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WISCONSIN FAMILY COUNCIL LAUNCHES GENDER RESOURCE GUIDE FOR PARENTS

Madison, WI—Wisconsin Family Council, along with a unique and unlikely coalition that includes our national ally Family Policy Alliance, a self-described radical feminist group Women's Liberation Front (WoLF), D.C.-based The Heritage Foundation, our sister state organization Minnesota Family Council, and two parent groups who have children or loved ones struggling with gender confusion, have released the first-ever Gender Resource Guide for parents on how to navigate the transgender issue with their children.

The Guide is endorsed by medical professionals—including those who are experts in gender dysphoria—individuals who have lived as the opposite sex and "de-transitioned," faith leaders, national policy experts, and more.

Julaine Appling, president of Wisconsin Family Council, fully supports the Gender Resource Guide: "On a regular basis we hear from parents looking for help in dealing with the transgender issue. Prior to this Resource Guide, we had little in the way of tangible materials to offer them that we believed were reliable and genuinely helpful. This Guide fills a critical void. It is carefully researched and fully documented, defines terms, is user friendly, and gives parents practical guidance in helping their own children and for traversing this new and uncharted path with some confidence. We urge parents to get this Guide and use it to full advantage. While this publication is especially good for parents, clergy, community leaders, school board members and others will likewise find it invaluable and very timely."

With powerful lobbying groups, teachers' unions, school boards and school administrators pushing policies that mandate the inclusion of transgender ideology in curriculum, athletics, grammar, and even basic bathroom and locker room privacy, parents need somewhere to turn.

The <u>Gender Resource Guide</u> will help parents understand the transgender trend and its consequences, understand the implications of transgender activism in schools, communicate with school leaders, advocate for common sense policies and act with compassion toward everyone involved in the transgender conversation.

The Gender Resource Guide is available for download at **GenderResourceGuide.com**.

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