Hello,

I am Matthew Hamm. I am a registered voter and a fellow Ohioan. I am also a Realtor, and Branch Manager for my company Nova Star Real Estate.

I am writing to express my complete support for SB311. I absolutely believe that this bill is necessary to correct the current situation we find ourselves in. Our constitution does not intend to give any one single person sole power to shut down an entire state indefinitely. It also does not intend to give this person the unchecked power to choose which businesses are essential and which are forced to shutdown. We also cannot run many of our businesses in Ohio with these unrealistic regulations being put into place without senate and house oversight.

I fully understand the need to have a health director and this positions authority to call a state wide health emergency but this needs to follow the guidelines of a set amount of time, 14 days. Legislation needs to be involved on anything outside of this initial 14 day period.

I am asking you to pass SB311 and to do so as quickly as possible. I do not know how long Ohio can go with out SB311 in place. I believe SB311 is in the best interest of the people of Ohio.

Thank you for your time and consideration!

Matthew Hamm Ohio Resident