



Resolution Opposing Repeal of SF Administrative Code 12X

Whereas the San Francisco Board of Supervisors is considering a rollback of the San Francisco Administrative Code Chapter 12X which prohibits City-funded employee travel to states with anti-LGBTQ laws or restrictive abortion laws or voter suppression laws; and

Whereas Chapter 12X also prohibits the City from entering into any contract with a contractor that has its United States headquarters in a state on the Covered State List or where any or all of the work on the Contract will be performed in a state on the Covered State List; and

Whereas Chapter 12X currently provides for exceptions in the case where services needed are only available from one source or related to an emergency or where there are no qualified responsive bidders that comply or where compliance would have an adverse impact on services or a substantial adverse financial impact; and

Whereas the City and County of San Francisco sets an example for the region, state, country, and the world with respect to protections for immigrants, workers, local and small businesses, and public investment; and

Whereas many on the Covered State List have also enacted laws against workers, unions, and immigrants and in fact spend corporate political action committee money at the state and federal level to oppose laws championed first in California and San Francisco, specifically

Therefore, be it resolved the affiliates of the San Francisco Labor Council oppose the repeal of Chapter 12X and stand in solidarity with LGBTQIA siblings, workers, immigrant communities, and our local small businesses; and

Be it finally resolved this resolution be transmitted to the Board of Supervisors, City Administrator, Mayor, and the California Labor Federation, AFL-CIO.

Adopted by the Executive Committee of the San Francisco Labor Council on February 27, 2023.