

# WITNESS INFORMATION FORM

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Date: 10/11/2025

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Are you representing: Yourself  Organization

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Business before the committee

Legislation (Bill/Resolution Number): HB 433

Specific Issue: Amusement Ride Fees (Inflatable Fees)

Are you testifying as a: Proponent  Opponent  Interested Party

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**Proponent Testimony on House Bill 433**

**Submitted by:** Tammy Chapman

**A&S Party Rental**

**Date:** October 11, 2025

**To:** Chairman and Members of the Committee  
Ohio House of Representatives

**Subject:** Testimony in Support of House Bill 433

Dear Chairman and Members of the Committee,

My name is **Tammy Chapman**, and I am the owner of **A&S Party Rental**, a small business that provides inflatable attractions and event rentals throughout Ohio. I am submitting this testimony in support of **House Bill 433**, sponsored by Representative Klopfenstein and Representative Fowler Arthur.

As a small business owner, I fully support strong safety standards and inspections that protect Ohio families. However, the **current inspection fee structure** is not equitable. Small companies like mine, which operate a limited number of inflatables and seasonal equipment, are paying a disproportionate share of inspection costs — effectively **subsidizing large amusement parks** such as Cedar Fair and Kings Island.

The **Ohio Amusement Ride Safety Board's recent audit** clearly demonstrated this imbalance. The audit found that inspectors spend significantly more time inspecting large amusement rides than inflatables, yet the fees collected from smaller operators like us cover a substantial portion of that inspection time. Importantly, the **Amusement Ride Safety Board itself supports and recommends** the changes outlined in **House Bill 433**, recognizing that the current fee structure is unfair to small operators and needs reform.

**House Bill 433** is a fair and reasonable solution that aligns inspection fees with the actual time and resources required for each type of ride. This change will help ensure that small businesses like ours can continue to operate safely and sustainably while maintaining Ohio's high standards for public safety.

Thank you for your time and consideration, and for your commitment to fair and balanced regulation of Ohio's amusement ride industry.

Respectfully submitted,  
**Tammy Chapman**  
A&S Party Rental