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I disagree with deleting "gender identity" from Maine's Human Rights Act. One of the things I cherish most about my state is that it has taken steps in the past to be inclusive and supportive of ALL it's citizens. This simple change of two words would be a step backward in protection for a minority whose life experiences differ from the majority. These people need understanding and support as fellow citizens. I hope the original wording stands so I can continue to be a proud Mainer.