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Representing: I belong to and participate in numerous organizations, but don't directly represent them here.

Supporting: HB-5574 HA 1 Emergency Rental and Homeowner Protection Act

Testimony:

The pandemic has not created a housing crisis but amplified the one that already existed. Illinois is losing population. I've lost my neighborhood, my friends and my neighbors who I felt safe around. The pandemic is revealing how precarious so many of our lives are. I support HB5574 because it tries to put the rights and needs of the hundreds of thousands who have become even more insecure because of this crisis. I stand on the side of people who wish to stay near the people and places they love, and I implore all of you to take a principled stand with those same people. Nobody should lose their home due to the pandemic. Nobody should lose a neighbor or a loved one due to the pandemic.