



May 21, 2025

Representative
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Representative:

On behalf of Family Research Council and the thousands of families we represent, I urge you to support H.R. 1, the *One Big Beautiful Bill Act*. This bill defunds big abortion, gets taxpayers out of the business of paying for gender transition procedures, and contains several pro-family economic provisions. Therefore, FRC will score in favor of it when it comes to the House floor.

Big abortion receives hundreds of millions of taxpayer dollars a year to subsidize and prop up their abortion-centered business model. Planned Parenthood alone reported receiving nearly \$700 million of taxpayer dollars in their latest annual report. It's no secret that when the abortion industry is publicly funded, more abortions occur. This not only promotes elective abortion but also implicates taxpayers, who are forced to participate in funding abortions indirectly, even if they have a conscientious objection.

Another abhorrent practice that should not be taxpayer-funded is gender transition procedures. Experimental hormonal and surgical interventions for individuals experiencing distress related to their sex can cause significant harm, including sterilization and life-long regret. These interventions do not qualify as genuine medical care. Furthermore, a new report recently released by the Department of Health and Human Services found what many experts have been warning for years: There is no high-quality evidence of long-term mental health benefits from such interventions.

Taxpayer funds should not be used to end human life or to inflict harm on individuals struggling with distress related to their sex.

In addition to defunding these harmful procedures, H.R. 1 also includes several pro-family economic provisions, such as making the child tax credit (CTC) permanent at \$2,000 and pegging it to inflation, a temporary increase of the CTC to \$2,500 to help families cope with inflation, making the adoption tax credit more accessible to lower-income families, the establishment of child-friendly investment accounts, a new tax credit encouraging school choice and homeschooling, and a provision discouraging gambling by reducing how much wagering losses can be written off on personal income taxes.

The bill also begins the work of reforming and strengthening Medicaid and Medicare so that those programs can focus on those who truly need help.

This bill significantly prioritizes the biblical values that unborn life is sacred, that family is the foundation of society, that God creates us male and female, and that debt—national or personal—is bondage. FRC will score in favor of H.R. 1, and we urge you to support it.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Quena Gonzalez', with a stylized, cursive script.

Quena Gonzalez

Senior Director for Government Affairs