I submit my testimony as a Curry County resident, the widow of a man who suffered from congestive heart failure and was given 3 (negative), covid tests rather than the treatment he needed, as the former publisher of BioEngineering News (a technology newsletter published into the 1990's), a senior citizen and grandmother.

I have personally witnessed the negative effects of this extensive lockdown: poverty, depression, drug use, and FEAR. Stress and fear kill, I believe, even more than a virus that has a survival rate of 99.7% according to the CDC. If anything, any attempts at amelioration at this point are rather late, but better than nothing.

Why have people in this country (but not as much in this county as some) fared so badly. Could it be that they live in bad conditions and eat poor food, use drugs as the panacea for all problems? Many other countries have fared better. Sweden is one example. The Japanese have done studies on ivermectin, which was mentioned in our Senate hearings by one doctor who had great success with it as a preventative and treatment. There are other drugs including ribavirin, which has been around for a long time, and some countries have devised differing cocktails. Israel has claimed success with its own biological. Not to mention that vitamin c, d3, zinc (and perhaps quercetin as it is a zinc delivery agent) have shown to be helpful.

Mask information has been so contradictory that it is becoming ridiculous. Masks in workplaces are supposed to fall under OSHA rules and industrial hygienists prescribe them on the basis of materials, usages, time periods, health histories, and many other variables. The blue surgical masks were designed only to prevent surgeons from coughing or sneezing into wounds. They even say on the box "Not intended for use to prevent disease". For those with medical conditions or claustrophobia they can be downright dangerous, reducing oxygen levels from 4 to 16%,

I acknowledge a person's choice in medical matters—and mine are based on rational decisions pertinent to me. I have examined the information on the experimental diseases in great detail and consulted the VAERS vaccine incident reporting site from the CDC. I would not take a vaccine knowing what I know.

It is my belief, though, that we have to concentrate on the positive and I complement the local foodbank on their attempts to distribute good food--at times even organic items. I believe the healthiest things that people can do is to eat healthy food, get real nutrition and exercise, and avoid stress (which leads to poor sleep). These latter two kill. People need to get out in the air and breathe oxygen and stop believing that a mask will protect them from the TRILLIONS of bacteria and viruses that surround us. The healthy human body has a great ability to adapt of conditions. Coronaviruses have been around for thousand of years. The average mask is so porous and the virus so tiny....Will we hide and starve every time flu season rolls around. I sincerely hope not.

Therefore, I support this bill to bolster the financial, physical, and mental health of the people of this county and the state as a whole

Respectfully submitted, Deborah Mysiewicz