

HB 2569 Proponent Testimony - written only
House Taxation Committee
Doubling the standard deduction
Dave Trabert - President
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Chairman Johnson and Members of the Committee,

We appreciate this opportunity to submit written testimony in qualified support of HB 2569, which would double the standard deduction.

We support an increase in the standard deduction but fear that doing so will result in a tax burden shift. The budget may already be out of balance for FY 2020 and the Legislature is being pressured to increase funding for K-12 education and other reasons, so we encourage the Committee to recommend a means of paying for this tax cut if the bill is approved.

Thank you for your consideration.