

Chairman Wiggam
Vice Chairman John
Ranking Member Kelly
& members of the State and Local Government Reform Committee,

I am testifying today in favor of HB 90 as an Ohio resident deeply concerned about courses of action being taken under the current emergency powers that Governor DeWine and ODH Director continue to abuse and the dire effects it is having on all of us.

This bill restores the balance of power where it should be, between the three, COEQUAL branches of government, and finally gives a VOICE to the PEOPLE of Ohio via their legislators during a declared emergency.

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

In the last year MANY Ohio small-businesses have failed and gone under because of these unproven COVID restrictions. How many more have to fail?

How many more people have to know because they are having a hard time coping with social restrictions and resort to suicide to end this misery? Does the Governor care or ever talk about these deaths?

Please stand up and protect our personal liberties and the future of our state by voting YES on HB 90!

Thank you,
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