive, and just another run at trying to plow over the WILL OF THE PEOPLE TO KEEP ABORTION-ALSO KNOWN AS HEALTHCARE-SAFE AND LEGAL. Thinly veiled attempt,disguising it as an adoption forward bill. Please stop trying to force this bill that the majority already said they do not want.



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WITNESS NAME: SHERRY BUCHANAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sherrybuchanan66@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 4:17 PM
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This is not a valid way to improve child welfare. Slips in that pregnant person registry again.



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WITNESS NAME: SHERRY HATTON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: sherry.hatton@cbgundaker.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 1:22 PM

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This bill leaves many unanswered questions and leaves very questionable procedures unbridled in action



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WITNESS NAME: SHERRY L BUCHANAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
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This bill, which would create a Maternal and Child Resources division in the Department of Social Services, would interfere with pregnant women's fundamental right to make their own decisions about pregnancy and health care. The database would be a violation of privacy and an intimidation tool. Another layer of bureaucracy would add expenses for the state and for adoption or alternative care for children. Not a wise way to go!



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WITNESS NAME: SHONDA MCDANIEL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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HB 1579 is just another sneaky mechanism to ban abortion and ultimately track pregnant Missourians. Missourians do not support political or government interference in access to abortion or any pregnancy care. 1,538,600 Missourians turned out to the polls and VOTED YES in November 2024 to putting decisions about abortion, pregnancy, and all sexual and reproductive care back where they belong, in the hands of the people and families of our state. I oppose HB 1579.



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WITNESS NAME: SIDNEY GOLDSTEIN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sidgoldstein@me.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:43 PM
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i am Sidney Goldstein, I live in Clayton, St. Louis County. I am appalled at the notion that our legislature feels the need to track pregnant women for any purpose whatsoever. It is unethical and contrary to our basic freedoms. A woman's health issues are between her and her physician alone. Lawmakers stay out of women's lives. Thank you.



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WITNESS NAME: SLOAN COWELL		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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WITNESS NAME: SOPHIE QUARLES		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sophie.quarles06@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:38 PM

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Women have bodily autonomy and should not be monitored by the government.



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WITNESS NAME: STACY HOWELL		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: howelljrfamily@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:17 AM
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It is time elected official stop trying to control females. Females know how to manage their own bodies. I recommend you focus your attention on educating males to always wear a condom when having sex and to stop raping females. There is no male on the face of the earth who knows how to manage a female's body.



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WITNESS NAME: STACY MACHADO		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: ray.stacy@sbcglobal.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 6:36 PM

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This bill raises serious concerns about privacy, constitutional rights, and government overreach, and urge the committee to reject it.



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WITNESS NAME: STEPHANIE BRENNAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
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EMAIL: stephanie.r.judd@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 4:01 PM
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I oppose this bill and the prospect of a pregnant woman registry.



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BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: stephaniegurleythomas@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 12:27 PM
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Pregnant women are not "at risk" if they are seeking their constitutional right of abortion healthcare. Tracking women in ANY way is wrong, calling them "at risk" is wrong and makes them a target for anti-abortion zealots, and government groups trying to control women. This is not constitutional and I urge you to vote no.



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WITNESS NAME: STEPHANIE L MOORE		PHONE NUMBER:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: Slm1520@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:21 AM
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My name is Stephanie Moore and I live in St Louis (District 90). I oppose this bill and the invasion of privacy it represents. This legislative body needs to cease and desist in overturning the will of the voters as it relates to Amendment 3 and all such measures that pass via popular vote and then in turn get dismantled by the representatives whose job it is to enact the will of the people in the state. Do your job and stop fighting against what the citizens of this state have voted to approve.



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WITNESS NAME: STEPHANIE NEWBERG		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: smnewberg1@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 1:45 PM

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This is disgusting. All of you are disgusting. The voters have spoken. Leave it alone. You should forfeit your seat for over throwing those you "represent".



