

Testimony of Gregory & Linda Roth in Support of HJR 1

OHIO HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

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Chairman Wiggam, Vice Chairwoman John, Ranking Member Kelly, and members of the committee:

My husband and I are senior citizens and live in Deerfield Township, House District 54. We raised our three wonderful daughters here, all of whom are in their twenties.

The rampant spending, inflation, the insane Green New deal, the infrastructure bill, the socialist agenda, our open border, the Afghanistan disaster, the attempt to draft our daughters, the corruption of our voting system, and the push to divide our country based on race, all give me deep concerns about my daughters' futures and more importantly the future of America as we know it. Under the current conditions it is only a matter of time before the economy collapses and America becomes a socialist/Marxist country, which is why I am involved in the Convention of States organization.

One of my daughters lives in southern Oregon and just this week told us that there are illegal aliens coming into her area to grow marijuana here illegally instead of in Mexico. Because of the increase in such farms, Jackson County, OR is having to enact stricter methods to crack down on these illegal marijuana farms. She also said human traffickers have moved into the area and that there was one local boy who went missing. I am now really worried about her safety! This is horrible!!

For these reasons, please vote in favor of HJR1. If we can pass a resolution for a Convention of States, we can reign in the spending of the federal government by forcing them to balance the budget. Perhaps we can save our country by eliminating their extensive overreach, get the borders closed, have illegal immigrants deported, and limit their power enough to stop their leftist agenda. The future of our country is at stake and the states MUST stop the Federal government's overreach and keep them from destroying our economy and our country. I believe a convention of states is our only hope for accomplishing these things. So, again, I urge you to vote in favor of HJR1!

Thank you for taking the time to read this letter and thank you so much for your service to us and to the citizens of Ohio.

Sincerely,

Linda and Greg Roth