My name is Stacy Chandler and I live in Ottawa Kansas. I have had several jobs in the community with the help of COF Training Services and Vocational Rehabilitation. Unfortunately, I wasn't able to keep those jobs because I didn't do a good enough job. I was working at Wendy's for more than 2 years but they cut my hours back to 5 hours per week. I enjoyed working at Wendy's because I got to talk to the people while I cleaned the lobby. I was not able to make enough money there so I had to go back to the sheltered workshop. I have worked at the COF shelter workshop and the COF thrift store for years. I work about 20 hours per week.

I support HB 2219 because I want to work more hours per week.