



How to Get Involved & Take Action on HRJ-6

Hjr-6 Has passed through Indiana's House and Senate. It is on track to become the first time in Indiana's history where our Constitution is amended to **take away rights** rather than to grant them.

What Happens Next?

HJR-6 must pass through the House and Senate again in 2013 and 2014. **If it passes, unaltered, it will be on the ballot in 2014.** This means that Hoosiers will cast their vote either for or against HJR-6 as it is written today.

What Can I DO to Nix Six?

- ✓ **Make Your Voice Heard!** Call and email your legislators today – **NOW** – telling them to, “Nix Six!” Share with them your reasons why this matters.
- ✓ **Discuss HJR-6** with your family, co-workers and friends. Lots of people are not even aware this is happening. It is **OUR** job to talk with them, to engage them in conversation. It is very difficult to argue against one's personal experience. **Ask them:** “**If there is a vote to amend Indiana's constitution to take away the rights of LGBT people, will you vote against it?**”

- ✓ **Distribute** this document widely, either by email, by photocopying or sharing at allied events, by posting on social networks, or whatever works to spread the word.
- ✓ **Tell Your Story!** Ask your legislator to have lunch or coffee with you. You can do it! They work for us! Let them get to know you for who you are; better yet, bring your mother or your kids with you!
- ✓ **Sign up** with Indiana Equality Action to stay informed. www.indianaequalityaction.org
- ✓ **Contact** allied organizations in your area such as PFLAG, local Pride committees, open/affirming churches, GSA's (Gay Straight Alliances), straight allied organizations, or other like-minded groups.
- ✓ **Share information** with Indiana Equality Action regarding the events in your part of the state by sending it to ieinfo@indianaequality.org.
- ✓ **Share your personal story, anonymously or not, in writing or on video.** Share it with us by sending it to ieinfo@indianaequality.org.
- ✓ **Attend** local meetings sponsored by Indiana Equality Action.

GET INFORMED =GET ACTIVE =GET EQUALITY!

For further information, please contact IEA Board Member Linda Ponterio at lponterio@indianaequality.org or visit us online at www.indianaequalityaction.org.