

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

I am testifying today in favor of HB 90 as an Ohio resident concerned about continuing courses of action being taken under the COVID emergency powers and the dire effects it is having on all of us. Especially our children and our elders in nursing homes.

This bill restores the balance of power to where it should be, between the **three**, COEQUAL branches of government. This action will finally give us, your constituency, a VOICE. The people of Ohio deserve that. As a legislator in his great state, you have an obligation to represent us during a declared emergency. This has gone on way too long with no power to the people.

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

Please stand up.

Please protect our personal liberties.

Please protect the future of our state by voting YES on HB 90!

My high school senior went through a very scary period of deep depression. We worried and did all we could to protect her mental health. Her school thankfully has returned full time but with numerous serious restrictions to normal activities. I cannot imagine what other Ohio children are going through, children that don't have the benefits and support system our daughter has. Please stand up for her, and for us.

Thank you,
Cindy McBee
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