

1     **A Resolution Thanking Our Legislators for Passage of**  
2     **the Anderson/Murray Non-Discrimination Act and**  
3     **Opposing any Referendum Appealing the Act**  
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5     **WHEREAS** after 30 years of extensive debate, committee hearings and public input, the  
6     Washington State Legislature finally passed the Anderson/Murray Act to end  
7     discrimination based on sexual orientation or gender identity;

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9     **WHEREAS** the Democratic Party Platform in Washington State has long-called for the  
10    adoption of this bill;

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12    **WHEREAS** those who support discrimination of certain classes of people have made it  
13    clear that they intend to file a referendum to overturn this Act;

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15    **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT**, the Washington State Democratic Central  
16    Committee unanimously supports the actions of our State Legislature in passing the  
17    Anderson/Murray Non-Discrimination Act fulfilling their duly elected positions of  
18    representing the will of Washington State citizens;

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20    **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** the Washington State Democratic Central  
21    Committee adamantly oppose placing a referendum on the ballot to overturn this  
22    historic piece of legislation and ask all of our members to encourage Washington  
23    citizens not to sign any petition or support any referendum that would overturn the  
24    provisions of this act.  
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27    Submitted to the WSDCC for consideration at its January 28, 2006 meeting in South  
28    Seattle - Kent by the Stonewall Democrats (Date Submitted 1/27/2006).

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30    The WSDCC Resolutions Committee amended this resolution and recommended a  
31    "Pass" at its January 28, 2006 meeting in South Seattle - Kent.

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33    Passed by the WSDCC at its January 28, 2006 meeting in South Seattle - Kent.