

Chairman Lipps, Vice Chair Holmes, Ranking Member Russo, and Members of the House Health Committee, thank you for the opportunity to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 248.

My name is Teresa Wetzel and I am wife, mother, grandmother and a retired receptionist for a chiropractor, my husband, and the reason I support House Bill 248 is because my husband and I both had covid without any complications due to our healthy immune systems. My husband had quadruple bypass surgery on November 27, 2020. On December 10, 2020 he was diagnosed with covid and had symptoms. A few days later I had symptoms. We did not seek medical attention. We quarantined at home and took lots of natural supplements. Within 2 weeks all symptoms were gone and we have had no lingering effects. I am strongly opposed to covid vaccines for several reasons. The first being that these vaccines have not been truly tested for long term effects and I am NOT going to be anyone's guinea pig. Also until the vaccine makers, distributors, doctors etc. are held responsible for any short or long term effects I will not be getting vaccinated. I strongly believe there are a lot of proven medical and alternative medical treatments that can prevent or cure this virus. I also believe that any vaccine "passports" are against the constitution of the United States and takes away my constitutional right and freedoms.

Thank you once again for this opportunity to provide testimony on the need for and urgency of House Bill 248.

Sincerely,

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