

## Lindsey Causer

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**From:** Snyder <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 13, 2023 11:52 AM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** SUPPORT the GOVERNOR'S PARENTAL RIGHTS BILL HB 105  
**Importance:** High

### To the House Education Committee:

Please pass HB 105 to protect children and parental rights .

- \* **Parents DO NOT 'coparent' with the government**, nor are children the property of the public schools.
- \* Parents should know what is happening in their children's lives, especially at school. Transparency in all teaching and activities!
- \* Parents should be able to opt out or opt in for sex ed classes.
- \* Parents should know the content of the curriculum BEFORE it is taught.
- \* Permission slips are absolutely a necessary part of school. Parents are the sole arbitrators of their children's participation in all subjects and activities.
- \* The school should not be a training field for political agendas that clandestinely indoctrinate their children, decimating parental rights and the family.
- \* The school should be a safe place for all students, especially in the locker rooms & bathrooms! ONLY biological males should be with biological males & ONLY BIOLOGICAL females with biological females. It is insane to push the destructive and threatening agenda of forcing the opposite sex into a bathroom setting..

I urge you to protect the autonomy and rights of the family by passing this bill. Your job is to protect the children. Be courageous and fearless in the face of the militant attacks of the those who want to destroy our children and the family.

Sincerely,

Janet Snyder and Adam Catone  
Anchorage  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 13, 2023 11:41 AM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** Please pass bill 105

Please pass this bill. It will help all involved!

1. It will help the parents who want more transparency in their children's medical and physical health. Parents need to be notified of any medical or physical change.

Unless, of course, is there significant reason to believe that this knowledge could cause harm to the child.

2. Also, parents need transparency in what curriculum the school is teaching their children. They should be allowed to examine it and a choice to opt their child into said curriculum.

3. Having single private bathroom and locker facilities is a win-win for all involved. All kids deserve a private and safe bathroom and locker room facility no matter what gender.

If this bill doesn't pass, I can see more and more parents taking their children out of public schools.

Sincerely,  
Vicki Jansen

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 13, 2023 11:40 AM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** HB105

I am writing in TOTAL SUPPORT of HB105. Parents MUST keep the right to be involved in all aspects of their underage childrens lives. Governor Dunleavy was correct to introduce HB105 to provide transparency and communication between parents, schools, their children, etc...This is EXTREMELY important to pass this Bill!

Thank you,

Tracey Reid

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**From:** John Powers <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 13, 2023 11:38 AM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** Support HB 105

Please support HB 105 and stop the sexualizing of our children!!! Thank you. John Powers

John K. Powers  
Owner / Operator  
Powers Brothers Inc. DBA Tudor Bingo Center.

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**From:** gail mcbride <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 13, 2023 11:10 AM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** HB 105

I support every aspect of HB 105. Parental rights are naturally the right of the parent. Parental rights are not given by government, they are natural law. It is shocking and dangerous that we have to pass a bill to reiterate these natural rights, but since it is happening I and all of my family and friends support this bill. Please know that even if there are more adversaries contacting your office it is an incorrect conclusion that majority support does not exist for this bill. More activists will always spend time to call in to take away rights from parents, but by far most parents understand they have these rights. Parents are very angry at schools for usurping their rights in this manner.

Please pass HB 105.

Thank you,  
Gail McBride

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**From:** Casey <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 13, 2023 11:01 AM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** HB-105

Please support HB-105.

We do not need to take any safety risks by allowing boys in the girls lockerooms etc,

Thank you,  
Casey

Coercion is not Consent

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**From:** David Johnson <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 13, 2023 11:54 AM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** HB 105

My name is Linda Bardon from Wasilla Alaska HD 29.

I'm in full support of HB105.

Parents are the most important people in a child's life, The school should be transparent and disclose all information that affects our children, there should be no secrets between the parents and the school regarding our children.

Signed Linda Brandon

Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows

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**From:** Sandra Powers <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 13, 2023 11:56 AM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** Support HB 105

I am writing to you in support of HB 105. Educators should focus on reading, writing and arithmetic.

