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Thank you for reading my testimony in favor of SB 1548. The practice of changing our clocks twice a year is unneeded and outdated. The normal movement of the earth as tilts the northern hemisphere towards the sun will give us the longer evenings that day light saving time artificially gives us. I know a lot of people want permanent Pacific Daylight Time however, we all know the US congress will never get around to making the changes that will codify DST so, SB 1548 is the next best alternative to a system that should have been ended 50 years ago. The harm done to people's health alone, from this unnecessary time change are worth ending it now. With all of our neighboring states willing to do the same, the time is now to end this ridiculous and antiquated practice.

I strongly urge the passage of Senate Bill 1548.