

Robert Campbell

Women need protected spaces and Title IX protection for womens' sports. Meta's censoring of speech protecting womens' rights is not on the best interests of women or transgendered individuals or Meta.

Alexandre H.

"The only person misgendering here is trans misgendering himself. He's a biological male (with XY male sex chromosomes in every cell of his body) All this gender identity garbage is a load of rubbish. There is no way a biological male can actually know what it feels like to be a biological female(except socially) because he is not a biological female. Your gender is your biological sex and whether you are a feminised male or a masculinized female does not change that. And before anyone tells me sex and gender are not the same thing then please explain to me why a person would take cross sex hormones, having sex reassignment surgeries and having masculinizing and feminising surgeries to look like the opposite sex if it has nothing to do with sex? It's absolutely delusional...as delusional as if I went around identifying as a cat and meowing..it still does not make me a cat. A delusional person who will self terminate if you don't believe their delusions needs serious psychological help and no one should be blackmailed to deny their own reality just to affirm and appease them. We don't do it with any other mental disorders or delusions. Being easily offended is not a sign of maturity. You know what's really funny when you think about it? Race is actually something more on a spectrum than gender, but the way it's treated in society you wouldn't think so. I'm always open to truth, but will always close down lies. We do not determine what we are. I could only identify as a mother after the reality of my children was real. I can't identify as a caterpillar because I am not one. Reality isn't subjective and matters not what I 'feel'. The very idea of womanhood being a feeling is insulting. It's better to be closed minded than let my brains fall out upon the ground. We've known that gender and sex are one and the same for a long time now. It's the very reason why the roles we're expected to play solely based on our biological sex are called 'gender roles' to begin with. When people say 'gender is a social construct' or the like, they're confusing gender roles and norms with gender itself. People are just desperate to label themselves in order to fulfill an undeveloped personality or, in other words, create a group in which they belong because they don't belong in a real society and just can't cope with that fact.

PS: The people who think gender and sex are different are the same people who think men can get pregnant.

I'm not sure if a real human being will read this but if you're someone somewhere reading this. Please don't let this people brainwash World's (our) children."

Arthur Camp

Free speech is a right, not a privilege. Committees that decide what a person has access to and bans content goes against this right. Women and men are two different people. If you are un-

sure of where you fall under these two genders, just look down at your body. Genetic men will always have an advantage in some sports because the two genders are genetically different. How is this fair to those women athletes who train to be the best they can be and have all that work not be recognized because we let a genetically different person compete against them.

Tamra Laukien

“Dear Meta Oversight Board,

As you consider whether or not to allow free speech around content regarding trans-identifying males in intimate women’s spaces & competitive sports, I would ask you to consider how sex-based speech informs the public to best accommodate both trans-identifying individuals and women in tandem. Removing content that you may not agree with puts you in the position to control the narrative for millions of people that trust you to be a platform for ‘everyone’ and even those who may share opposing views. The open forum will allow people to consider ‘both sides’ of a situation, and possibly develop more compassion. Respectfully, Tamra Laukien”

Rebecca Sylvester

Please do not consider banning posts and discussions on Meta about biological sex. This will lead to more erasing of the uniqueness of womanhood and all our civil rights progress up until now. Our society needs to continue to protect women only spaces for us to feel safe, including sports, domestic abuse shelters, prisons etc. Meta will continue to loose credibility with a change like this.

Steven Weatherford

When “community standards” reflect the positions of a vocal minority over those of the overwhelming majority, those “standards” become a joke. At the very least, standards should include the beliefs of the majority while allowing minority voices. To favor the minority viewpoint and suppress others is a destructive to society.

Dan Aycock

“We need true free speech !

Why do you feel we need to lose our rights to give a few the right to do what they want. Woman and children have the right to not have someone born opposite sex compete in sports against them or use the restroom, gym or shower with them!

We absolutely should be able to express our opinion and discuss it !”

Julianne Verhagen

As a liberal American I cannot understand how preventing discussion / observation of the reality of biological sex is considered a boon to a democratic civilization. It is censorship akin

to shutting down abolitionist pamphlets in the civil war south. Women are allowed to discuss their sex-based rights in a free society. Please consider women an our rights.

Cat Vace

“I’m concerned that truthful discussion could be banned on social media apps from Meta.

We are witnessing, around the world, a surge in misogyny. We must be able to correctly identify men and women and have open conversations around the impact on women, of men using legal loopholes to gain access to women and take women’s places in areas such as sport.

For Meta to prevent women from being able to discuss the reality of the impact of legal lies would be furthering the reach of misogynists and be yet another area where women’s rights are eroded.

Please be one place where we can be confident of having the freedom to speak openly and truthfully.”

