Dear Representatives,

I am writing to you today to urge you to vote against this bill. There are many reasons for people to delay vaccinations or not get them at all, and those decisions should be left with the parents. It is a parent's right to make these decisions, not the government forcing them to make that decision a certain way. Parents need to have their God-given rights supported and upheld, not undermined by people who think they know better and try to apply a very broad standard to many people.

My opinion has nothing to do with vaccines - my children are up-to-date on their vaccines. My sole concern is the removal of parental rights. If I choose to not get the flu vaccine, that is my decision, however it wouldn't be allowed according to this bill.

I hope you realize that making this state unfriendly to families will result in people moving away. And maybe that won't impact things right away, but in another 10-15 years, these school children will be adults with jobs and other contributions, including being voters and future legislators and leaders. It will make an impact eventually.

Please stand for parental rights and families and vote NO on HB3063.

Thank you,

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