Sandy Powers  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** Rep. George Rauscher  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 13, 2023 12:12 PM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** FW: Support HB-105

Another email for the bill you are hearing tonight.

Thank you 😊

Respectfully,

*Abby*

Abby St. Clair  
Legislative Aide  
Representative George Rauscher, House District 29  
907-465-4859

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**From:** Steve Carhart <[REDACTED]>

**Sent:** Thursday, April 13, 2023 12:08 PM

**To:** Rep. Alyse Galvin <Rep.Alyse.Galvin@akleg.gov>; Rep. Andi Story <Rep.Andi.Story@akleg.gov>; Rep. Andrew Gray <Rep.Andrew.Gray@akleg.gov>; Rep. Andy Josephson <Rep.Andy.Josephson@akleg.gov>; Rep. Ashley Carrick <Rep.Ashley.Carrick@akleg.gov>; Rep. Ben Carpenter <Rep.Ben.Carpenter@akleg.gov>; Rep. Bryce Edgmon <Rep.Bryce.Edgmon@akleg.gov>; Rep. Calvin Schrage <Rep.Calvin.Schrage@akleg.gov>; Rep. Cathy Tilton <Rep.Cathy.Tilton@akleg.gov>; Rep. CJ McCormick <Rep.CJ.McCormick@akleg.gov>; Rep. Cliff Groh <Rep.Cliff.Groh@akleg.gov>; Rep. Craig Johnson <Rep.Craig.Johnson@akleg.gov>; Rep. Daniel Ortiz <Rep.Daniel.Ortiz@akleg.gov>; Rep. Dan Saddler <Rep.Dan.Saddler@akleg.gov>; Rep. David Eastman <Rep.David.Eastman@akleg.gov>; Rep. DeLena Johnson <Rep.DeLena.Johnson@akleg.gov>; Rep. Donna Mears <Rep.Donna.Mears@akleg.gov>; Rep. Frank Tomaszewski <Rep.Frank.Tomaszewski@akleg.gov>; Rep. Genevieve Mina <Rep.Genevieve.Mina@akleg.gov>; Rep. George Rauscher <Rep.George.Rauscher@akleg.gov>; Rep. Jamie Allard <Rep.Jamie.Allard@akleg.gov>; Rep. Jennie Armstrong <Rep.Jennie.Armstrong@akleg.gov>; Rep. Jesse Sumner <Rep.Jesse.Sumner@akleg.gov>; Rep. Josiah Patkotak <Rep.Josiah.Patkotak@akleg.gov>; Rep. Julie Coulombe <Rep.Julie.Coulombe@akleg.gov>; Rep. Justin Ruffridge <Rep.Justin.Ruffridge@akleg.gov>; Rep. Kevin McCabe <Rep.Kevin.McCabe@akleg.gov>; Rep. Laddie Shaw <Rep.Laddie.Shaw@akleg.gov>; Rep. Louise Stutes <Rep.Louise.Stutes@akleg.gov>; Rep. Maxine Dibert <Rep.Maxine.Dibert@akleg.gov>; Rep. Mike Cronk <Rep.Mike.Cronk@akleg.gov>; Rep. Mike Prax <Rep.Mike.Prax@akleg.gov>; Rep. Neal Foster <Rep.Neal.Foster@akleg.gov>; Rep. Rebecca Himschoot <Rep.Rebecca.Himschoot@akleg.gov>; Rep. Sara Hannan <Rep.Sara.Hannan@akleg.gov>; Rep. Sarah Vance <Rep.Sarah.Vance@akleg.gov>; Rep. Stanley Wright <Rep.Stanley.Wright@akleg.gov>; Rep. Thomas McKay <Rep.Thomas.McKay@akleg.gov>; Rep. Will Stapp <Rep.Will.Stapp@akleg.gov>; Rep. Zack Fields <Rep.Zack.Fields@akleg.gov>; Sen. Bert Stedman <Sen.Bert.Stedman@akleg.gov>; Sen. Bill Wielechowski <Sen.Bill.Wielechowski@akleg.gov>; Sen. Cathy Giessel <Sen.Cathy.Giessel@akleg.gov>; Sen. Click Bishop <Sen.Click.Bishop@akleg.gov>; Sen. David Wilson <Sen.David.Wilson@akleg.gov>; Sen. Donny Olson <Sen.Donny.Olson@akleg.gov>; Sen. Elvi Gray-Jackson <Sen.Elvi.Gray-Jackson@akleg.gov>; Sen. Forrest Dunbar <Sen.Forrest.Dunbar@akleg.gov>; Sen. Gary Stevens <Sen.Gary.Stevens@akleg.gov>; Sen. James Kaufman <Sen.James.Kaufman@akleg.gov>; Sen. Jesse Bjorkman <Sen.Jesse.Bjorkman@akleg.gov>; Sen. Jesse Kiehl <Sen.Jesse.Kiehl@akleg.gov>; Sen. Kelly Merrick <Sen.Kelly.Merrick@akleg.gov>; Sen. Löki Tobin <Sen.Loki.Tobin@akleg.gov>; Sen. Lyman Hoffman <Sen.Lyman.Hoffman@akleg.gov>; Sen. Matt Claman <Sen.Matt.Claman@akleg.gov>; Sen. Mike Shower

