

Response From

Andy Billig

Statement by Candidate

Thank you for reaching out. I am pleased to respond to the PFLAG questionnaire.

Answers

1. Do you support the full and equal treatment of same-sex couples in regards to issues like Healthcare, housing discrimination, and other related issues? **Absolutely. I have regularly sponsored and supported legislation to guarantee equal treatment of same-sex couples.**
2. Transgender women, especially transgender women of color, are being killed at a horrific rate. Do you support protections being advocated for the Transgender community? **Yes!**
3. Comprehensive Sexual Health Education is a very important thing for the LGBTQ+ community to help decrease sexual assault and suicide. Do you support SB 5395 and the "Approve R90" campaign? **Yes, I support SB 5395 and the Approve R90 campaign. I was proud to co-sponsor and help pass SB 5395.**
4. The Federal House of Representatives passed the Equality Act, however, it has not been taken up in the Senate. Do you support the Equality Act? **Yes!**
5. Some conversations are being had about making Eastern Washington a Christian State that would remove state-level protections for the LGBTQ+ community. Do you support or reject the idea of stripping protections from LGBTQ+ people? **I strongly oppose the stripping of any protections from LGBTQ+ people and oppose the ridiculous and dangerous idea of making Eastern Washington a separate state.**