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Dear Member of Congress,

Last year, on the Fourth of July, you helped accomplish something historic—the first ever defunding of Big Abortion businesses of their federal Medicaid dollars. Taxpayers should never be forced to fund businesses that prey on women and unborn children and simultaneously fund hostile political interests. Thanks to your hard work and commitment, H.R. 1, now known as the Working Families Tax Cuts, addressed this problem head-on.

However, absent congressional action, that defunding provision will expire in one month from today—on America's 250th birthday—and Medicaid dollars will once again flow to these harmful entities. The House bill text had originally included a 10-year defunding measure, but only a 1-year defunding measure was allowed in the final text of H.R. 1 under the Senate's Byrd rules for budget reconciliation.

Lexi Arguello, an 18-year-old Coloradan, died in an emergency room last year as a result of severe complications sustained during a botched second trimester abortion at Planned Parenthood in Fort Collins, Colorado. Planned Parenthood, ever aware of optics, delayed calling for help after botching Lexi's abortion, and then slowed the ambulance by requesting no sirens; then the coroner tried covering up the real cause of death. Lexi died at the hands of those that ironically claim as their motto: "Care. No Matter What."

According to their own most recent annual report, Planned Parenthood boasted a record 434,450 abortions¹ in one year. Women seeking pregnancy-related help were sold an abortion 97% of the time, as compared to being given prenatal care, miscarriage care, or adoption referrals. Entities like these should not be rewarded with taxpayer funding.

Women deserve better and more comprehensive care, and they are not without good options: For every Planned Parenthood, there are at least 15 community health centers (including federally qualified health centers and rural health clinics)² offering women's healthcare. A nationwide survey conducted by Cygnal³ found that a full 75% of Republican primary voters support defunding Planned Parenthood, America's largest abortion business.

Budget reconciliation remains the only viable legislative path to continuing to defund Big Abortion businesses like Planned Parenthood. We urge you to act quickly for the sake of the unborn and their moms, like Lexi.

Sincerely,

President

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¹ <https://lozierinstitute.org/fact-sheet-planned-parenthoods-2024-25-annual-report/>

² <https://lozierinstitute.org/new-report-15-to-1-community-health-centers-outnumber-planned-parenthood-facilities/>

³ https://sbaprolife.org/wp-content/uploads/2026/02/SBA_National_Memo_Final.pdf