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LD 143

In Favor of Passing LD143

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Hello, Senator Igwersen, Representative Meyer and the honorable Health and Human Services Committee,

I am Jeanne Marquis, and I urge you to support LD143 to fund Planned Parenthood which has been instrumental in providing vital healthcare services to low income women for decades. I have used it myself for my healthcare as a struggling college student during both my undergrad and my graduate studies.

Many people don't understand that Planned Parenthood offers routine women's exams and care, not just reproductive care. They offer this care on a sliding scale so young women don't have to make hard decisions between food for their families and taking care of themselves. If moms don't take care of themselves, their families suffer.

I urge you to vote in favor of LD 143 An Act to Improve Women's Health and Economic Security by Funding Family Planning Services. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
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