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The Monroe County Ohio Farm Bureau, representing 525 members, respectfully submits this

opposition testimony on House Bill 152.

The Monroe County Farm Bureau board voted to oppose House Bill 152 because the proposed

bill provides for lesser financial compensation for the landowners mineral rights and the bill force

pools a higher percentage of landowners by dropping the requirement from 85% to 65%. Do

not pass House Bill 152 out of committee. Keep the unitization/forced pooling law as it is

currently written in the Ohio Revised Code.

Submitted by Janet Witten Conn Policy Chairperson Monroe County Farm Bureau