

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We urge you to contact the President and Vice President demanding they immediately direct publication of the Equal Rights Amendment to guarantee equality for all and protect and restore access to reproductive healthcare.

Activists:

As you are aware, the duly ratified Equal Rights Amendment ("ERA") is the 28th Amendment to our Constitution. The ERA not only guarantees equality for all, it saves reproductive rights, bodily autonomy, contraception, same sex marriage, interracial marriage and so much more, all of which are at risk after the Supreme Court's decision in *Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization*.

President Trump recently admitted that he was responsible for overturning *Roe*, which he did by blocking the ERA from being published in our Constitution. As is evident from recent court decisions in Pennsylvania, Nevada, and Utah, where state ERAs have been used to defeat restrictions on reproductive healthcare, Roe could not have been overturned if the ERA was in the Constitution.

Unfortunately, the Trump Administration blocked publication of the ERA as part of a larger campaign against the rights of women, girls and LGBTQIA+ persons, including prohibitions on IVF healthcare and contraception, eliminating no fault divorces or prohibiting divorce while the mother is pregnant, eliminating diversity, equity and inclusion programs, and so much more.

Most importantly, as set forth in our August 23, 2025 to President Biden's most senior advisors, they plan to strip women, girls and LGBTQIA+ people of equal protection, and SCOTUS intends to do so this June when it renders its decision in *US v. Skrmetti* if the ERA is not published as the 28th Amendment NOW.

Publishing the ERA as the 28th Amendment would stop SCOTUS from issuing its intended decision in *Skrmetti*, put an end to the war on women and LGBTQIA+ people, including the many horrors of Project 2025 (which are already being implemented in courts and state legislatures across the country), and help us restore the rights already lost. We just need the ERA published!

Despite the fact that, without the ERA, reproductive rights cannot be restored, and the courts will institute a national abortion ban and strip women, girls and LGBTQIA+ people of 14th

Amendment equal protection (regardless of the outcome of the 2024 elections), the Biden Administration has not yet published the ERA and refuses to state why. Evidence that the ERA will protect women, girls and LGBTQIA+ people is mounting rapidly. This letter to President Biden, sent by 84 diverse organizations and medical associations, discusses why we need him to direct the US Archivist to publish the ERA immediately.

We need your help to get the Biden/Harris Administration to take action.



TO HELP, PLEASE TAKE A FEW MINUTES RIGHT NOW AND:

- ✓ EMAIL PRESIDENT BIDEN sample email below
- ✓ EMAIL VICE PRESIDENT HARRIS sample email below
- **✓ TEXT PRESIDENT BIDEN**
- ✓ TEXT VICE PRESIDENT HARRIS
- ✓ POST COPY SAMPLE EMAILS INTO COMMENTS ON THE FACEBOOK AND INSTAGRAM PAGES OF PRESIDENT BIDEN AND VICE PRESIDENT HARRIS
- ✓ FOLLOW US ON X (FORMERLY TWITTER) AND RETWEET OUR CONTEXT
- ✓ SHARE THIS MEMO WITH FRIENDS

TO EMAIL PRESIDENT BIDEN – please email President Biden <u>HERE</u>. Below is a sample letter to copy and paste or you can create your own.

Sample Email Letter to President Biden

The attacks on the rights of women, girls and LGBTQ+ people are increasing rapidly every day, and we need the Equal Rights Amendment to stop further attacks (including those threatened in Project 2025) and to restore those already lost.

Without the ERA, the courts will institute a national abortion ban and strip women, girls, and LGBTQ+ people of 14th Amendment Equal Protection. This will happen regardless of who wins the upcoming elections. We can't wait any longer!

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We need you to take immediate action to save women's reproductive rights and guarantee equality for all Americans. It's long past time to direct the Archivist to publish the ERA.

Now, you and Vice President Harris are promising to "Restore Roe," which we know you cannot do without the ERA. If you are fighting for our freedoms as you claim, and promising "We Won't Go Back", we expect that you will immediately direct publication of the ERA. If you do not publish the ERA now, that is exactly where we are going – BACK! And that's unacceptable. Particularly since you and President Biden can fix it now.



TO EMAIL VICE PRESIDENT HARRIS – please email Vice President Harris HERE. Below is a sample letter to copy and paste or you can create your own. Please email every day until we get a response.

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TEXT THE PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT DAILY

Please text the President at 302-404-0880 and Vice President at 310-861-2977 daily and demand that they publish the ERA.

Examples of our recent texts:

- Trump blocked the Equal Rights Amendment to enable SCOTUS to overturn Roe and to wage war on war. Past time for you to put the ERA in the Constitution. #PublishTheERA now!
- We know you can't restore Roe after Dobbs without the Equal Rights Amendment. Why won't you publish the ERA? Women put you in office in 2020.
- Women and Gen Z delivered and made clear that we value women's rights and equality for all. Publish the ERA Now as required by law.



 @potus @vp, no more pressers and photo ops. Actions speak louder. Publish the #EqualRightsAmendment and stop blocking/fighting against equality for women, girls, & LGBTQ+ people & our repro rights. #2024Election

SUGGESTED FACEBOOK POSTS DIRECTED TO THE BIDEN/HARRIS ADMINISTRATION

Copy the text of the letters to the President and Vice President and post in the comments under their and Jill Biden's Facebook posts. You may also post a link to <u>our letter</u> and state "President Biden must publish the ERA now to guarantee equality for all and protect/restore our reproductive rights." Or just post something short and sweet. Here are their pages:

President Biden: https://www.facebook.com/POTUS

Vice President Harris: https://www.facebook.com/VicePresident

• First Lady Jill Biden: https://www.facebook.com/FLOTUS

SUGGESTED TWEETS

Follow us on Twitter - <a>@Shatterin Glass – for sample tweets, including articles pinned at the top and relevant authorities. And please retweet!!!

SHARE RECENT ERA MEDIA

Please share:

- Our <u>August 6, 2024 Press Release</u> regarding the American Bar Association calling for Publication of the ERA and joining us in sounding the alarm that women will soon lose 14th Amendment Equal Protection.
- Our December 5, 2023, Letter to President Biden, joined by 83 organizations and medical associations, urging the immediate publication of the ERA.
- Our Executive Director's <u>Presentation to members of Red Wine & Blue</u>, discussing how the ERA is the 28th Amendment and why we need it published immediately to restore reproductive rights;
- Emanuel Pastreich, Korea IT Times 3/19/24 <u>"The Equal Rights Amendment is the Law:</u> End Unconstitutional Governance"
- Alyssa Milano, The Hill 3/8/24 <u>"It's been over 100 years just how long are we supposed to wait for the Equal Rights Amendment?"</u>
- ABC News 3/20/24 "Nevada judge blocks state from limiting Medicaid coverage for abortions"
- Slate 1/30/24 "A State Supreme Court Just Issued the Most Devastating Rebuke of Dobbs Yet"