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Good morning Sen. Meyer, Rep. Gentile and members of the Environment Committee:

My name is Ray Hanley from Southbury, CT. I am here to testify and submitting written testimony in strong support of HB 5080.

I represent the Bristol Fish and Game, Seymour Fish and Game and High Rock Shooting Association with a total membership of approximately 3,400 members.

This common sense, practical Bill has undergone many revisions over the many years it has been proposed. We have had many experts on deer management, deer tick control measures, biology studies, and the data has not changed. It is time to implement this Bill.

Time and again it has been pointed out, archery's safety record speaks for itself. There is no reason to believe Sunday hunting would change this. The concept of using this Bill for the efficient method of deer population control has strong data to support it.

I do not have or will have e-mail, however, my mailbox and home phone work just fine. I have gone so far as to have a cell phone though. If I can answer any questions or concerns, please feel free to call or snail mail me:

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Thank you very much for your time.

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