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Good afternoon Honorable Judiciary Committee,

I would like to be at the state house in person and that was my intent, but our baby came down with a fever and was sick during the night. I am watching from home.

I live in Bowdoin with my husband and three children, two biological and one foster, all sweet girls.

When I look back at the history of our nation and other nations, I can give you example after example of discrimination, in one form or another. Once upon a time we de-humanized black people because they are not white. Once upon a time people de-humanized Jewish people because they did not follow the Nazi agenda. In 2023 we de-humanize babies because of their age and size. When will the world stop wanting to kill people because they don't fit into whatever the world's absurd definition of a human being is? Please, help us not to repeat history, but instead move onto a better future.