Cynthia Matthews

After having just admitted that certain speech (surrounding COVID and the vaccines for them, as examples) had been censored on this platform *and that it shouldn’t have been,* I am surprised that Meta is so quickly rushing to do it again. Now it’s speech containing views about the truth and realities of the differences between the two biological sexes? If this speech is removed, Meta’s credibility will be lost. This platform needs to remain a space for honest discussion and debate. Neither debate nor disagreement is bullying or harassment. Both sides of any issue should be allowed space to share their views.

Sherri Correll

If Meta goes down this path it will never recover. I will not use the service and neither will my family. It is crucial for society to understand who we are dealing with if we’re going to get to the root of any issues. Suddenly psychology is about hiding truth? Now we don’t need to know that a criminal is undergoing or has undergone radical gender surgery or hormonal drugs? Changing the estrogen or testosterone levels in humans can be extremely dangerous and we have a duty to understand motivations and possible emotional reactions from people. Meta, please do the right thing!

Val Mager

I want to live in a world where speaking the truth is accepted as an imperative of being human. I want those organisations, schools, colleges, hospitals, legal systems, etc, which exist to support us through life to never fear a commitment to truth. I want to live in a world where fairness and justice applies to all, regardless of their sex but above all, I want to live in a world where truth cannot be denied, where the world recognises women give birth to children and men do not.

Cathy Mudge

Every day I get up and cannot believe why the world is still believing and pushing the agenda that men can be women and vice versa. MSM has for many years denied this is happening and now your platforms are doing the same. We women have really had enough of it, there is no such thing as Trans, there is only companies like yours pushing a transhuman agenda. The people are boiling over, such unhappiness and mental illness will not increase your GDP, the fall off of civilisation will result in a response, a bad one for social media, you will be taken over by a restrictive regime and then where will you get your future profits.

Ann Devlin

I do not believe that the truth is harassment. My mental health is negatively affected when I am compelled to accept what I know is not the truth. Men cannot become women no matter what they do. The vast majority of men are wonderful however there is a very small cohort who wish females harm and that is why we separate the sexes where it matters. We know that trans identifying men do not change their level of aggression when they transition and are therefore as much a threat to women's safety if not more. It is therefore really important that Meta does not censor women and women who advocate for truth and reality.

London Hannigan

Censoring people from making factual statements is dystopian, disgusting and authoritarian. Banning people from stating truthful reality will not change that truthful reality. Banning factual speech about sex and biology is wrong and unacceptable.

Jill Stewart

"Women and girls (female people) need space to discuss the issues that matter to them and that only female people will experience. These attempts to silence us prioritise the feelings of men over the voices of women.

Meta's oversight board should consider the possibility that they are wrong. If so, what are the implications of this decision on female people and on Meta's credibility."

Laura Ann Spencer

"If truthful, real-life discussions about biological sex are banned from Meta, the uniqueness of womanhood, not to mention the progress of women, will be eroded.

Meta would lose credibility by taking such an extreme position. Censorship of sex-based speech would cause harm in ways the Board may not be thinking about.

The trans-identifying population is online and does have a high suicidal rate, and Meta is cognizant of that. Those in favor of women, truth, equal dignity, civilization, speech, inner peace, and happiness must be equally serious."

Diana Rossi

Please do not ban comments about the right of women to have women only spaces. I have a right to my opinion, and no, that opinion is neither bullying, not hateful. There are concrete reasons why women might want privacy in bathrooms, changing rooms, hospitals, sleep away camps for kids and teens, prisons!. My opinion on this matter does not oppress or harm anyone. Thank you.

Lynn Taylor

“I am ever amazed at those who scream, ‘FOLLOW THE SCIENCE!!’ then totally dismiss biological Fact for totally fallacy.

Men are men, and women are women. Men who pretend to be women or augment their body to resemble, as such are still pretending.

These same people seem to regularly fall into the finger pointing and mantra, ‘A leopard can’t change it’s spots.’”

Neal Cannon

“Censuring speech, in any form is unconstitutional. But censoring speech because you want to, ‘better consider “the rights of transgender people, especially for access to single-sex spaces and participation in sporting events” is discrimination. Discrimination is illegal and a criminal act.

If that policy recommendation is made, Meta’s oversight board will be committing an illegal and criminal act.”

Matthew Bingham

Please don’t do this. Biological sex does matter and it’s not harassment to point that out! There is zero scientific evidence that “gender affirming care”, as some people call it, actually helps anyone. There are many people out there who took the treatments in question and regretted it! Please don’t censor the truth! More gender-dysphoric people will suffer significant harm if they are given these unscientific treatments!

Debbie Tsagatos

“Humans are 2 sexes, female and male. Humans can’t change sex, they can only change their appearance.

Humans are entitled to have their appearance as they feel comfortable with, but that doesn’t mean they change sex.

Discussing biological sex and things associated with biological sex is natural and normal. If you go to an emergency department in a hospital, the Dr needs to know your sex-based anatomy in order to give you the best care.

Discussing biological sex is not harassment or hate, it is discussing reality.

Men and women are different. Their bodies and brains are different. It is ok to acknowledge these differences, and be ok with Discussing these differences.”