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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 Laura Murton, I am a full-time working mom and fully support House Bill 248. I have Lyme disease and that makes me immune compromised. My doctor won't let me get the flu shot because of my Lyme and said that I cannot get the vaccine. I had COVID in February 2020, recovered and have natural immunity even with my compromised immune system. It is far safer for me to rely on my own immune system because I know that I have the antibodies to fight not just COVID but any SARS-COV virus. I have a significantly greater chance of dying from the vaccine, which is why I feel very strongly that getting it needs to remain A CHOICE to everyone.

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

Sincerely,
Laura Murton