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## **Comments Received:**

Good evening,

I would like to address the "Defending Women from Gender Ideology Extremism and Restoring Biological Truth to the Federal Government" directive from Trump. As a woman, I find it deeply patronizing and ignorant that I would, in any way, need "defending" from my fellow women.

In addition 1.7% of people are intersex, including two dear friends of mine. This mania with people's genitals is unnecessary, unwanted, and dangerous. May I suggest doing away with the gender marker entirely if the gender marker is such a matter for vitriol?

Thank you,