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WITNESS NAME: STEPHANIE SCHMIDT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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EMAIL: stephsadaisy@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:29 AM
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This bill is an egregious violation of privacy!!!!			



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WITNESS NAME: STEPHEN PERRY		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: Steve.perry@fsresidential.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:51 PM

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**There exist many thousands of unadopted children. The adoption process should remain anonymous.
GOP want to make a buck off the Christians and work camp entrepreneurs. Get a real job.**



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WITNESS NAME: STEVEN CAMPBELL		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: scampbell2120@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 5:24 PM
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WITNESS NAME: STEVEN J TOMPKINS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: steven.tompkins.jr@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 9:16 AM

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Simply by enacting a bill that has even an 'opt-in' style registry, is an extremely slippery slope that can lead to more invasive practices. I strongly oppose this and encourage those in support of this bill to abandon it.



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WITNESS NAME: SUE TOUCHON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: touchon@sbcglobal.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:18 AM

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This is against the abortion access law that just passed via initiative petition, which is the will of the people. It also has serious privacy issues. Please vote no



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WITNESS NAME: SUSAN BROWN		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: susan_vorbeck@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 1:39 PM

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I don't think we need tracking databases for women that could be manipulated and abused. If a woman wants or needs services, there is nothing preventing us from providing information on those services without tracking her personal and confidential medical information. This is a GROSS overreach by the government into the medical privacy of all women.



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WITNESS NAME: SUSAN DOETZEL		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sue2girls@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:53 PM
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I am an opposition and totally against this.



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EMAIL: suefazio21@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 7:50 PM

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You need to keep government lists off female reproductive systems.



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EMAIL: Onesuegibson@protonmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:31 AM
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: Onesuegibson@protonmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 2:03 PM
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Do not advance this bill that infringes upon the liberty of women. In the state of Missouri, where the maternal and infant mortality rates are high, this bill proposes to devote no more than currently existing resources to promote the safe and healthy birth of children. This bill does not protect women in any way. Women need protection from legislators like Phil Amato! Women are not livestock. Women do not owe children to the state of Missouri! What is meant by a "fit and proper" adoptive parent???



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WITNESS NAME: SUSAN HUDSON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: susan.janelle@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 11:30 AM
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Why would the state need access to such a list? This seems like a huge overreach by our government. I thought that republican's are supposed to be the party of smaller government, but they want to track pregnant women? Who would pay for this? I'm sure it would take needed funds away from actual programs to help pregnant women, not bully them into giving birth. The state of Missouri has made it clear that we want abortion available for our residents, stop trying to go around what they people want, you are literally our employees.



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WITNESS NAME: SUSAN MURRAY		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: Susan@SusanMurrayRealtor.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:44 PM
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No database should ever be kept of pregnant women. Women are not toddlers who need supervision, and even toddlers don't need invasive supervision from the state. How dare you even consider monitoring pregnant women. This is beyond belief and totally unacceptable. Vote "No" on HB 1579. Thank you.



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WITNESS NAME: SUSAN ROSS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: fiveross864@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 8:21 PM
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Dear Chairperson and Committee Members, I am writing to express my strong opposition to House Bill 1579. While the bill is framed as an effort to promote adoption resources and support safe and healthy births, its troubling language suggests a deeper intention—to intervene in the private decisions of pregnant individuals identified as “at risk for seeking abortion services.” This is not about voluntary assistance; it is about targeted intervention that likely carries the bias of pressuring women to continue pregnancies rather than ensuring they have access to the full spectrum of options and support they may need. Missouri already struggles to provide adequate resources for families and children beyond birth. Our schools lack sufficient funding, our Medicaid program is severely limited, and state-funded childcare assistance is both unreliable and poorly regulated. If lawmakers are truly committed to helping pregnant women and promoting healthy births, they should first address these systemic failures. Without significant investments in maternal healthcare, reliable childcare, and economic support for families, this bill risks becoming yet another example of Missouri focusing on birth while neglecting the well-being of children and families once they are here. The key question remains: How will women be identified and approached under this bill? And if they are, what tangible, well-funded support systems will be available to them? Historically, Missouri has failed to provide adequate postnatal and early childhood resources. If the state truly wants to promote life, the focus should be on improving conditions for families, not on interfering with deeply personal decisions. I urge you to reject House Bill 1579 and instead advocate for policies that provide real, lasting support to Missouri’s women, children, and families. Sincerely, Sue Ross



