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**Testimony to the Election Committee**

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**HB2452**

Opponent

Written testimony only

Chair and members of the committee:

Thank you for the opportunity to voice my opposition to House Bill 2452.

Consolidating elections may seem like a money saver, however increasing the number of races on the ballot will result in less down ballot voting; local races will suffer. Voters will be more attuned to state and national races so that local candidates will not get the attention they deserve. It will be confusing to combine partisan and non-partisan races on the ballot. Please maintain the current off year voting for local races.

I ask you to vote against HB2452 and preserve the integrity of local elections.

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