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Regarding: Senate

Message:

I am representing myself as a registered voter in opposition of SB1.

I came here today specifically to speak out against section 2.06/2.07 as a former shift worker. My single mother brought me up to respect the civic duty of being both an informed voter and one who knows the importance of voting. As someone who was also a shift worker, she knew how difficult juggling ones personal affairs, a career and democratic responsibilities could be. When I was attending university as a full time student and began working overnight shifts as a caregiver; being able to vote became nearly impossible. With limited time, resources, as well as low wages it is infinitely important to me to be a voice for those who need easier access to voting by extending voting operating hours, not to further restrict them.

It is critical that SB1 be struck down so that it does not penalizes those in our community who are performing integral jobs by making it nearly impossible for them to vote. Having worked 24 hour shifts as a caregiver it is more than frustrating but outrageous that we would further hurt those with already limited time and resources by making it harder to vote. That is why i am asking you to vote 'no' on SB1 which will further burden our community with less access to voting.

Thank you so much for your time today.

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