

Chairman Arlen Siegfried and Committee Members
House Federal and State Affairs Committee
Kansas House of Representatives
RE: HB 2324 – Pro-Life Heartbeat Protection Bill

Hon. Chair and Committee Members

My name is Milton Hubbard. I am a pastor and I live in Chanute. I cannot appear in person before the committee today for the hearing on HB 2324 but **I would like to submit my written testimony in support of the bill for consideration by the committee.**

Most of us cannot comprehend the fact that 6 million Jews were murdered without cause in WWII. We also tend to feel that if we had been in a position back then to do something to stop that insanity, we would have. While it is impossible to go back and change history, it is not impossible to impact history that is being written all around us today. I am referring to the murder of innocent babies through abortion which totally eclipses the horror of Nazi Germany. We are surrounded by a holocaust that has claimed 50 million innocent lives. We must attempt to stop this insanity.

I am a Pro Life advocate and I urge you to support this bill. HB 2324 would prohibit abortion after a detectable heartbeat of the unborn child is present and would end roughly 85% of the abortions occurring in Kansas. It has been drafted by attorneys with legal experience in the appellate courts, including a staff attorney with the American Center for Law and Justice. This bill has an extremely good chance of defeating a legal challenge, particularly in the U.S. Supreme Court.

The people of Kansas strongly support heartbeat legislation. A recent poll revealed that a majority of Kansans agree that if a doctor can detect a heartbeat then the baby should be protected. I feel very strongly that when a heartbeat is detected that is clear evidence of a human life that deserves protection. As a former fetus I strongly oppose abortion as do a majority of Americans and urge you to support this legislation.

Please support **HB 2324** and please send the Pro Life Heartbeat Protection Bill on to the full House for action.

Sincerely,
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