

Hello,

My name is Jason Romblad, I am an unaffiliated voter from Woonsocket. I am here tonight to voice my support for bill H7781. Thank you to the Reps who introduced this bill.

Over the last few years, many government agencies across America have been trampling on the rights of its citizens, including parental rights. Many people working in the public sector, whether it is a school teacher, health provider, government official or any other person who spends time with another's child, believe that it is their right to push their beliefs on minor children. It is not okay for adults to have secrets with someone else's child? It is not okay for adults in any capacity to push their beliefs on a child unbeknownst to the child's parent. To allow this in society is sickening. In nearly all circumstances, a child's parent is the best advocate for that child. Unless there is neglect or harm, a parent should never be surpassed in any decisions regarding a minor child. *and that decision*

Unfortunately, that has been happening in many places across this great nation, even going so far as taking children away from parents, not from abuse, but because of beliefs and different morales. ~~Please do not let anyone in Rhode Island trample on the rights of parents. Please support your brave colleagues who have put this bill up. Thank you.~~

I sat through the House Health and Human Services hearing last night and listened to a couple citizens and committee members, some of which are on this committee, who defended giving drugs to change the biological makeup of a child. They claimed it would harm the child by withholding these drugs until the child became an adult and have the ~~cap~~ brain capacity to make these life altering decisions. These people are the harmful ones in society and I'm sure given the opportunity, would kidnap children from parents in order to push their agenda. Please pass this bill and support your brave colleagues and protect our children. Thank you,