

I oppose House Concurrent Resolution 3013. I am here today as an LGBTQ+ ally and as an advocate for equal rights for all North Dakotans.

I do not agree that the United States Supreme Court decision in Obergefell v. Hodges (2015) conflicts with the United States Constitution and the principles upon which the United States was established. Rather, our country was established on the principles of liberty and fundamental rights for all, including the right to marry.

I respectfully request that you recommend "Do Not Pass" on HCR 3013. Thank you for your time today and your service to the residents of North Dakota.

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References:
Obergefell v. Hodges, 576 U.S. 644 (2015).