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The Midwest's #1 Medical Cannabis Magazine for Health, Wellness, & Education

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Senate Bill 560 (SB560) Proponent WRITTEN-ONLY Testimony

To Whom It May Concern:

In March of 2019, our son asked my husband, Bill Cromwell, and myself what we knew about medical cannabis. We laughed because we didn't know anything. You see, that was his point; so many people were not aware of the benefits of medical cannabis. He thought that our 20-year background in magazine publishing might serve as an educational tool for medical cannabis. Thus, *The EVOLUTION Magazine* was born with our first issue published June 2019.

Since that first conversation with our son, we learned more about medical cannabis and its benefits than we thought possible. That learning journey continues today, and we enjoy sharing what we learn with our readers through the knowledgeable writers who help make our magazine possible.

Those articles range from research studies about the benefits of cannabis for different medical conditions to resources for medical cannabis patients to testimonials, and sadly, to those who could be helped but live in a state that doesn't support medical cannabis.

Many of those patients who could be helped with cannabis have had to move to a state that supports medical cannabis, so they could medicate with natural medicine that works better than pharmaceuticals and not suffer the side effects pharmaceuticals produce. Many of these folks are children and veterans.

The proven applications cannot be denied, especially in areas of chronic conditions like epilepsy, PTSD, pain management, cancer, insomnia, and traumatic brain injuries. Too many research studies have proven its effectiveness, and that research continues to expand daily.

Our location in Kansas City, MO, provides us a unique view of our neighboring state, Kansas, and citizens who would benefit from legal medical cannabis. If you would like to learn more about the medical benefits and read stories of those who have been helped by cannabis, past issues of our publication are online at our website listed below.

We at The EVOLUTION Magazine support Senate Bill 560 (SB560). Education is the key to understanding Medical Cannabis.

Sincerely,

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