

Please support HB1242

Parents should be the ones deciding how to raise their children. We know what is best for our children in their education and care. Parent's who need additional support have many programs already that they can seek out. We care about our kids and we are better equipped to make the important decisions in their lives. We spend time with our kids, know our kids, and love our kids. We don't need to substitute out parenting decisions to strangers or have our children parent themselves.

Our state already provides support for the rare cases of abuse and neglect. It's not appropriate for our state to pass laws which undermine our parental rights.

Thank you for your time.

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