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WITNESS NAME: SUSAN WILCOX		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: swilcox1962@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 2:34 PM

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This was stopped before and needs to be stopped again. Do not need a registry.



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WITNESS NAME: SUZAN DAGUE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: sdague43@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 2:42 PM
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This kind of legislation is an absolute violation of individual rights to privacy and healthcare information. It is a dangerous road for women and absolutely disrespects their right to keep their personal information private. Respect women, stay out of their doctor's appointments and healthcare. This state is amazing at using deceptive language and unfortunately, I have no doubt that something being pushed as a voluntary would be pushed on women and deceitful ways. I lack confidence in the state and especially this legislative body to make it abundantly clear to women what they would be disclosing if they were to choose to share this information.



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WITNESS NAME: SUZANNE BUNDY		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: suzybundy@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 3:50 PM

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This is clearly a communist agenda and a massive over reach of government. A woman is as much of an individual with rights and a thinking brain as a man. We do not need or deserve to be spied on and monitored. This is AMERICA. WOMEN deserve to be treated equally. If you want to stop abortions, start monitoring the men who impregnate women and force them to get vasectomies.



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WITNESS NAME: SUZANNE KASTNER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: suzannekastner@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/22/2025 8:27 AM
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I strongly oppose this bill. Requiring a central database of pregnant women so that the government can control their bodies is a clear example of government overreach. It is simply vile. There is no justification for this type of central registry. Women have a constitutional right to bodily autonomy and that should be respected. As a Missourian I am disgusted that my state legislature would even consider such an abhorrent bill.



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WITNESS NAME: SYDNEY EDWARDS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: Sydney.edwards0809@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 2:43 PM
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There is no way to identify which others would be "at risk of seeking an abortion". If such a registry were to be required, then every expecting person would be required to be registered. This a blatant disregard for privacy and an obvious government overreach.



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WITNESS NAME: TAMARA BRENT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: tamara.lea.10230@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 10:23 AM

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I see absolutely no reason for the government to have personal reproductive health information of citizens. I sadly do not trust our state with this information.



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WITNESS NAME: TANIA ROUNDS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: taniaroserounds@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:10 AM

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No one should be keeping tabs on private individuals in regard to their choices regarding children and their healthcare. This is an extreme violation of privacy.



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WITNESS NAME: TAYLOR SOLDNER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: youknowyouluvme2@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:46 PM

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This is a disgrace. Women's healthcare decisions are hers and her healthcare provider's ALONE, no government shall impede her rights to care.



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WITNESS NAME: TERESA DEATON		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: theteresa@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 7:30 PM
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Dear representative,I am writing you today to implore you to deny HB 1579. The tracking of pregnant women is a gross overreach of government and a waste of precious State resources. As of August 2023, there were nearly thirteen thousand children waiting to be adopted in Missouri. If a person is so eager to have a child, then surely they would be grateful for the opportunity to pursue adoption with any of those children. Tracking anyone without criminal cause is unconstitutional and an attack on personal freedoms. You can protect freedom and privacy by denying HB 1579. Thank you,



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EMAIL: theteresa@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 7:24 PM
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Dear representative,I am writing you today to implore you to deny HB 807. The tracking of pregnant women is a gross overreach of government and a waste of precious State resources. As of August 2023, there were nearly thirteen thousand children waiting to be adopted in Missouri. If a person is so eager to have a child, then surely they would be grateful for the opportunity to pursue adoption with any of those children. Tracking anyone without criminal cause is unconstitutional and an attack on personal freedoms. You can protect freedom and privacy by denying HB 807.Thank you,Teresa Deaton



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WITNESS NAME: TERESA MACMARTIN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: tmmacmartin@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 5:12 PM
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The bill contains wordage that allows the government to track pregnant women. Have we we become a society that tracks pregnant women better than illegal immigrants? You need to look at Griswald vs Connecticut 1965.