<sen.mike.shower@akleg.gov>; Sen. Robert Myers <Senator.Robert.Myers@akleg.gov>; Sen. Scott Kawasaki  
<Sen.Scott.Kawasaki@akleg.gov>; Sen. Shelley Hughes <sen.shelley.hughes@akleg.gov>

**Subject:** Support HB-105

Dear Representatives and Senators

Thanks for your service in Juneau.

HB105 requires parental notification and permission to participate in sexual education, including gender identity, and to change a student's name. HB105 protects all children by establishing that parents, not school personnel, have the authority in a child's education.

This is the right action to take and it's the right time.

Sincerely,

Steve Carhart  
Big Lake, Alaska

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**From:** [REDACTED] on behalf of Aaron Brakel  
<[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 9, 2023 4:46 PM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** Pass HB 99/SB108: LGBTQ+ Equality and Oppose HB 105/SB96

Dear Alaska House Education Committee,

Please pass HB 99/SB 108: LGBTQ+ Equality and oppose HB 105/SB96, Governor Dunleavy's attack on LGBTQ+ youth.

I am happy to support HB 99/SB 108.

LGBTQ+ Alaskans deserve equality, period. LGBTQ+ Alaskans are our friends, neighbors, family, and coworkers. When it comes to being able to earn a living, having a place to live, or being served by a business or government office, they should be treated like anyone else and not be discriminated against.

I urge you to pass HB 99/SB108: LGBTQ+ Equality.

My family and I oppose HB 105/SB96.

Governor Dunleavy's HB 105/SB96 is an attack on LGBTQ+ youth and will undoubtedly increase bullying, harassment, and stigmatization towards trans students in particular. Through this bill, Dunleavy is attacking Alaska students' sense of safety, making it extremely difficult for LGBTQ+ kids to live healthy and safe lives. All kids deserve to be safe at school. Trans youth should be treated with dignity and respect and should have the opportunity to live a healthy life.

To protect all students' privacy and health, I urge you to oppose HB 105/SB96.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
Mr. Aaron Brakel

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**From:** [REDACTED] on behalf of Alexa Dobson  
<[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 9, 2023 10:47 PM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** Please Pass HB 99/SB108: LGBTQ+ Equality and Oppose HB 105/SB96

Dear Alaska House Education Committee,

Please pass HB 99/SB 108: LGBTQ+ Equality and oppose HB 105/SB96, Governor Dunleavy's attack on LGBTQ+ youth.

