

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

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

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 and Nevada, 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. Prohibitions on IVF Healthcare, eliminating no fault divorces or prohibiting divorce while the mother is pregnant, domestic abusers being permitted to carry handguns. The list goes on.

Publishing the ERA as the 28th Amendment would put an end to the war on women and LGBTQIA+ people and help us restore the rights already lost. We just need the ERA published!

Despite the fact that <u>reproductive rights cannot be restored without the ERA</u> and the mounting evidence that the ERA will protect women, girls and LGBTQIA+ people, the Biden Administration has not yet published the ERA. This <u>letter to President Biden, sent by 84</u> <u>organizations and medical associations</u>, discusses why we need him to direct the US Archivist to publish the ERA immediately.

We need your help to get the Biden Administration to have a unique opportunity to make a final push. But we need your help.



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 BIDEN/HARRIS ADMINISTRATION PAGES
- ✓ FOLLOW US ON TWITTER AND RETWEET
- ✓ SHARE EQUAL MEANS EQUAL VIDEO ON SOCIAL AND WITH FRIENDS
- ✓ 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. Please email twice per week until we get a response.

Sample Email Letter to President Biden

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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 time to direct the Archivist to publish the ERA.

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"For Biden, it's a simple proposition: his daughter is entitled to the same rights and opportunities as his sons. He believes every issue is a women's issue — health care, the economy, education, national security — but women are also uniquely and disproportionately impacted by many policies."

Now, you are promising, if reelected, to "Restore Roe," which we know you cannot do without the ERA. If you are fighting for our freedoms as you claim, we expect that you will immediately direct publication of the ERA. Anything short of that is disingenuous and unacceptable.



TO EMAIL VICE PRESIDENT HARRIS – please email Vice President Harris <u>HERE</u>. 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: <u>https://www.facebook.com/POTUS</u>
- Vice President Harris: <u>https://www.facebook.com/VicePresident</u>
- First Lady Jill Biden: https://www.facebook.com/FLOTUS

SUGGESTED TWEETS

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

SHARE RECENT ERA MEDIA

Please share:

- <u>Our December 5, 2023, Letter to President Biden</u>, 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 <u>"Nevada judge blocks state from limiting Medicaid coverage for abortions"</u>
- Slate 1/30/24 "<u>A State Supreme Court Just Issued the Most Devastating Rebuke of Dobbs Yet</u>"