

Written testimony of **Mark von Mayrhauser**, West Hartford, CT

Re: **H.J. No. 58**, Session Year 2021

RESOLUTION PROPOSING A STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO ALLOW NO-EXCUSE ABSENTEE VOTING.

I am fully in favor of amending the constitution to allow no-excuse absentee voting. I firmly believe that Connecticut should expand the opportunities for its citizens to exercise their right vote in a controlled way.

Further, I ask that serious consideration be given to funding a comprehensive study of how Connecticut may move to universal mail-in voting as has been adopted in certain other states; such review to include feasibility and, if feasible, a general outline of the timing and costs to move to such a voting system.