Minute on Same Gender Marriages

Strawberry Creek Meeting recognizes and affirms the Light in all sincere and loving relationships which are characterized by growth and in which faithfulness and trust, hope and truth abide.

We affirm the goodness of committed, loving relationships and offer recognition and support to those who share this ideal and desire to enter into a lifelong partnership based upon it.

Friends recognize committed union in a celebration of marriage under the care of the Meeting.

After careful consideration in the Light, we have been led to decide that from now on the same loving care and consideration will be given to both same-gender and heterosexual requests for marriage, as outlined in <u>Faith and Practice</u>.

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