



Defense of Marriage Petition Jackson County Republican Committee

Whereas; We hold this truth to be self-evident and equally obvious to all, that we are endowed bodily with life, and liberty for pursuit of happiness from the moment of our conception in nature by "Nature's God" as referenced by our Declaration for Independence in 1776.

and Whereas; There is universally recognized a necessity of one male and one female contributor to the process of human reproduction.





and Whereas; The first blessing of God is recorded in Gen 1:28 and pronounced over one man and one woman, "be fruitful and multiply" to substantiate the nuclear family through reproduction, whereby marriage is understood to be ordained by nature's God as the only blessing of union by which new human beings are created equal in nature.

Therefore; let it be agreed by the below signed members in the Jackson County Republican Committee.

Marriage; is valid only between one man and one woman in accordance with our State Constitution and supported by our Republican Party Platform.

Let it be further agreed by the undersigned members of this Committee; If any member of this committee attempts to change the definition of marriage to anything otherwise described, than that which is firmly and clearly stated in this petition, they may become subject to censure by members in this Committee who have placed their signatures on this petition below.

Signed:

- 1.)  Germany Vireo WA 2
Committee Member Name and Ward/Township
- 2.)  Amy H. H. Brookings Township Ward 2
Committee Member Name and Ward/Township
- 3.)  Jennell Houtz Brookings Twp
Committee Member Name and Ward/Township
- 4.)  Wayne Houtz Brookings Twp
Committee Member Name and Ward/Township