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WITNESS NAME: TERESA TYE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
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CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: tyeteresa@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 12:13 PM

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Once again, Missouri Republicans are trying to control women's reproductive rights by "tracking" their pregnancies under the guise of adoption. Missourians overwhelmingly voted for Amendment 3 and yet our state representative are tying to circumvent the people's rights. Keep government out of women's uteri.



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WITNESS NAME: TERI COHEN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: cohentk@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:24 PM

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My name is Teri. I live in St Louis MO. Women's health care decisions should not be made by the government!!



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WITNESS NAME: THALIA STEIN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: thalia_budai@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:24 PM
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I strongly oppose a central registry of pregnant mothers. There are already agencies that are facilitating adoptions. No need for the state to handle pregnancies. This is a very dangerous door to open for the state to intrude in people's personal lives and decisions.



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WITNESS NAME: THEDA DAVENPORT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: teddyavalon@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 2:17 AM
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This is overriding the voice of WE the PEOPLE, who voted to have abortion rights enshrined into our Missouri constitution. It is beyond outrageous to track people. Abortion is a religious question, and religion does not have a place being forced upon anyone else. If you don't want an abortion, you aren't forced to have one, but if you want an abortion WE stood up and said that is also a decision up to the individual. Pregnancy disrupts the life of the pregnant person in ways you haven't considered - physically, financially, educationlly, socially, emotionally; it is not wrong to seek to terminate this possibility of life before that life is brought into the world. It is a RIGHT. This is beyond outrageous. This is infuriating. This is un-American. The people said what they wanted and you are trying to override it. Perhaps we should track fertile men so we ensure they do not cause a pregnancy that might end in an abortion. Furthermore, until you can show that the children already available for adoption have been adopted into vetted and qualified homes there is little sense in pushing adoption as a solution for anything, it hasn't been a solution so far, and isn't a solution to an unwanted pregnancy.



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WITNESS NAME: THERESA CLIFT		PHONE NUMBER:	
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ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: Theresa_clift56@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 8:35 AM
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Our legislators are supposed to be working FOR their constituents, NOT pushing their own agenda down our throats. No woman has asked for the agenda in this bill. It's not to a woman's benefit. It's a thinly veiled attempt to prevent abortion and remove a woman's rights. The governments place is not to control a woman's uterus. Strongly against this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: THERESA HEBRON		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: eartousky10@att.net	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 2:59 PM
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I am writing to voice my opposition to HB 1579 that would mandate a government registry for pregnant women likely to seek an abortion. Missouri has so many problems that require actions by our State Legislatures and governing what goes on in a woman's private life is not one of them. Until the Missouri Legislature passes legislation that provides just, living wages, child care support, paid sick leave and the extension of Medicaid to deserving children and their families, why are you surprised that women cannot afford to have children in this state. Please pass legislation that supports the average family and you will not have to monitor the habits of pregnant women.



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WITNESS NAME: THOMAS DIEHL		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: tjamesdiehl@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:25 PM

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How vile can you get? You want to establish a registry of all women of child bearing age? No.
Absolutely not.



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WITNESS NAME: THOMAS M SMITH		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: thomas.murphy.smith@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 8:41 PM

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My name is Thomas Smith. I live in Ladue, a municipality of St. Louis County. I am opposed to HB 1579. I think it is an invasion of privacy and appears to try and circumvent the will and intent of Missourians when they passed constitutional Amendment 3.



