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Comments

In regards to the Governance and Priorities Committee, April 20 Item 8.1.6

It has come to my attention that a report recommends no local action be taken as federal legislation will be sufficient. I as a parent, and citizen of Saskatoon strongly disagree!

A strong message needs to be sent to our citizens that this unethical practice will not be tolerated in our city. It is imperative that a bylaw prohibiting conversion therapy be brought forth as it will shout that our city cares about the human rights for all of its citizens and not just for a chosen few. To do nothing is to sanction this torture. I fear for the safety of our gender and sexual diverse community if this bylaw does not go ahead on this level. Bill c-8 will be years to take effect or to pass.

Saskatoon is a very diverse community and we must not allow for any of our citizens to be marginalized!

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Dr Fran Forsberg

Attachments

The results of this submission may be viewed at:

<https://www.saskatoon.ca/node/398/submission/384818>