

H.J.R. 12

JOINT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING STRONG FAMILY UNITS

H.J.R. 12 promotes strengthening families by highlighting the social, emotional, and economic benefits of stable family relationships for children and communities. The resolution prioritizes intact families in legislation, promotes the Success Sequence, and supports continued and increased early-childhood tax credits to create financial security and family stability. It also encourages strong marriages, healthy family communication, and policies that provide Utah children the greatest opportunities for long-term success.

Why This Matters

Marriage and stable family relationships provide significant benefits to children, adults, and communities. Strengthening families is a shared public interest that respects pluralism, religious liberty, and individual choice while promoting the well-being of future generations.

Utah has historically benefited from strong family formation rates, and this resolution reinforces policies that create financial security, upward mobility, and family stability.

The Goal

H.J.R. 12 expresses the Legislature's commitment to strengthening families, promoting opportunity, and ensuring Utah children have the greatest opportunities for long-term success.

