**Name:** S. Rose Werth

**Representing:** S. Rose Werth

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

**Testimony:** I support HB5573 HA1 because families and individuals across Illinois are suffering in so many ways because of COVID 19 and rent and mortgage payments shouldn’t be one of them. We’re all collectively suffering an economic crisis and it is only with one another that we can get through it. 40% of Latino households in Illinois are having trouble making a mortgage payment or rent payment because of the outbreak. They are not the only ones. I support HB5573 HA1 because it will help Illinoisans through this crisis and because I want to see Illinois leading the country in COVID-19 response.