

RESOLUTION NO. 7576-R56

RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE RATIFICATION
OF THE EQUAL RIGHTS AMENDMENT TO THE
UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION

WHEREAS, the General Assembly of the State of Illinois has not ratified the proposed Equal Rights Amendment to the United States Constitution, and

WHEREAS, the proposed amendment would become the 27th Amendment upon being ratified by three-fourths, or thirty-eight, of the fifty United States, and

WHEREAS, thirty-three states have ratified the proposed Amendment, and

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the members of the Council that equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or any state on account of sex:

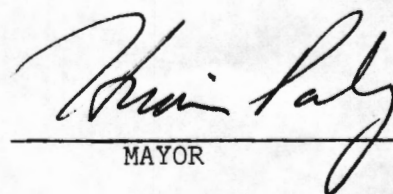
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

1. That members of this Council believe that equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or any state on account of sex, and that Congress should have the power to enforce by appropriate legislation equal rights regardless of sex.
2. That the 79th General Assembly of the State of Illinois should ratify the proposed Equal Rights Amendment to the United States Constitution.
3. That the City Clerk send certified copies of this Resolution to the Senator and Representatives of the 52nd Legislative District and to Daniel Walker, Governor of the State of Illinois.

PRESENTED this 3rd day of May, 1976 A.D.
ADOPTED this 17th day of May, 1976 A.D.
APPROVED this 17th day of May, 1976 A.D.
RECORDED this 18th day of May, 1976 A.D.

ATTEST


Dorothy E. Rusty
CITY CLERK


MAYOR