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WITNESS NAME: TINA EBERT		PHONE NUMBER:	
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EMAIL: tleslp91@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:57 AM
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This is a violation of a woman's HIPAA rights and civil rights. Unless we are going to track the medical conditions of all men, which I argue would be a violation of their civil rights, you have no right to suggest this for women. It is none of your business if a woman is pregnant. You are wildly overstepping your powers and should be ashamed that this has even been considered.



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INDIVIDUAL:			
WITNESS NAME: TINA J TASOULAS		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: tinamina78@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 10:33 AM
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It is unethical and unnecessary to at any time create a "central registry" of any type of human, let alone pregnant women! If this was actually about child welfare and streamlining the adoption process, the sponsors of this bill would REMOVE THE "CENTRAL REGISTRY" part of it. They would LEAVE 'EXPECTING MOTHERS' ALONE to make their own decisions, a freedom Missourians [unfortunately] had to work HARD to secure for themselves through the ballot box. Missouri does not - and NEVER WILL - want or need a Pregnant Woman Database.



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WITNESS NAME			
INDIVIDUAL:			
WITNESS NAME: TINA MILLER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: tina.miller@lfcs.org	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 3:32 PM
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HB 1579 seeks to duplicate activities already occurring in the state of Missouri through DSS funding. The program in question is "Alternatives to Abortion" (A2A) or, in the new contract phase, "Alternatives." Every county in Missouri has coverage for A2A contractors, such as Lutheran Family and Children's Services. LFCS caseworkers are already tasked with helping vulnerable pregnant women access resources and information to prevent abortions by making parenting a more achievable option. At LFCS, we also have an adoption program to connect women to home study ready adoptive parents who are prepared for the complex family system created by adoption. Other agencies across Missouri have similar programs. Creating a registry of vulnerable women and of adoptive parents does not accomplish anything new other than to potentially coerce pregnant women into making adoption plans. Who will fund the adoptions HB 1579 seeks to facilitate? Currently, private adoptions are funded by adoptive parents who pay for services through professionals who are trained and experienced in adoption work. These adoption professionals have clinical judgment, knowledge of the complexities of adoption, and awareness of the legal statutes issues present in adoption cases. Are these professionals to be replaced by people connecting through an online "adoption matchmaking" system? Or will this bill force all adoption cases to be carried out through Missouri Children's Division? If the former, who will protect vulnerable women from having their rights trampled...and who will protect prospective adoptive parents from adoption scams? If the latter (Children's Division being tasked with this work), where will the funding come from to do the work that has been done for decades by private, non-profit adoption agencies?



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WITNESS NAME: TRICIA COPELAND		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: copelandtl@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 9:19 PM
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Opposed			



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INDIVIDUAL:			
WITNESS NAME: TYLER WALKER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: tyler.grant.walker@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:14 AM
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I am writing to oppose the idea that the state needs to create a database of women at risk of choosing to have an abortion, based on the arbitrary criteria of the government against the consent of the woman. This is not an appropriate or helpful policy to pursue.



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WITNESS NAME			
INDIVIDUAL:			
WITNESS NAME: VALERIE TAFT		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: june050236@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 6:29 PM

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I oppose HB 1579 on the grounds that it infringes on constitutional rights and rights to privacy. This type of government overreach has no place in Missouri law.



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WITNESS NAME			
INDIVIDUAL:			
WITNESS NAME: VICKY GIACOLONE		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: we3gstvd@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:27 AM

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When are you going to listen to the voices of the people who already spoke on this?!



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WITNESS NAME			
INDIVIDUAL:			
WITNESS NAME: VICTORIA HAGER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: vlvhager@hotmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 11:52 AM
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HB 1579 is a gross violation of privacy. Pregnancy is a private issue. Yes, make resources available to women who need healthcare and other services, but DO NOT create a data base that can be used curtain women's rights to privacy.



