Testimony Submitted to the Government Administration & Elections Committee Public Hearing February 22, 2021

Honorable members of the GAE Committee, Please accept this testimony in support of House Joint Resolution No 58 (HJ58) and of House Joint Resolution No 59 (HJ59)

As a proud Constitution State resident and voter, I strongly support expanding voting rights to include to all eligible voters by allowing no-excuse absentee ballots and early voting. Too many eligible citizens are not involved in the process due to work schedules, family commitments, and lack of transportation to polling locations. Expanding voting rights provides a more level playing field to all and more equitable access to participation in the process.

Respectfully submitted,

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