

Fields, Debbie

From: Hannah Engber <hengber@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2023 2:23 PM
To: All Alders
Subject: SUPPORT Resolution 78333

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To whom it may concern,

I am writing to inform you that, as one of your constituents, I strongly support Resolution 78333 declaring Madison a trans and non-binary sanctuary. Please vote in favor of this resolution and keep Madison safe for all!

Thank you!

Kind regards,
Hannah Engber
&
Nicholas Tovarek

Fields, Debbie

From: Jessica Lantz <jlantz159@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2023 7:31 PM
To: All Alders
Subject: Support for Resolution 78333

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Thank you for bringing resolution 78333 to a vote. I strongly support this measure and hope that Madison and Dane county continue to lead the way in fighting anti-trans legislation and violence.

Best,
J. Lantz

Fields, Debbie

From: Lore Levac <lore.levac@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2023 2:55 PM
To: All Alders
Subject: Support for resolution 78333

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Hi,

My name is Lore Levac and I am a condo owner at 301 Harbour Town Dr, Madison, WI 53717. I'm also trans and wanted to encourage my and all other alders to support resolution 78333 to make Madison a sanctuary for a trans and non-binary people.

Thanks,
Lore

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From: Melissa Minkoff <melissamminkoff@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2023 12:53 PM
To: All Alders
Subject: Support for Resolution 78333

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Hello Madison Alders,

As a constituent and resident of Madison, I am writing to express my strong support for Agenda Item 16 - Resolution 78333, which would declare the city of Madison as a sanctuary for trans and non-binary individuals. As a firm believer in the principles of equality and inclusivity, I believe this resolution is a crucial step forward in protecting the rights and well-being of our fellow residents.

By officially establishing Madison as a sanctuary, we send a clear message that we value and embrace the diversity of our community, ensuring that everyone, regardless of gender identity, feels safe, supported, and free from discrimination. It is essential that we stand up against any potential laws or policies that may undermine the rights and access to gender-affirming care for trans and non-binary individuals.

I commend the efforts of the Council and all those involved in crafting this resolution, recognizing the importance of protecting and advancing the rights of trans and non-binary people. By taking this decisive action, Madison can serve as a model for other cities and communities, fostering a more equitable and inclusive society for everyone.

I am encouraged to see the number of sponsors for this resolution and hope that Council members will join in voting in favor of its passage. This resolution affirms the community values that make Madison such a welcoming and progressive place to live.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and for your ongoing dedication to representing and serving our community. Your support for Resolution 78333 will help create a brighter and more inclusive future for all Madison residents.

Thank you,

Melissa Minkoff
she/her/hers

Fields, Debbie

From: Amy Owen <amydownen@hushmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2023 7:22 PM
To: All Alders
Subject: please vote yes on Resolution 78333

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Dear Alders,

I am writing to request that you vote yes on Resolution 78333. This resolution is important to me and will help ensure that all members of our community are safer during a time of increasing danger for trans and nonbinary people, including children. Please choose to show courage and demonstrate that the lives and thriving of trans and non-binary Madisonians is important to this city.

Thank you,

Amy Owen

3129 Buena Vista St.

Madison, WI

Fields, Debbie

From: Maggie Schnell <mgschnell1014@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2023 10:34 AM
To: All Alders
Subject: sanctuary for trans and nonbinary individuals

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Hello Madison Alders!

I am a resident of Madison and I am writing to register my support for the common council resolution declaring Madison a sanctuary for trans and nonbinary individuals.

It is vitally important that we do everything possible to protect residents of Madison from persecution based on sexuality, gender, gender expression, or sex. Everyone should have the right to live as their authentic self and do what's best for their children while being safe in this community.

I urge you strongly to support this resolution.

Thank you for your consideration,
Maggie Schnell

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From: Drew Silver <drew.silver@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2023 1:10 PM
To: All Alders
Subject: Support for Resolution 78333

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I am writing today as a queer woman, and a mother to a transgender child, to express my unwavering support for Resolution 78333 to make the City of Madison a trans and nonbinary sanctuary city. I am a proud member of Madison District 15, a space where I and my family feel safe. I support this resolution in an effort to continue to keep my family safe - physically, mentally, and emotionally. Thank you for your work to protect the most marginalized in our community. Best,

Drew

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Fields, Debbie

From: TAM Info <info@transadvocacymadison.org>
Sent: Monday, June 19, 2023 11:40 AM
To: All Alders
Subject: Support for resolution 78333

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Hello City of Madison Common Council Alders:

My name is Jade, I am reaching out on behalf of the grassroots advocacy group Trans Advocacy Madison to send our full support towards resolution 78333 to declare Madison a Trans and Non-binary sanctuary.

As you might know, our right to exist and have access to healthcare is under grave threat nationwide. Madison has provided a safe place for us in Wisconsin this far. Unfortunately, our rights hang in the balance even here because the future of the state government is unknown. As such, we know this resolution will go a long way to making your trans and nonbinary constituents feel safe and welcome in Madison for years to come.

The trans community is under grave threat from nationwide hate mobs and smear campaigns and this resolution will no doubt be another target of their intolerance. Trans Advocacy Madison asks the City of Madison Common Council to stand with the local trans community to say that hate will not be tolerated, and this is a great first step.

Please feel free to reach out if you have any questions. You can learn more about our group at TransAdvocacyMadison.org

Warm Regards,

Jade Price (she/her)
Founder and Community Organizer
Trans Advocacy Madison

Fields, Debbie

From: Amy Wall <amy.lauren.wall@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 20, 2023 2:48 PM
To: All Alders
Subject: Support of resolution 78333

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Hello Madison Alders

I wish to express my support of Resolution 78333, making the City of Madison a transgender and non-binary sanctuary. Madison is a very welcoming place for queer folks, and this resolution will make that message clear.

The Republican party has decided to make trans people the election issue of 2024. It's bad enough there are more bills restricting the rights of

I am a transgender adult and would love to speak at the meeting tonight, however I am unable to attend. Please support this resolution and help make lives less dangerous for trans and non-binary people in our area.

Sincerely
Amy Wall