

Honorable Chairwoman Jennifer Williamson and Committee Members,

I am in opposition to HB 2211

This idea will destroy political parties. What is the point of organizing a group of people around ideas and principles, if we are going to have an open primary? An open primary is just like a beauty pageant. It is solely on the charisma of the one candidate.

It stops the accountability and vetting of the group of organized people. It makes it easier to mask one's true intention as a candidate, because of that vetting process. Money becomes more of an influencing factor to gain support for a candidate because of the loss of the grassroots of the political party.

Please stop this crazy idea.

Best Regards,  
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