

## Request for Legislative Action

Ord. #5711

Sponsors: Jalen Anderson

Manuel Abarca IV

Date: January 30, 2023

### Completed by County Counselor's Office

Action Requested:	Ordinance	Res.Ord No.:	5711
Sponsor(s):	Jalen Anderson;Manuel Abarca IV	Legislature Meeting Date:	1/30/2023

### Introduction

**Action Items:** ['Amend']

**Project/Title:**

Conversion Therapy Ban; Amending Chapter 55 of the Jackson County Code relating to petty offenses by adding a prohibition to Conversion Therapy with a penalty provision. Sponsored by Legislator Jalen Anderson.

### Request Summary

Conversion therapy, also known as reparative therapy, ex-gay therapy, or sexual orientation and gender identity change efforts, is a range of practices aimed at changing one's sexual orientation or gender identity. Conversion therapy has been discredited by professionals in education, social work, health, mental health and counseling professions as well as the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.

The intention of this request is to amend Chapter 55 of the Jackson County Code, relating to Petty Offenses, to prohibit Conversion Therapy within Unincorporated Jackson County. This is in order to protect the physical and psychological well-being of minors, including but not limited to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and/or questioning youth, from exposure to the serious harms and risks caused by conversion therapy or reparative therapy by licensed providers.

### Contact Information

<b>Department:</b>	County Legislature	<b>Submitted Date:</b>	1/18/2023
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### Budget Information

Amount authorized by this legislation this fiscal year:	\$ 0
Amount previously authorized this fiscal year:	\$ 0
Total amount authorized after this legislative action:	\$
Is it transferring fund?	No
<b>Single Source Funding:</b>	

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Fund:	Department:	Line Item Account:	Amount:
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### Prior Legislation

#### Prior Ordinances

Ordinance:	Ordinance date:

#### Prior Resolution

Resolution:	Resolution date:

### Purchasing

Does this RLA include the purchase or lease of supplies, materials, equipment or services?	No
Chapter 10 Justification:	
Core 4 Tax Clearance Completed:	
Certificate of Foreign Corporation Received:	
Have all required attachments been included in this RLA?	

### Compliance

#### Certificate of Compliance

Not Applicable

#### Minority, Women and Veteran Owned Business Program

Goals Not Applicable for following reason: Not spending money

MBE: .00%

WBE: .00%

VBE: .00%

#### Prevailing Wage

Not Applicable

### Fiscal Information

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### History

Submitted by County Legislature requestor: Winifred Jamieson on 1/18/2023. Comments: Please contact Legislator Jalen Anderson with any questions.

Returned for more information by Department Approver Mary Jo Spino on 1/19/2023 8:54:55 AM. Comments: Sponsor and penalty provision.

Submitted by Requestor Winifred Jamieson on 1/19/2023 9:01:37 AM. Comments: Added sponsor and "penalty provision".

Approved by Department Approver Mary Jo Spino on 1/19/2023 9:09:06 AM. Comments: Sponsor: Jalen Anderson

Not applicable by Purchasing Office Approver Craig A. Reich on 1/19/2023 12:06:30 PM. Comments:

Approved by Compliance Office Approver Katie M. Bartle on 1/19/2023 12:12:41 PM. Comments:

Approved by Budget Office Approver David B. Moyer on 1/19/2023 12:21:27 PM. Comments:

Approved by Executive Office Approver Sylvia Stevenson on 1/19/2023 1:54:23 PM. Comments:

Approved by Counselor's Office Approver Katherine Henry on 1/26/2023 11:10:11 AM. Comments: