

SUPPORT (FAV) of bills HB666 and SB566

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Good Afternoon,

This email is my written testimony in **STRONG SUPPORT (FAV)** of bills HB666 and SB566

I support these bills because they uphold the fundamental rights of parents, as those who have the highest vested interest in their children's welfare:

- (i) to direct the upbringing, education, and care of their children;
- (ii) as tax-paying citizens, to have a voice in the development and implementation of public school programs and curricula;
- (iii) to know what information, or what medical treatment, including mental healthcare, is being given to their children while those children are attending school; and to refuse this when such information or treatment is politically or ideologically motivated rather than being based on rigorous scientific research.

Sincerely,

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