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I am in favor of this legislation because it is common sense to have poll watchers for all aspects of voting including early voting. Voting fraud can take place place anytime during the voting process.



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I am in support of HB 638



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WITNESS NAME: BYRON KEELIN			PHONE NUM 314-402-0	
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME: FREEDOM PRINCIPLE MO TITLE: PRESIDENT				NT
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To protect the integrity of our elections, citizens must be allowed to monitor the election process to ensure the integrity of our election process. In 2024, this process was denied to citizens by an out-of-control Election Board Chief. The Election Board Chief was interpreting that he only needed to allow election challengers on election day. This bill clarifies the ambiguity of the law and allows election challengers during in-person absentee voting and on election day. We hope the Elections Committee will also amend this bill to include allowing poll watchers during the in-person early voting period and election day.



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WITNESS NAME: CATHERINE MANN	ELL		PHONE NUM	/IBER:	
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Due to the ambiguity in Missouri election law, county election officials have been inconsistent in their understanding and enforcement of the directives under RsMO 115,105, which govern the conditions under which a Challenger is allowed to be present to observe election processes. In some Missouri counties, duly designated Challengers are prevented from entering absentee voting locations, while at the same time other counties are allowing Challengers to be present to observe. This discontinuity has created another layer of mistrust for election officials and our electoral system. Each and every Representative believes that trust in our elections is of paramount importance. The passage of HB 638 will help create a consistent understanding of the law between election officials and among Missouri voters, as well as clarify the intent of the law, which is to uphold the public's right to monitor the legality of our electoral processes. Thank you for voting in support of HB 638.



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WITNESS NAME: CATHLEEN PROT	TE		PHONE NUM	BER:
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WITNESS NAME: CHERI BOEHNER			PHONE NUMB	ER:
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As an Election Judge in Clay county I write in support of HB638. I feel it is necessary and appropriate that we allow Election Challengers to be present during early voting not only on Election Day. This will just add to the transparency and integrity of our elections.



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WITNESS NAME: CHERYL KAY SMI	ITH		PHONE I	NUMBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: CHRIS HEINS			PHONE NUME	BER:
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I am support of this bill.



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WITNESS NAME: CYNTHIA L. JONE	s		PHONE NUMB	ER:
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I support clarifying explicitly that election challengers are allowed in early voting locations.



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WITNESS NAME: DAVID JAWORSKI			PHONE NUMI	BER:
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I served as a poll challenger St. Charles in this last election. One of our (St. Charles group) major complaints was Kurt Bahr ban us from overseeing early election activity. We we only allowed to do our jobs on election day. If we are no allowed to do the job except on election day then who is there to monitor potential problems for the two weeks of early voting. Either let us do our jobs during all voting across all voting activity or change over to one day for elections. I currently support this bill but would like to see more improvements.



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WITNESS NAME: DEBRA DUGO			PHONE NUI	MBER:	
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WITNESS NAME: DEE ANN POOLE			PHONE NUMB	ER:
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I support having election challengers at early voting locations.



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WITNESS NAME: DENISE HEINS			PHONE NUMB	ER:
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WITNESS NAME: DENISE LEUCHTN	MANN		PHONE NUME	BER:
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I am in full support of this bill



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WITNESS NAME: DR LISA E GORE,	DNAP, CRNA		PHONE N	UMBER:	
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I am the Boone County Republican Central Committee Chair, Last October-November we had early absentee voting. Votes are counted and left on flash drives which are not entered into the air gap computer terminal until the night of the election after 7pm. But they are counted and stored because they are put through the tabulation machines. Boone Ctv. MO has ES&S Electronic voting systems. Under EAV, they didn't do a sample of the approx 30,000 ballots for the Nov 5th election to hand audit, because the Election Director said the statutes didn't say to. We also have them putting only one set of initials on ballots when cast even though the statute says there has to be two sets Bipartisan. This bill needs to include EAV Watchers and Challengers Revised Missouri Statute says they can be wherever votes are counted, and this is the statute with which our challengers and watchers were allowed in EAV. Why wouldn't the same election statutes apply to EAV that apply to the actual Election Day? This makes no sense they they aren't but the precedent has been set by Boone County Missouri Republican Committee and Election Verification Board for EAV watchers and challengers and our findings resulted in a 45 page challenge packet turned into the DOE of Boone County, the SOS's office, the DOJ and the FBI following proper procedure. The election law needs to be updated and include a clause that Watchers and challengers are also allowed for municipal elections as well. It's a loophole that was found today February 24, 2025. Let's fix this for free fair legal and accurate elections for our future. Anyone saying no to these changes doesn't want transparency, and I would question their motives for that. StCharles County Election Director Kurt Bahr needs to be held accountable so any election director or county clerk involved in these elections needs to have a specific consequence in this bill also. No teeth no one cares to follow a statute in my humble opinion. I pray you figure out how to remedy EAV election integrity as soon as possible, considering it starts 25 Feb 2025 prior to the Columbia Mayoral election or any other taxation issue is placed on the ballot. Thank you for your time today and again I pray you can make this bill whole and comprehensive for EAV related to same rules as Election Day!



