## SB4 Written Only Proponent Testimony

Chairman Proctor and Members of the Committee,

I have submitted testimony on this bill for the past three years because I believe SB4 is critical to ensuring timely and predictable election results. This bill provides clear rules for when ballots must be received, reducing confusion and streamlining the election process. A firm deadline allows election officials to efficiently process votes and deliver results on time, boosting public confidence in our elections.

Concerns about disenfranchisement are unfounded. SB4 applies equally to all voters and ensures fairness across the board. Voters have plenty of time to plan ahead, and voter education will help ensure ballots are returned on time. The 5th Circuit's recent ruling emphasized the importance of a single, clear Election Day, and SB4 aligns with that principle.

I urge you to support this simple, common-sense reform to strengthen our election system.

Respectfully submitted, Kari Sue

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