

Chair Peterson, Vice Chair Thomas, Ranking Member Humphrey, and members of the House Government Oversight Committee,

Thank you for allowing me to testify today. My name is Shane Bauerle. I am a conscientious voter and not affiliated with any political party. I am disappointed in the Republican party and am strongly opposed to HB 1. HB 1 is moot since Democrats have already agreed to virtual role call in order to meet Ohio's presidential nominee deadline. There is no reason to change our laws for a solution that is no longer needed. Furthermore, HB 1 circumvents protections enshrined in our laws. This means HB 1 is potentially dangerous to democracy in Ohio. Please restore my respect for the Republican party by voting NO on HB 1.

Thank you again for the opportunity to testify.