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Subject Conversion Therapy

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Dear Mayor and Council members,
I want you to know that I fully support the ordinance banning conversion therapy in the City of Roseville. The difficulties many young LGBTQ people face in coming out is bad enough without adding the trauma of conversion therapy. Please vote to pass this ordinance.

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Subject Proposed Amendment to Prohibit the Practice of Conversion Therapy

Contact Information

Name: Karensa Fischer

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I am writing to you all in support of the Proposed Amendment to Prohibit the Practice of Conversion Therapy in Roseville. I have seen too many LGBTQIA+ young people suffer deeply because we live in a society that doesn't take a clear stance to affirm their full humanity and personhood. I imagine there are many, many adults who continue to suffer as well. It is my hope for Roseville that we can utilize as many opportunities as possible to protect our minors and vulnerable adults from anything disguised as "therapy" which does not uplift their entire personhood.

I am unable to attend the meeting on Nov. 8 to raise questions, but it is my hope that it will also be outlined more clearly how an offense would get reported; by whom to whom, and what in accordance with Section 102.01.C of City Code” really means.

Also, for the record, it pains me that Exception 315.04 (a) has to exist at all. I am all for religious freedom, but some “religious freedoms” brutally tread upon the very humanity of others, and I would put any form of conversion therapy in that category. That said, I definitely see this Amendment as a meaningful, small step in the right direction, and I support any effort to “protect the residents of and visitors to the City of Roseville from serious physical or psychological harm” for all the specific reasons outlined in Section 315.01 Purpose and Findings portion of the Proposed Amendment.

I’ll look forward to watching the recorded meeting, and I am immensely grateful to be living in a community where such a proposal is being considered (and hopefully approved!) by our City Council. Also I give a big thank you to all the individuals that are behind the making of this proposal.

If appropriate, you may consider this a Public Comment.

Thank you for your time,
Karensa Fischer

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Subject Conversion Therapy Ordinance

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I am writing to strongly support protecting LGBTQIA residents by voting for an ordinance against conversion therapy in Roseville. I know you have received information from the HRIEC and other sources, and I wanted to offer you on more source. In 2018, Do Good Roseville hosted a panel discussion called "Ask an LGBTQIA Person", during which the panelists all shared their personal stories of their journeys. One panelist, Andrew, said his parents wanted him to go to a 'rehabilitation center', and he was kicked out of the house for refusing. I think that by listening to their stories you will hear that even small acts of acceptance or

rejection have significant impacts on their lives, and it is easy to envision the irreparable harm that would be caused by anything resembling conversion therapy. Here is a link to the video of the program: <https://vimeo.com/271123737>

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