

Subject: Oppose min wage increase testimony

To Whom It May Concern,

To raise minimum wage at this increase is to cut off small businesses at the knees. We employ one full time and two part time employees. The full time employee manages our shop for \$14.75 an hour. The two part time employees are paid \$9.25 and \$11.

If we raise the two to \$15, we will have to raise the shop manager to equalize their pay. If that happens, we'll have to let the two part timers go as we would not be able to pay those wages and keep the business open.

We provide an invaluable service that puts money back into the pockets of our community. Dont tie our hands any more than they already are. Please do not raise the minimum wage at such a high cost.

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