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

I am writing this in hope that you will stand up for the rights and freedoms of the people of Ohio. As you are very well aware, over the past 14 months, now approaching 15 months, Governor Dewine has completely disregarded people's rights and freedoms all in the name of public safety and his never ending health orders. We are currently taking these so called health orders from Stephanie McCloud who is not a qualified health director and the last time she was asked about the mask mandate, she laughed and didn't give an answer. This is my proponent testimony in support of HB-248. This is a strong bill protecting Ohioans against discrimination based on vaccination status and invasive vaccine mandates in both public and private entities. It not only protects an individuals right's to make their own decisions regarding Covid-19, but it also protects against current employer vaccine mandates and any vaccine that they may try to mandate in the future as well. According to our elected leader, Governor Dewine he stated those who not and don't want to received the vaccine for the coronavirus are putting others at high risk and we need to get vaccinated. Sounds like a threat if you ask me.

The first thing I want to state is the state of emergency per the Ohio Revised Code (ORC)-Section 3715.74 (D)-A public health state of emergency declared under this section shall exist for not more than sixty days unless extended by the governor for an additional thirty-day period, at which time the public health state of emergency shall end unless it is extended by a concurrent resolution adopted by both houses of the general assembly.

This has never happened and Governor Dewine is acting as a sole dictator and holding Ohioans hostage for a virus which has actually never been truly isolated by the way, with a 99.97 percent survival rate the same year the flu has just suddenly vanished.

As someone who has been following the covid story closely over the past 14 months, I am well aware that SB 22 was passed with a veto override and I am glad the legislative branches were able to get something done. I know this passes into law late June, early July of this year as well. However, with the talk now of the vaccine for covid-19 becoming mandatory and the vaccine passports this may have all been for nothing. It is vitally important that you all support HB-248. HB-248 is supposed to protect both the public and the private sector of citizens from this form of medical tyranny and what I would consider also to be abuse. As Representative Jennifer Gross stated her in testimony for the sponsoring of the bill, some feel this is unnecessary as no one is planning to mandate a vaccine passport with regards to the covid vaccine. While many of the places I've called stated they will not and don't plan to it doesn't mean it can't happen. Many of these places are still keeping their mask mandate in place and not allowing medical exemptions after June 2nd as they have stated it's our company policy. This was always part of the governors overreaching agenda to get the businesses to do his dirty work for him so he can avoid the backlash of it. For example, my company I work for is in the private sector and after receiving a coercive email about 42% of people taking the vaccine and people doing their part so we can return to normal, I am looking into my own options for if this becomes mandatory as I feel many private businesses will do what they have done with the mask. Basically they will state the following, "this is our private business and we can do as we please". For the record and I will list it below, these businesses are violating Ohio law under the ORC.

## -The law regarding Face Masks-

In the state of Ohio, face mask are regulated as a medical device. Even just recommending that someone wear a regulated medical device (mask) is unlicensed practice of medicine. According to the ORC 4731.41 and 4731.34, this violation is a 5th degree felony. Even under

licensed medical care, a person still has the right to choose whether to wear that device or not. Forcing a customer to wear a mask to enter your business is illegal under the Federal Civil Rights Law, Title II, which requires that a place of public accommodation, your business must provide free and equal access to all services and facilities, without discrimination. The Ohio law, ORC 4112.02 further prohibits you from preventing entry to the full enjoyment of this business establishment, as no laws have been broken.

This law, regarding HB-248, needs to pass immediately as if businesses ignore the law then they are subject to penalties and fines under it. If this doesn't pass then as far as I am concerned our great state of Ohio is past the point of no return. I am very convinced that the Presidential election was a complete fraud and it was stolen from the rightful winner. I bring this matter to attention because it's extremely likely and possible that Governor Dewine will be reelected for another four year term, even if it is via fraud. None of this can be allowed to happen and he needs to be impeached at the very least. I have been told the republican party won't go against the governor and if this is the case, it's truly sad as you're allowing your own state to be destroyed at the hands of someone with a very big political agenda.

As you most likely know or have heard, in the state of New York, they are making vaccine passports a mandatory thing for people. However in the states of Florida and Texas where their governors believe that people have rights and freedoms, they have signed an executive order against this form of medical tyranny and coercion. People in the legislative branch have stated that the governor said he wasn't going to make the vaccine mandatory. I heard this while listening to proponent testimony awhile back. My response to that is this, he's a liar. Last April, Amy Acton, the health director at the time then stated the following:

"We would love in some countries they're looking at certificates to say you're immune (to covid-19) and therefore you're able to go about your business. It would be a dream if we were able to get something like that."

Now here we are in May, 2021 and vaccine passports are becoming a reality just as Acton stated over a year ago, almost like she knew this in advance or something. I am a firm believer that Amy Acton is still running the show behind the scenes and there's plenty of evidence to suggest so. For one thing Stephanie McCloud is not a qualified Health Director and I am not sure why this isn't being addressed. My guess is because this has become political theater. This so called emergency has been ongoing for almost 15 months now and is approaching 440 days of two weeks to flatten the curve, or slow the spread, whatever the narrative was at the time last year when Dewine spewed his garbage lies.

Peoples medical freedom and medical privacy is of the utmost importance. This is not a debatable issue in my opinion and it's ridiculous to me that I even have to take the time to write this as I can't believe, these lies and deception have been allowed to continue. This virus has a 99.97% survival rate, the flu is apparently gone, no one dies of old age anymore? It was proven multiple times through the study done by John Hopkins University, that in 2020 there was no amount of excess deaths as opposed to 2018 or 2019. How can this be true if we are in a deadly pandemic and people are apparently dying everywhere? Also for the record there hasn't been one single political office member who has died of covid, nor has any famous person. Famous people did die from the experimental vaccine which is under EUA (Emergency Use Authorization) but we can't mention that otherwise we get canceled. The music rapper DMX recently passed away and he also received the vaccine. The media is trying to blame this on a drug problem that he had for years. Hank Aaron is another person who took the shot and then died shortly afterwards. The suicide rate for kids 10-14 is higher than ever and I'd be willing to bet the suicide rate for all ages is close to a record high as well.

