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## **Comments Received:**

"Defending Women from Gender Ideology Extremism and Restoring Biological Truth to the Federal Government" is a title that shows a lack of research, respect, and an individual/s right to the pursuit of happiness. Trans people are not a threat, but they are threatened. Biological gender is partly what shows on the outside, and partly what happens inside the brain. This has been going on in human beings and other animal species for thousands of years. It's a scientific fact. Transgender people are being used as targets. It's hard enough being a transgender person without the government calling them out and making it even more difficult. Transgenders (and by that word, I mean all people on the spectrum of non-cysgender, or male/female on the inside and outside) deserve to be treated with dignity and respect, and be able to legally have their passport align with their state's ID, social security number, and all the other agencies and places they worked hard to have changed to match the gender they are inside. Please don't pass this new rule. It's mean and unfair, and goes against all the things I've been proud of in being an American.