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WITNESS NAME			
INDIVIDUAL:			
WITNESS NAME: VICTORIA W SINGER		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: vwsinger82@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 7:36 PM
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My name is Victoria Singer and I live in Clayton, MO. I strongly oppose HB 1579. I believe this constitutes government overreach and is unconstitutional.



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WITNESS NAME			
INDIVIDUAL:			
WITNESS NAME: VRENI JONES		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: vrenijones@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/24/2025 8:48 PM
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Please oppose this legislation. The voters have spoken - women have the right to choose whether to carry to term a pregnancy with the advice of their physicians and loved ones. Legislators have a duty to support the people's wishes, not create laws that attempt to circumvent them.



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WITNESS NAME			
INDIVIDUAL:			
WITNESS NAME: WAYNE DEAN		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: wcdean@yahoo.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:54 AM
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I am writing to express my opposition to this bill. The part of this bill that's really offensive to Missourians is the idea that the state government is going to classify certain individuals as being "AT RISK" of exercising a constitutional right. We have to imagine that idea sends chills up the spine of anyone who claims to support constitutional rights and individual liberties. It's clear the bill sponsors are trying to dress this bill up as a simple adoption program. If this was actually about child welfare and streamlining the adoption process, the sponsors would remove the "CENTRAL REGISTRY" part of it. They would leave 'EXPECTING MOTHERS' alone to make their own decisions, a freedom Missourians [unfortunately] had to work HARD to secure for themselves through the ballot box. Thank you.



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WITNESS NAME			
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WITNESS NAME: WAYNE FEIL		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: waynefeil@gmail.com		ATTENDANCE: Written	SUBMIT DATE: 3/21/2025 2:12 PM

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This bill requiring a pregnant women registry is completely ridiculous and embarrassing. I can't support anyone who supports this.



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WITNESS NAME: WENDY SCHULZ		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: wendyschulzk@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/20/2025 12:24 PM
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A registry logging women whom happen to be pregnant is a huge invasion of her privacy. I'm an adoptive mother and I would never wish that another woman be tracked because of her medical situation. If adoption is HER choice, then she will find a way as our birth mother found us.



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INDIVIDUAL:			
WITNESS NAME: WILLIAM BLACK		PHONE NUMBER:	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:		TITLE:	
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:
EMAIL: bblack5291@gmail.com	ATTENDANCE: Written		SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 3:53 PM
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Intruding into the personal lives of women is not what the people of this state voted for. Shame on you all for trying to control women by creating these kinds of tracking initiatives. Stay out of people's reproductive rights. The majority of Missourians are opposed to these measures.



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WITNESS NAME			
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION:			
WITNESS NAME: YVONNE REEVES CHONG		PHONE NUMBER: 573-586-7035	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME: MISSOURI DEMOCRATIC PARTY		TITLE: VICE CHAIR	
ADDRESS: 4218 ROANOKE RD, SUITE 304			
CITY: KANSAS CITY		STATE: MO	ZIP: 64111
EMAIL:	ATTENDANCE:	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:00 AM	

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WITNESS NAME			
REGISTERED LOBBYIST:			
WITNESS NAME: SAMUEL H. LEE		PHONE NUMBER: 314-368-4242	
REPRESENTING: CAMPAIGN LIFE MISSOURI		TITLE:	
ADDRESS: P.O. BOX 142585			
CITY: ST. LOUIS		STATE: MO	ZIP: 63114
EMAIL:	ATTENDANCE:	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:00 AM	
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WITNESS NAME			
REGISTERED LOBBYIST:			
WITNESS NAME: SUSAN KLEIN		PHONE NUMBER: 573-635-5110	
REPRESENTING: MISSOURI RIGHT TO LIFE		TITLE:	
ADDRESS: PO BOX 651			
CITY: JEFFERSON CITY		STATE: MO	ZIP: 65102
EMAIL:	ATTENDANCE:	SUBMIT DATE: 3/25/2025 12:00 AM	
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