

Opponent Testimony for House Bill 322

Helen Christina Morris

State and Local Government Committee

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Chairman Wiggam, Vice Chairwoman John, Ranking Member Rep. Kelly, and Members of the State and Local Government Committee,

Thank you for allowing me to testify. My name is Helen Christina Morris. I am a parent and I strongly oppose HB 322.

I oppose this bill because it doesn't give students the information they need to become citizens who care. It removes the instruction of current events, and reframes history which impedes the development of critical thinking skills. We must look at ourselves and our world with honesty to make our world a better place. Omitting current events and history doesn't prepare students or help them understand the world.

I ask you to strongly consider my testimony opposing HB 322 and vote NO on this bill.

Thank you, again, for the opportunity to testify.

Respectfully submitted,

Christina Morris