

WITNESS INFORMATION FORM

PLEASE COMPLETE THE WITNESS INFORMATION FORM BEFORE TESTIFYING

DATE: 6/3/20

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ARE YOU REPRESENTING: YOURSELF ORGANIZATION _____

DO YOU WISH TO TESTIFY ON

LEGISLATION (BILL NUMBER): H.B. 360

SPECIFIC ISSUE: _____

SUBJECT MATTER: _____

PLEASE INDICATE YOUR POSITION ON THE BILL

PROPONENT: _____

OPPONENT: _____

INTERESTED PARTY: _____

PLEASE GIVE A BRIEF STATEMENT OF THE GROUNDS ON WHICH YOU FAVOR OR OPPOSE SUCH ENACTMENT:

We need simple and safe voting in the November 2020 election and HB 680 does not provide that. Just some of the ways in which HB 680 would make it harder and less safe to vote:

- Eliminates the last weekend of early voting
 - This is when I vote each election, because my job and other responsibilities prevent me from voting on election day. Additionally, if the last weekend of early voting is eliminated, I and my fellow Ohio citizens who rely on that weekend to vote, will lose a considerable portion of time that we normally have to research and learn about candidates and issues.
- Requires sending an informational postcard rather than a ballot application to voters.
 - This is an extra step in the process that costs extra tax payer money and only delays the process. Ballot applications sent to voters would eliminate these two problems.
- Threatens the safety and security of election day by requiring any emergency plans to be established almost two months in advance.
 - There is absolutely no way that decisions about the safety of elections can be made that far in advance without risking the health and safety of the citizens of Ohio or the ability for Ohioans to exercise their right to vote.

I oppose HB 360 and I strongly urge you to vote no on this bill. Please support simple and safe voting for all of the citizens of Ohio.

WILL YOU HAVE A WRITTEN STATEMENT, VISUAL AIDS, OR OTHER MATERIAL TO DISTRIBUTE?

YES NO

(IF YES, PLEASE PROVIDE COPIES TO THE CHAIRMAN OR SECRETARY)

WRITTEN TESTIMONY ONLY.

HOW MUCH TIME WILL YOUR TESTIMONY REQUIRE? I AM PROVIDING WRITTEN TESTIMONY ONLY.