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Dear Representative,

On behalf of our more than one million members from all 50 states, Susan B. Anthony Pro-Life America strongly supports and will score in favor of H.Con.Res. 3, expressing the sense of Congress condemning the recent attacks on pro-life facilities, groups, and churches. This year saw historic numbers of incidents of vandalism and ominous threats against these entities. Yet, this alarming trend is being downplayed or ignored by the Biden administration, who is using federal law to target peaceful sidewalk counselors rather than to prosecute those who have firebombed and defaced private property. Pregnancy centers exist to support women and their families while protecting the lives of the unborn.

According to the most recent data from 2019,¹ pro-life pregnancy centers served an estimated 2 million women, men, and youth. The value of the services and support they offered at little or no cost to their clients totaled nearly \$270 million dollars. Pregnancy centers provide tangible support including medical care and referrals, education, mentoring, and material support including diapers, car seats and clothing. There are more than 54,000 volunteers who support the 15,000 staff at these centers, and 10,200 of the volunteers and staff are licensed medical professionals. Women deserve options, support and accurate information. They deserve to know that abortion is not the only option; there are professionals and communities and services in place to give them the resources and support they need to build lives in which they can welcome their unborn children or make an adoption plan. Studies show that 75% of women at risk for abortion who view an ultrasound of their baby at a pregnancy center ultimately make the choice to continue their pregnancy.²

The impact of pregnancy centers is astounding: from 2016-2020, pro-life pregnancy centers partnered with pregnant women at risk for abortion to save over 800,000 lives.³ Meanwhile, at Planned Parenthood, 96.6% of all pregnancy resolution services were abortions.⁴

Despite unprecedented opposition based on lies, nearly 3,000 pregnancy centers⁵ nationwide steadfastly continue to provide millions of women and families each year with loving support and critical resources, throughout pregnancy and beyond. Courageously, they are undeterred in their mission to save lives and aid our neighbors of every race, creed and socioeconomic status.

Susan B. Anthony Pro-life America is proud to endorse and will score in favor of H.Con.Res. 3.

Sincerely,

Marjorie Dannenfelser

¹ Pro-life Pregnancy Centers Served 2 Million People with Essential Medical, Education and Support Services in 2019 <https://lozierinstitute.org/pro-life-pregnancy-centers-served-2-million-people-with-essential-medical-education-and-support-services-in-2019/>

² Lives Saved Impact at U.S. Pregnancy Help Centers

³ Lives Saved Impact at U.S. Pregnancy Help Centers <https://lozierinstitute.org/real-world-data-more-than-800000-lives-saved-via-pro-life-pregnancy-centers-since-2016/>

⁴ Fact Sheet: Planned Parenthood's 2020-2021 Annual Report <https://lozierinstitute.org/fact-sheet-planned-parenthoods-2020-2021-annual-report/>

⁵ Women Have Real Choices <https://lozierinstitute.org/realchoices/>

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