

To Whom it May Concern:

I am writing in opposition to HB 486. What a waste of taxpayer dollars that this bill was even put together! Charlie Kirk was calm and cordial and listened to his opponents, to an extent. But at the end of the day, he was a bigot. It's useless to call him things like misogynistic, racist, or homophobic to anyone who is so wrapped up in their own narrative that the simple terms will not stick or register. But you have to understand that through the niceties, that is the rhetoric and ideology that was spread by this man, even with the best of intentions. No, I do not want to commemorate Charlie Kirk or encourage schools to follow his teachings. Please vote NO on HB 486.

Thank you,

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