My name is Richard Nix and I am a retiree who up until today had a part-time job. The reason I support House Bill 248 is because I believe and have just recently experienced how a company has created a "class" system. My company recently required everyone who wanted to stop wearing a mask to complete a signed form requiring the date of your vaccination. If you didn't sign the form you would be required to continue to wear your mask. I opted to not sign based on feeling this violated my personal private medical information. My company has granted numerous 90 furloughs for those who head south for the winter. I asked for a 90day furlough in hopes that this new policy would be changed. As of today, I have not heard if my request has been granted. I have felt very "singled" out and discriminated against by this new policy. I believe passing HB248 would help deter policies like this one from becoming the norm.

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