

Let the people decide. Let NH vote on marriage.

It appears that the legislators and the Governor are playing games with our families by maneuvering and game playing. Because of a provision written into the Constitution of the State of New Hampshire, YOU, the citizens of NH have the ability to Instruct your Legislators.

Facts:

1. In 2005 and 2007, the NH legislature was presented with a bill that would allow the people to vote on a marriage amendment to the state constitution.
2. Both times, the NH legislature DENIED the people a right to vote on a marriage amendment.
3. The people of NH have the right to assemble and give instructions to their Representatives. (NH State Constitution, Part the First, Article 32 of the Bill of Rights)
4. To place a question before the people on the November 2010 ballot to amend the State Constitution to define marriage requires 240 of the 400 Representatives and 14 of the 24 Senators.

Citizen's Leadership of New Hampshire is campaigning to collect Letters of Instructions from the constituents of each NH State Representative. We need your help to accomplish this.

Each Letter with signatures should be returned as soon as possible to:

Citizen's Leadership of New Hampshire
P.O. Box 786
Derry, NH 03038

Questions may be directed to webmaster@protectmarriagenh.com or by calling 603.483.3875.

By joining together, the people of NH can encourage the General Court of NH to place the question on the 2010 ballot. Let the people decide.



**Citizens' Instruction to the
Representatives to the General Court of the State of New Hampshire
(Marriage Amendment)**

TOWN NAME: _____

Whereas Article 32 of the Bill of Rights, Part the First of the Constitution of the State of New Hampshire recognizes the right of the people of the State of New Hampshire to assemble and give instructions to their Representatives to the General Court of the State of New Hampshire, and

Whereas the marriage of one man and one woman has been the fundamental relationship and building block of our society from its inception, and

Whereas the amendment of the reference to the fundamental principles of the Constitution of the State of New Hampshire as Evangelical Principles to high principles in Article 6, Part the First of the Constitution of the State of New Hampshire in 1968 could not have been anticipated to admit other forms of marriage at the time, and

Whereas the members of the General Court of the State of New Hampshire are our substitutes and agents;

We the undersigned hereby instruct the members of the General Court of the State of New Hampshire to put before the people an amendment to restrict their government of the State of New Hampshire as follows: **The State shall only recognize the union of one man and one woman as marriage.**

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