

BYM draft minute, as amended* and approved by Homewood Friends Meeting on October 7, 2018:

Homewood Friends Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends (Quakers) encourages individuals to consider decisions about end-of-life planning in a spirit of clearness, attentive to the Spirit within. While Friends do not always agree on our moral choices, we agree on the importance of being open to each other and to the Light within on an ongoing basis.

Homewood Friends Meeting also supports **appropriate** legislation that would allow a terminally-ill patient with full decision-making capacity the option to obtain a prescription for life-ending medication for self-administration, along the lines of laws enacted in the District of Columbia, California, Hawaii, and several other states, as long as **similar** rules are included to safeguard against abuse.

*Changes are in bold.