

**A RESOLUTION OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA REPUBLICAN PARTY**

**OBJECTING TO BIOLOGICAL MALES COMPETING IN WOMEN'S SPORTS**

**WHEREAS**, the sex of a person is objectively determined by genetics and anatomy existing at the time of birth; and

**WHEREAS**, there are inherent differences between males and females; and

**WHEREAS**, having separate sex-specific teams furthers efforts to promote sex equality by providing opportunities for female athletes to demonstrate their skill, strength, and athletic abilities; and

**WHEREAS**, having separate sex-specific teams further provides female athletes with opportunities to obtain recognition, college scholarships, and the numerous other long term benefits which flow from success in athletic endeavors;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the South Carolina Republican Party calls upon the South Carolina General Assembly to enact legislation barring biological males from competing in girls' and women's sports in public and private middle schools and high schools.