LGBTQ+ Alaskans deserve equality, period. LGBTQ+ Alaskans are our friends, neighbors, family, and coworkers. When it comes to being able to earn a living, having a place to live, or being served by a business or government office, they should be treated like anyone else and not be discriminated against.

I urge you to pass HB 99/SB108: LGBTQ+ Equality.

Governor Dunleavy's HB 105/SB96 is an attack on LGBTQ+ youth and will undoubtedly increase bullying, harassment, and stigmatization towards trans students in particular. Through this bill, Dunleavy is attacking Alaska students' sense of safety, making it extremely difficult for LGBTQ+ kids to live healthy and safe lives. All kids deserve to be safe at school. Trans youth should be treated with dignity and respect and should have the opportunity to live a healthy life.

To protect all students' privacy and health, I urge you to oppose HB 105/SB96.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
Ms Alexa Dobson

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**From:** [REDACTED] on behalf of Erin Tilly  
<[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 9, 2023 10:48 PM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** Please Pass HB 99/SB108: LGBTQ+ Equality and Oppose HB 105/SB96

Dear Alaska House Education Committee,

Please pass HB 99/SB 108: LGBTQ+ Equality and oppose HB 105/SB96, Governor Dunleavy's attack on LGBTQ+ youth.

LGBTQ+ Alaskans deserve equality, period. LGBTQ+ Alaskans are US. YOUR CONSTITUENTS. When it comes to being able to earn a living, having a place to live, or being served by a business or government office, WE should be treated like anyone else and not be discriminated against.

I urge you to pass HB 99/SB108: LGBTQ+ Equality.

Governor Dunleavy's HB 105/SB96 is an attack on LGBTQ+ youth and will undoubtedly increase bullying, harassment, and stigmatization towards trans students in particular. Through this bill, Dunleavy is attacking Alaska students' sense of safety, making it extremely difficult for LGBTQ+ kids to live healthy and safe lives. All kids deserve to be safe at school. Trans youth should be treated with dignity and respect and should have the opportunity to live a healthy life.

To protect all students' privacy and health, I urge you to oppose HB 105/SB96.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
Mz Erin Tilly

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**From:** [REDACTED] on behalf of Julie Glynn  
<[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 10, 2023 12:00 AM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** Please Pass HB 99/SB108: LGBTQ+ Equality and Oppose HB 105/SB96

Dear Alaska House Education Committee,

Please pass HB 99/SB 108: LGBTQ+ Equality and oppose HB 105/SB96, Governor Dunleavy's attack on LGBTQ+ youth.

LGBTQ+ Alaskans deserve equality, period. LGBTQ+ Alaskans are our friends, neighbors, family, and coworkers. When it comes to being able to earn a living, having a place to live, or being served by a business or government office, they should be treated like anyone else and not be discriminated against.

I urge you to pass HB 99/SB108: LGBTQ+ Equality.

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To protect all students' privacy and health, I urge you to oppose HB 105/SB96.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Julie Glynn

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**From:** LIO Kenai  
**Sent:** Monday, April 10, 2023 10:06 AM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** Written Testimony  
**Attachments:** Byrd\_HB105\_HEDC\_04082023.pdf

Good morning.

Attached is public written testimony regarding HB 105. Please let us know when you receive this email.

Thank you!

*Heather Prisk, Information Assistant*  
*Kenai Legislative Information Office*  
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[Kenai.lio@akleg.gov](mailto:Kenai.lio@akleg.gov)

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### WRITTEN TESTIMONY

NAME:	<u>Leslie Byrd</u>	
REPRESENTING:	<u>Self</u>	
BILL # or SUBJECT:	<u>HB 105</u>	
COMMITTEE:	<u>HEDC</u>	DATE: <u>4-8-23</u>

