

Date: March 7, 2022

To: Senate Public Health & Welfare Committee

From: Ronald Szymankowski

Reference to: SB 489

I am writing in opposition to SB489.

I support science and not unsubstantiated conspiracy theories. Decisions about the health and safety of our families and fellow citizens should be based on scientific fact. In Kansas we have liberties, but we also have responsibilities to the communities in which we reside.

This email was made possible by scientific endeavor. The very infrastructure of our nation is based on science and technology. We cannot ignore scientific knowledge in the making of decisions about the health of Kansans.

Good governance should be guided by expert opinion.