Next I am going to give you a brief overview of my life the past 14, almost 15 months as many people love to gaslight and say "well your life isn't that different, etc it's just a mask, it's not about you, you could be asymptomatic, etc"

First off there is no asymptomatic carrier at all, this has been proven over and over again. Dr. Sherri Tenpenny has spoke about this numerous times and is in fact helping with the lawsuit against the governor and the health department. Second to make a statement like that when you're not around me at all is pure ignorance. I have struggled with depression and anxiety for a lot of my adult life and I can't even begin to count the amount of times I've thought about ending my life during this whole ordeal as it seems this is hopeless and nothing is being done to stop it. Finally I have a medical condition and can't wear a mask. I have a deviated septum in my nose from nearly breaking it almost twice just over a two year time span, I also mentioned above I have anxiety. Although the mandate with the mask does allow for medical exemptions many businesses aren't honoring this and they are just doing what they want to. I've been kicked out of multiple stores and even had the cops called on me for doing nothing other than choosing to breath freely. But during the riots and protests they let criminals out of jail and prison due to covid and they didn't arrest anyone during the riots either it seems because it was a peaceful protest, good story spun perfectly by the trash media. I have also lost several people I considered to be good friends over this whole ordeal as I have been labeled an anti-vaxxer, a conspiracy theorist, and just completely crazy. One of my best friends from college who I no longer speak to, due to his complete rudeness about all of this stated I was taking "Trump's side and I need to listen to Dr. Fauci". He must mean Dr. Fauci who made over \$417,000 last year while the state of Ohio and millions of people couldn't get unemployment and Dewine and Husted had no answers about it. Also Dr. Fauci who owns half the patent to the Moderna Vaccine. Yes it must be the same guy.

More propaganda incoming below, I do apologize but needed to put this into this testimony as well. After Kentucky, Gov. Andy Beshear has used the metric of vaccinations. He announced last week he will lift orders when 2.5 million of the state's nearly 4.5 million residents get vaccinated. This doesn't sound like coercion at all, nope probably a conspiracy theory, insert large eye roll here.

There is now talk that the governor is going to link people's freedom to whether or not they received the vaccine as he stated the following,

"We are actually looking at that," Dewine said, we don't have anything to announce. But we are looking at that. We are looking at any kind of measures that tell people where we're going and what we have to do achieve it. We're not ruling that out at all."

In the latest press conference I heard, on April, 27, 2021. Governor Dewine stated "The vaccine is our ticket back to freedom. 3.6 million people in Ohio are fully vaccinated and 4.6 million have received at least one dose of the vaccine so far."

My math states this is about 31% of people, but I heard the governor say 40 % of people as well. He has stated since that he doesn't know who has immunity otherwise to the virus. Since we can't get the real numbers for anything, because it's all a big secret I don't know either.

Recently as of May 12, 2021, governor Dewine has announced that all the health orders will be lifted on June 2nd. I guess the virus is magically disappearing that day. Notice he doing it after memorial day to keep people in fear and businesses from thriving during a holiday weekend. Now, he also stated the following in regards to the vaccine,

"Beginning Wednesday May 26th, and continuing for five Wednesdays, Ohioans who receive at least one dose of the vaccine would be eligible to enter one of two drawings- one for those

under 17 and the other for all adults in Ohio. For residents under 17 who have been vaccinated, the winner will receive a full, four-year scholarship to a State of Ohio University. The scholarship would include, tuition, room and board, and books, Dewine said. In a separate drawing for Ohio adults who have received at least one dose of their first of the vaccine, the prize will be \$1 million. To be eligible to win, you must be an Ohio resident at least 18 or older on the day of the drawing and you must be vaccinated before the drawing."

Now this is from the ORC (Ohio Revised Code) Section 2915.092

The Ohio Governor is not a 501(c)3 or a 501(a) and cannot legally operate a prize giveaway (raffle) whether it is for profit or not for profit in the state of Ohio.

One last thing I will say in regards to this nonsense, I know people personally who were unable to get unemployment and Dewine and Husted openly said on public TV that they didn't have an answer for it. So we didn't have money for unemployment for people but we now have money to bribe and coerce people into taking an experimental vaccine, which is still in clinical trials by the way they end in 2023, all for a virus with a 99.97 percent survival rate, which has actually never been isolated. That's where we are now, just trying to keep up here.

This is complete nonsense to hold people against their will under tyranny when we live in the United States of America, have the constitution and have freedom of choice, especially for a virus, never isolated with a 99.97 percent survival rate, the same year the flu just vanished into thin air.

There is no guarantee that even if this passes and becomes law that stores will follow the exemptions rule as they aren't right now with the mask mandate as I have mentioned in the document. I do think it would have a better chance though and that it my reason for writing this documentation. Especially given the current climate with the covid vaccines, the talk of vaccine passports and the blatant discrimination those of us who don't wish to be part of the experiment face. This Bill is of the utmost importance.

Please do your part and stand up to Dewine, McCloud, and all his other yes sir people. The fate of our state and our society depends on it. Please vote yes and pass HB-248 immediately into law. Without choice for any vaccine, the bill would essentially become null in void, the moment the public becomes fearful of the next illness, especially the way the main stream media as pushed this entire narrative for over a year now.

Let's so it right the first time and protect Ohioans from vaccine discrimination both now and in the future as well.

Thank you for your time,

Sincerely,

Kevin Freeman