

Opposition to HB 445  
OHR Primary and Secondary Education Committee  
November 11, 2024  
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Gayle Manning and Committee members,

My name is Jeff Sparks. I strongly oppose HB 445. Public schools are no place for religious education. There are schools for that for those wishing it to be. Public dollars fund public schools, and most people do not want public schools to be a place for religious education.

Thank-you for your time. I urge you to oppose HB 445, and keep public schools public, using the separation of church and state.

Sincerely,  
Jeff Sparks