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I SUPPORT HB 638!



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WITNESS NAME: JENNIFER SPENA			PHONE NUMB	ER:
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Both poll challengers as well as poll watchers must be allowed full access as required in statute.



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WITNESS NAME: JIMMY R THWING			PHONE NUM	BER:
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WITNESS NAME: JO BOLHOFNER			PHONE NUMB	ER:
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Election challengers should be allowed into polling places during early voting.



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WITNESS NAME: JOAN WALTON			PHONE NUMB	ER:
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Eyes on elections, no matter where the voting occurs, helps to keep things honest.



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WITNESS NAME: JOANI WALTON			PHONE NUMB	ER:
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All voting should be monitored. Joani Walton, Vice Chair, Texas County Republican Central Committee.



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WITNESS NAME: JOHN A. BEHR			PHONE NUM	BER:
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WITNESS NAME: JOSIAH TOWN			PHONE NUMI	BER:
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I support this bill.



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It is very important that we do everything possible to secure election integrity and this bill is consistent with that goal so please support it!



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WITNESS NAME: JUDY SOFKA			PHONE NUMB	ER:	
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Please pass this important bill to insure challengers have access to absentee voting areas before, during and after the election.



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Election challengers should be allowed into polling places during early voting to help ensure election integrity.



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I support this bill! We should be ENCOURAGING and SUPPORTING citizen involvement in our elections. This will help keep them Free and Fair.



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State statute 115.105 makes it clear: "The chair of the county committee of each political party named on the ballot shall have the right to designate a challenger for each polling place, who may be present until all ballots are cast on the day of election. Missouri doesn't have one-day elections. We have 6 weeks to vote before every election. Poll challengers are citizen volunteers who believe that election integrity is paramount in preserving our Republic and that the rule of law is being followed. As an election judge for many years, I have appreciated seeing poll challengers and watchers, especially during the 2024 Presidential election which was incredibly busy, even during the early voting weeks. We need more than just election judges monitoring the elections. When there are voters lined up out of the door, election judges don't have the ability to watch for irregularities or suspicious activity. Poll challengers and watchers provide extra surveillance and extra eyes and ears to ensure our elections follow the laws, even during absentee/early voting! I support House Bill 638 because if we don't have lawful elections, we don't have a true representative democracy.



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I support HB 638



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I fully support cleaning up our election process.



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Challenger's should be allowed



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The bill now clarifies the language that election challengers can be allowed into polling places during early voting.



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Common sense dictates that there are people available to monitor any voting procedure for fraud, cheating, etc. I am so glad to support this measure.



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I support, fully, HB 638, as submitted by Representative Matthiesen. Full access for challengers during the election process is an essential step in assuring credible transparency for ballot reception and counting activities. I urge all members of the committee to vote "do pass" on HB 638.



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Lets put FAIRNESS ACROSS MISSOURI IN ELECTIONS. As we experienced in the 2024 general election, the current language in the statute for poll Challengers is being misapplied as some volunteers across the state were being allowed to work as Challengers while others were not, causing alot of confusion. This bill clarifies the language that Challengers are to be allowed in polling places during the early voting period in plain, simple English. I ask that the right of poll Watchers to be at all polls (including early voter polls) be included in this bill as well. Poll Watchers are vital to elections in order to watch to see that elections are fair. Thank you.



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I support this bill. Having citizens involved in our elections and every level of our government is what our founders intended.



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I am very glad to see this come forward as I was a poll challenger this past November. The truth never fears investigation.



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I support HB638. I would suggest this bill also includes poll Watchers.



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I wanted to share concerns that I and other election authorities have regarding HB 638. This would allow challengers to be present during the absentee voting period. In 107 counties, the elections are conducted by County Clerks. In many of those counties, space is incredibly limited. To have additional people in the office space, potentially in close proximity to voting equipment or in the voting area where they could unintentionally see how a voter has marked their ballot, is in direct opposition to the guiding principles of the MO Association of County Clerks and Election Authorities – to conduct fair, accurate, transparent and secure elections. When challengers are at the polls, they are in a designated space away from the secure voting area. In our offices, anything behind the counter that separates employee workspace from the public is part of the "secure voting area". It's where we store our unvoted ballots, where we maintain our tabulator that absentee voters cast their ballots into, where voters that have moved from one MO county to another are having their information updated, where we are processing absentee ballot applications and ballot packets to be mailed out. Additionally, other daily work is being conducted - including payroll with sensitive employee information. We just saw an unprecedented number of voters cast in person absentee ballots during the two week no excuse absentee period for the November 2024 election. In Johnson County and other counties across the state we often had lines at the door before we opened each morning and didn't finish voting our last voter until thirty minutes to an hour after normal closing time. Our voting booths were at capacity throughout the day and we often had a bottleneck of voters waiting for an open booth. As I think back on what those two weeks looked like - I'm not sure where I could accommodate one extra person, let alone two or three if all of the established parties decide to appoint one. As this bill is considered, I hope that legislators will keep in mind how this would function in their own Count Clerk's office.



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