

Massachusetts Republican Party
Protecting Girls and Empowering Women in Sports
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A RESOLUTION TO PROTECT GIRLS AND EMPOWERING WOMEN IN SPORTS

- WHEREAS: This Resolution is entirely consistent with President Trump's "Agenda 47" and specifically line numbers 16 and 17 of the twenty-point Republican National Committee's (RNC) Platform approved at the Republican National Convention and,
- WHEREAS: On June 23, 1972, Republican U.S. President Richard Nixon signed into federal law, Title IX of the Education Amendments Act of 1972 and,
- WHEREAS: Title IX enshrined into federal law, “no person in the United States shall, on the basis of sex, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any education program or activity receiving federal financial assistance.” and,
- WHEREAS: The participation of men and boys in women and girls’ sports is a potential source of great physical, emotional, and financial harm to female athletes and their families and,
- WHEREAS: For 52 years, Title IX provided federal support of girls in sports and activities, helping inspire generations of strong girls and women to excel in sports culture in our Commonwealth, our nation, and around the globe at the Olympics and,
- WHEREAS: Universally, a person’s sex is recognized based solely on a person’s reproductive biology and genetics at birth. There are fundamental biological differences between men and women that put women at a competitive disadvantage in sports between male and female, and jeopardize the safety of women during competition and,
- WHEREAS: Under the Biden-Harris administration, Title IX which was instituted to protect biological women and girls in sports has been put in jeopardy. The Biden-Harris administration and Democrat Governors such as Governor Maura Healey support biological men to compete in women’s sports and,
- WHEREAS: Since 2003, biological men have displaced women and girls from over 950 championship titles, medals, scholarships, and records they should have rightfully won, including at least 28 women’s sports titles in volleyball, swimming, mountain biking, track and field, weightlifting and cycling and,

WHEREAS: Massachusetts Democrats allowing transgender women to compete in women's sports is discriminatory against female athletes and an attack on women's rights and equal protections in our society and,

WHEREAS: Strong girls become strong women and strong women become strong leaders and,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

The Massachusetts Republican Party affirms that there are male and female sexes at birth, opposes the participation of biological males in female sports, celebrates the impact of women in sports in culture in the U.S.A., recognizes the importance of Title IX, and calls on Massachusetts Governor Healey, to protect biological women and girls in sports and activities.

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