

Grandville Public Schools

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The Honorable Representative Tom Albert

Dear Mr. Albert:

I am writing to oppose HB 5368 in regards to not allowing release time for our association member! This bill is truly unnecessary, as it is a support paid for by the association and it costs us nothing.

In return, our individual does a fantastic job of participating in committee meetings, student intervention sessions, and proactive planning for activities that greatly assist our staff and administration in helping foster student success.

In fact, passing HB 5368 would be a cost to our district, as we simply could not do what we do to ensure high levels of learning for all students without this particular support. Please do not allow this bill to pass as it does have a larger impact on districts that utilize it effectively at no cost to our general budget.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Roger Bearup V Superintendent

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