

I support HB 2560, the equitable access to civic engagement bill. I have been personally positively impacted by accessible remote meetings and testimony. Through the COVID-19 pandemic, feelings of isolation have been overwhelming. The ability to submit testimony and take part in the civic actions of my state has been incredibly empowering to me. Keeping meetings accessible through remote technology and remote submission of oral and written testimony is an important part of maintaining and encouraging civic engagement, even after the pandemic subsides. Please vote yes on HB 2560, and ensure equitable access to the Legislature for all.