

Chairman Lipps, Vice Chair Holmes, Ranking Member Russo, and Members of the House Health Committee, thank you for the opportunity to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 248.

My name is Joy Spondike and I am a stay at home Mother of 4 precious children and wife to one husband for 28 years. I am writing today in SUPPORT of House Bill 248 for reasons that I will address below in brief.

When it comes to medical procedures like receiving a vaccine we should all be given body autonomy, not to be coerced, bribed, excluded or bullied by anyone that is an employer, school, child day-care center, nursing home, residential care facility, health care provider, insurer, institution, or government. We cannot expect to perform a blanket medical treatment/ "vaccine" on the entire population without considering the health risks to EACH and EVERY individual. The fact that the vaccine manufacturers have no liability if I or anyone else is injured from taking their vaccine causes me huge alarm! How can we truly be sure that what they are manufacturing is really safe?

These mandates, of lockdowns, masks, vaccines, and vaccine passports are morally offensive, unethical, and dangerous to society as a whole. The mandates are costing Ohioans their jobs, livelihoods, mental health, and physical health to deteriorate faster than the spread of a common cold flu virus. All meanwhile we are being force fed FEAR from media propaganda about how we will all die from this covid virus if we don't take the shot. However we are fearfully and wonderfully made in the image of an Almighty God who gave us amazing immune systems to fight off viruses and diseases. We don't need a vaccine of fetal cells, chemicals, toxins, and mechanically engineered mRNA to "save" or "protect" us from a virus with a 99.8% survival rate WITHOUT a vaccine.

It is completely unethical to blatantly discriminate against people for choosing not to take a medical procedure for reasons of health, religion or medical risks. How do we know the discrimination won't end with vaccines? We have personal freedoms in the United States of America that our forefathers fought with their lives to protect. I stand with my voice against the medical tyranny that is stripping us Ohioians and others around the world of our God given freedoms. The right to choose what we allow in our own bodies and to live peaceable lives.

Please preserve our liberties to each and every **individual** citizen.

Thank you once again for this opportunity to provide written testimony on the need for and urgency of House Bill 248.

Sincerely,

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