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To the members of the House State, Civic, Military, & Veterans Affairs Committee,

Thank you, Chair Woodrow and members of the committee, for the opportunity submit written testimony.

My name is Thomas Davidson, he/him pronouns, I am the Executive Director of Counties and Commissioners Acting Together, CCAT is a group of counties and individual commissioners with a membership that includes urban, resort and rural counties. CCAT works to provide a unified, independent, and mission driven voice at the state Capitol.

CCAT supports HB23-1057, Amenities for all genders in Public Buildings, and urges a "yes" vote on the bill.

We want to thank Representatives McCormick and Vigil for bringing this bill. CCAT commissioners recognize the importance of providing safe and non-judgmental access to restroom facilities, especially for members of the LGBTQ+ community in Colorado.

In addition, CCAT identifies that individuals with little ones using a restroom labeled for males often don't have a safe and convenient place to change a diaper and supports how this bill will improve access for that.

Our members also think this is a reasonable expectation to make of state, county, and municipal government. A number of our members have already implemented these measures or are in the process of doing so.

Thank you again for the opportunity to speak, we urge you to vote yes on HB23-1057. Please feel free to reach out with any questions you may have.

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