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Statement of Support for 22-0636: AN ORDINANCE to create Sec. 32-191 of the Code

of Ordinances of the City of La Crosse prohibiting Conversion Therapy

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To members of the Common Council.

Please accept this email as a written public comment in support of 22-0636: AN ORDINANCE to create Sec. 32-191 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of La Crosse prohibiting Conversion Therapy.

Conversion therapy is a harmful and outdated practice that does not have any place in our city today. It is important for the City of La Crosse to affirm the experiences of LGBTQ+ community members, especially the LGBTQ+ youth who are most vulnerable to conversion therapy and its detrimental effects on emotional, mental, and physical wellbeing. I urge you to please vote in support of this ordinance.

Thank you,

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