As organizations dedicated to the wellbeing of children and youth, we want to reaffirm our commitment to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ+) youth. Across the country this year, renewed attacks on LGBTQ+ youth have chiseled away at their sense of safety, and their hope for the future. To be blunt, it is a tough time for LGBTQ+ youth — especially transgender, non-binary, and BIPOC youth. We want all LGBTQ+ youth to know that we will always be in solidarity with you, and that we will continue to push for inclusive policies, and work to defeat anti-LGBTQ+ legislation and other efforts to censor, shut out, or make invisible the reality of your identities and your experiences. We take pride in being a part of HRC’s Project THRIVE initiative, and believe in the power of our collective voices to change the landscape for LGBTQ+ youth. We want a world in which LGBTQ+ youth can freely express who they are without fear of rejection or harm, and where being out and authentic is a daily reality for all, not just some youth. This Pride month, we recommit ourselves to the mission of Project THRIVE and to be clearly in the corner of LGBTQ+ youth during these challenging times.

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