All CT citizens deserve to be safe and treated fairly. I urge legislators to consider responsibly the proposed bill. Consider that this special session may not be sufficient to study the issues and proposed changes. Please do not feel compelled to “fix it all” now.

In light of the on-going violence in the country, this does not seem to be the time to cut police funding. It also seems short-sighted to refuse military equipment in CT. We are living in a time that shows us the unpredictability of life. It may be unpopular, but we need to be prepared for the unexpected. Sometimes police on bicycles may not be sufficient. Please think long term, not focus on the moment.

This is not my idea of a public hearing. Citizens of CT deserve better.