

HR #4 – Human Rights – Affirmation of Freedoms and Rights of People Who Identify as Transgender and Non-Binary

James Cooper (Crawford County, [REDACTED]) offers the following:

Insert the following paragraph between the current 7th and 8th paragraphs in the introduction to the Human Rights chapter:

We are deeply concerned over the continued violence and discrimination against people who identify as transgender and nonbinary, and we are committed to upholding, protecting, promoting, and defending full human and civil rights for people who identify as transgender and nonbinary, including equal rights in housing, employment, promotions, education, and healthcare. We affirm the rights of people who identify as transgender and nonbinary to freedom of self-identity and freedom of self-expression, and freedom from violence, discrimination, and harassment.

Amend Human Rights plank 5 “Stop Violence and Discrimination” as follows:

We endorse stopping violence and discrimination against women, people of color, lesbians, gays, people who identify as transgender and nonbinary, the poor, the homeless, children, elders, immigrants, the differently-abled, and the imprisoned.