

Hello Sen. Thatcher,

I'm not able to be in attendance. I've emailed your staff on this topic before. I hate the ritual of changing time twice a year. I also hate daylight time, period! Ever since I was a kid and having lived through trying to use daylight time year round, it was awful. Especially for those of us who worked on family farms. The animals still had to be fed in the mornings and by changing the time meant I had more time in the dark in the 'early' hours of the day. During summer months it stays light long enough for getting chores and work done with the standard time. Our children during winter months are out and about in darkness (very low light) sometimes trying to catch buses. I lived in a rural area and this was awful.

Anyway, I for one would be in favor of just leaving 'standard' time in force year round. Ditch the stupid summer time.

Thanks and best regards,

Tom Moyle