

Testimony of

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Good Afternoon. I am Anne Varrone-Lederle, a proud Wallingford Public Schools teacher for the past 30 years. I am urging you to not support and oppose Senate Bill 1096. Charter schools take away funds from public schools. Experts in education will be cut out of decision making and it will left in the hands of bureaucrats and non education experts. Public schools are for all of our students. We cannot and will not allow our students to suffer and taxpayers not to receive the funding that our schools need.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

