

Chairman Wiggman, Vice Chairman Stephens, Ranking Member Kelly, and members of the State and Local Government Committee,

I am testifying in favor of SB311 today as an Ohio resident deeply concerned about courses of action being taken under the current emergency powers and the dire effects it is having on all of us.

My son is in 2nd grade and the shutdowns have had a major impact on him being able to just be a kid. We decided not to send him to school this year because of the mask and distance requirements, not to mention all the chemicals being sprayed on everything for "sanitation".

I have a medical exemption for masks and due to the most recent mask orders, I am now unable to go into stores without being harassed. Some stores have even taken it upon themselves to not allow exemptions. I feel anxious to go out to public places because I can't wear a mask and fear the confrontation of other people and store employees.

This bill restores the balance of power to where it should be, between the coequal branches of government and re- opens Ohio.

Our business, our economy, our social and emotional well being and emotional well-being and the future of our children is on the line. Our state cannot thrive under continued oppressive orders of our over reaching Governor.

Please stand up and protect our personal liberties and future of our state by voting YES on SB311!

Thank you,
Glynnis Hughes