

Mar-E Trebilcock
MSAD #51
LD 1098

Senator Rafferty, Representative Murphy, and Members of the Education and Cultural Affairs Committee,

I am writing to provide testimony on LD 1098: An Act to Ensure Equal Access to a Full School Day for All Students. My name is Mar-E Trebilcock, and I am the Director of Academic Services in MSAD #51. I appreciate the opportunity to share my perspective on this important piece of legislation.

Decisions regarding individual student programs should always be determined through the IEP team. Parents have an equal voice to express preferences regarding partial day determinations as members of the IEP team. MUSER clearly provides this right to parents and guardians, thereby negating the need for additional legislation of this nature.

I, therefore, recommend that the Committee vote Ought Not to Pass LD 1098.

Sincerely,
Mar-E Trebilcock