Name: Ellen Mayer

Representing: Ellen Mayer

**Supporting:** HB-5574 HA 1 Emergency Rental and Homeowner Protection Act

## **Testimony:**

I support HB5574 because too many people are suffering income insecurity during the COVID-19. It is simply inhumane to cut off people's livelihoods (for the good of public health) but not also provide relief from living costs like rent that people can now not afford. It is our responsibility to keep Illinoisans safe but they cannot stay safe if they don't have a home to shelter in. No one should lose their home due to a pandemic.