Good morning, Chairman Lee, and members of the Senate Human Services Committee. My name is Mary Lizakowski, and I am submitting a written testimony as a concerned citizen from District 16, in opposition to SB 2384.

I have experienced a close elder go through colorectal cancer. I have taken care of my child when they were sick with RSV and witnessed my friend's children being hospitalized by RSV. The robust research of mRNA vaccines has proven itself during the pandemic. When these life-saving vaccines that can treat diseases such as cancer and RSV become available, I should be allowed freedom of choice to receive these mRNA vaccinations in ND.

I urge you to oppose SB 2384 as it is necessary to keep our children and families healthy.

Thank you for your service to the state of North Dakota.