Hello,

This bill, HB 105, has been proposed under the *guise* of protecting the children of Alaska. The best thing Alaska can do for LGBTQ youths in our lives is to help prevent suicide. To address the issue of protecting our community's children, in 2022, The Trevor Project did a national survey on LGBTQ Youth Mental Health, capturing the experience of close to 34,000 LGBTQ youth ages 13 to 24 across the United States. This data provided critical insights into the unique suicide risk factors faced by LGBTQ youth and the impact of relentless anti-transgender legislation on these children. The Trevor Project's study found that 45% of LGBTQ youth had seriously considered suicide in the last year. 14% of LGBTQ youth acted on these thoughts. For non-binary and transgender youth, that number jumps to 1 in 5 children attempting suicide. Unsurprisingly, the study found that LGBTQ Youth who live in a community that is accepting of LGBTQ people reported significantly lower rates of considering suicide than those who grew up in unsupportive communities. To require transgender or non-binary students to use bathrooms designated for the sex they were assigned at birth further alienates LGBTQ youth and makes Alaska a hostile, unsupportive environment for students. Alaska already has some of the highest rates of suicide in the country. Schools are dedicated to supporting students. Teachers are some of the most empathetic people in our community. Forcing them to "out" youth trying to figure out their sexuality or gender identity is cruel to the children, teachers, and school staff who support them. In addition, the precedent set by HB 105, allowing parents to sue already drastically underfunded school districts, will only further the teacher shortage crisis in the state while also pillaging the limited resources of school districts. It would require districts and individuals to pay for insurance to protect themselves from litigation, further shrinking resources in an already underfunded system. By requiring parents to provide written permission for their students to participate in sex-ed classes, HB 105 would burden parents and families already working multiple jobs to make ends meet while raising and supporting Alaskan children. Sex education ensures that young people have the knowledge and skills to make informed decisions, learn how to have healthy relationships, and think critically about their choices. It allows students to identify intimate partner violence, helps prevent child sexual abuse, and lowers the likelihood of young people contracting STIs. I urge you to oppose the passing of HB 105 and consider the harmful impact on youth it would have.

**Rather than furthering sentiments of bigotry and hate, let's sow seeds of hope and acceptance for Alaska's kids.** Thank you for your consideration and representation of your constituency.

[Leslie Byrd](#)

[she/her](#)

"Think of the most vulnerable person you know and vote in their best interests" (However, don't assume to know what they want, ask them!)

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**From:** [REDACTED] on behalf of Meli Syphus  
<[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 10, 2023 10:28 AM  
**To:** House Education  
**Subject:** Please Pass HB 99/SB108: LGBTQ+ Equality and Oppose HB 105/SB96

Dear Alaska House Education Committee,

Please pass HB 99/SB 108: LGBTQ+ Equality and oppose HB 105/SB96, Governor Dunleavy's attack on LGBTQ+ youth.

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To protect all students' privacy and health, I urge you to oppose HB 105/SB96.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
Mx. Meli Syphus  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED] on behalf of Virginia Griffith  
<[REDACTED]@m>  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 9, 2023 10:57 AM  
**To:** Rep. Jamie Allard  
**Subject:** Please Pass HB 99/SB108: LGBTQ+ Equality and Oppose HB 105/SB96

Dear Representative Jamie Allard,

Please pass HB 99/SB 108: LGBTQ+ Equality and oppose HB 105/SB96, Governor Dunleavy's attack on LGBTQ+ youth.

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To protect all students' privacy and health, I urge you to oppose HB 105/SB96.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Virginia Griffith

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[REDACTED]  
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To protect all students' privacy and health, I urge you to oppose HB 105/SB96.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Julie Glynn

**Lindsey Causer**

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**From:** [REDACTED] behalf of Bethany Janidlo  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 12, 2023 2:22 PM  
**To:** Rep. Jamie Allard  
**Subject:** I oppose HB 105

Dear Jamie Allard,

I urge you to oppose HB 105, it is dangerous and puts our most vulnerable population at a greater risk of violence and health issues. Please do not let this harmful bill pass. For the health and safety of our community and the future of humanity.

Sincerely,  
Miss Bethany Janidlo

[REDACTED]