Chair Fahey and Members of the House Committee on Rules:

I'm testifying today in opposition to the -1 Amendment to House Bill 4026.

I am opposed to this amendment because it is violating a citizens right to hold their city council accountable. This amendment is doing the very opposite of what this bill is trying to pass. To my understanding this bill is to bring more voices to the table while this amendment wants to exclude voices.

From my personal experience with my own city council (North Plains) I need this amendment to be opposed so I can actually have a voice in my local growth. The city council is not listening to me or my fellow citizens. They say they want to hear us but have never asked. I am purposefully left out because I don't live in city limits yet the choices they are making directly effect my livelihood - I should have received notices to be involved but did not. My city is purposefully excluding citizens so they can make money behind closed doors and only serve the interest of those who line their pockets.

Please oppose amendment 1 to HB4026 and preserve our rights to oppose city council decisions and let our voices be heard.

Thank you, Daryl Moore

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