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 Monica Cagle and I am a stay at home mom and small business owner. I would like to share just a few reasons I support House Bill 248. First off, I love the freedoms we have in America. I love that I can do my own research and make a decision that fits best for myself and my family. The fact that this right as an American is potentially being taken away is very alarming. Especially when it comes to medical freedom. Not everyone will react the same to everything and no one knows my body more than myself. I just don't understand why my health needs to be controlled by anyone other than myself. My body, my choice. Please consider keeping America the land of the free. It is not fair to those who are afraid and/or against a vaccine. There is risk in both cases and it should be left up to the individual to choose their risk.

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

Sincerely,

Monica Cagle