

Chair Ray, Vice Chair LaRe, Ranking Member Brent, and members of the House General Government Committee,

Thank you for allowing me to testify today. My name is Cynthia Mansfield. I am a resident of Parma, Ohio who is greatly concerned about efforts to silence voter's voices. I am strongly opposed to SB 293.

My 93-year-old mother, a life-long Republican, cannot physically

handle voting in person any longer. The idea that you would throw out her vote because of something that could happen that is beyond her control. If she does EVERYTHING right, but her ballot gets held up in the mail, how can you justify nullifying her vote? It's abhorrent!

I ask you to consider my testimony, respect Ohio voters, and vote NO on this dangerous and harmful bill.

Thank you again for the opportunity to testify.