



Equality California endorses Nancy Skinner

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March 21, 2016: Nancy Skinner announced that she has just been endorsed for California State Senate by Equality California, California's leading organization fighting to advance LGBTQ rights.

Rick Zbur, Executive Director of Equality California stated:

"Nancy Skinner is an outstanding advocate for the LGBTQ community and a trusted ally. A true champion for full equality, she has always been more than just a good vote. Equality California is proud to endorse Nancy Skinner for State Senate."

Nancy Skinner has a 40 year history of active support for the LGBTQ community. As early as 1979, Nancy campaigned for Harry Britt for San Francisco Supervisor. In 1984, as a member of the Berkeley City Council, Nancy voted for domestic partner benefits for City employees.

Nancy is the proud mother of a lesbian daughter, Sirona, who came out as a freshman in high school and is now happily married to her longtime partner, Sinead.

As a member of the State Assembly, Nancy championed the speakerships of openly gay Assemblymembers John Perez and Toni Atkins, both of whom now endorse her for State Senate. She received a 100% voting record from EqualityCalifornia every year she was in the legislature and worked to pass important legislation to advance LGBTQ equality.

"I am truly honored that my long history of struggle side-by-side with the LGBTQ community has been recognized by Equality California," stated Nancy Skinner. "I will proudly carry their endorsement into the election and I look forward to working with them to ensure equal rights for all Californians."