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Supports

**Testimony:**

I am baffled by this data plan report. Nowhere does it include our states' need for cryptocurrency. Expect under the Trump Administration the growth of crypto and bitcoin. Yet, you are preventing freedom and the will of the people by not thinking that your constituents in Bridgeport, Windham or Hartford will use crypto. It only helps if our state would invest with bitcoin and lead the way. Bitcoin and crypto can reinvent Connecticut's economy and you should think about that. Thank you for hearing my concerns and I hope you will revise the state plan to reflect the growth of crypto.