



# Candidate for Minn. Gov. Wanted to End HIV Funding

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Tom Emmer—the Republican candidate for governor of Minnesota who received a \$150,000 campaign contribution from Target Corporation—led an effort in the Minnesota House of Representatives in 2005 to eliminate statewide funding for the Minnesota AIDS Project, [change.org](#) reports. He described its educational materials as “crude and animalistic.” LGBT advocates, who consider Emmer an anti-LGBT politician, have called for a nationwide boycott of Target stores.

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