



MISSOURI HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
**WITNESS APPEARANCE FORM**

BILL NUMBER: <b>HJR 88</b>		DATE: <b>2/28/2024</b>
COMMITTEE: <b>Special Committee on Property Tax Reform</b>		
<b>TESTIFYING:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN SUPPORT OF <input type="checkbox"/> IN OPPOSITION TO <input type="checkbox"/> FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES		
<b>WITNESS NAME</b>		
<b>REGISTERED LOBBYIST:</b>		
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American Action Fund supports this amendment to allow the General Assembly to eliminate the burdensome personal property tax on ALL tangible personal property.



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I SUPPORT HJR 88. However, I would like to see the words "may" on line 57 on page 3 (section 5) changed to the words "shall".(Shall provide) (Shall be).



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**It would be preferable if this Bill would make it mandatory instead of simply allowing the legislature to reduce personal property taxes. In any event, as a senior citizen, I welcome and encourage the passage of legislation that eliminates personal property taxes.**



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I am Opposed to this Constitutional Amendment. I am not opposed to abolishing Personal and Tangible Property Tax. But their Needs to be a replacement of lost Revenue to Local political Subdivisions. I impact is over \$1,500,000,000-Billion Dollars.



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The Association opposes the joint resolution. The joint resolution would propose a Constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to eliminate personal property taxes on all farm equipment and motor vehicles. When combined with HB 1669, the fiscal impact is estimated to be a reduction of local property tax revenues and school revenues of up to \$1.6 billion when fully implemented. This reduction in local school revenues will adversely affect public school students and schools across the state.