Kelsen Woods HB 36 Proponent Testimony

My name is Kelsen from Millersburg Elementary School. Our school realized that Ohio does not have a state butterfly and we thought the monarch would be a great representation of Ohio. Our mission has become more than just trying to make the monarch Ohio's state butterfly. Now, it is also trying to save monarch butterflies. The monarch's population has been declining due to 147 million acres of monarch habitat destroyed since 1992. By making the monarch our state butterfly people would want to protect them.