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RECORD OF COMMISSION WITNESS

DATE  7/13/15

SUBJECT MATTER:  Proposed Closure of the Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
Name:  Susan Collins
Title:  Museum Tech II
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City:  
State:  
Zip:  
Email:  

POSITION:  
Proponent  X  Opponent  
No Position

TESTIMONY:  X  Oral  
Written Statement Filed  
Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
GOVERNOR RAUNER, THERE ARE MANY PEOPLE OUT THERE THAT NEED THEIR JOBS TO TAKE CARE OF THEIR FAMILIES. I HAVE BEEN TO THE STATE MUSEUMS MANY TIMES SINCE MOVING HERE FROM LAS VEGAS, NEV. PLEASE DON'T TAKE AWAY THESE BEAUTIFUL PLACES. PEOPLE CAN'T ENJOY THE HISTORY AND LIVELIHOOD ANYMORE IF THESE PLACES ARE CLOSED FOREVER. ILLINOIS IS AN HISTORIC STATE WITH MANY PLACES TO SEE. IF YOU HAVE TO CHARGE AN ADMISSION FEE FOR THESE PLACES, PLEASE DON'T CLOSE THEM FOREVER!!
I took my children to the museum. I still go myself. My son and his wife take my grandson to the museum. It needs to stay open!

Thank-you!
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SUBJECT MATTER: ISM closure

IDENTIFICATION:

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Title: 

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POSITION: [✓] Proponent [ ] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [✓] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

"Good to see the large crowd, but sorry that precluded being able to get into the hearing room"

*(I have already submitted written comments)*
The museum and its collections represent our cultural history. The loss of this repository would be devastating, interrupting or closing it to our citizens makes sense only to those with short vision. The money saved is vastly less than the museum produces in literary dollars and benefits to us as a people.
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure of the Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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Title:
Firm / Business or Agency: Taxpayer and fan of the museum
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Email:

POSITION: ☒ Opponent □ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☒ Oral □ Written Statement Filed □ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
The Illinois State Museum is an excellent source of historical, artistic, and educational data that the state of Illinois. Thousands of families, students, and visitors benefit from the hands-on displays.

To close the museum would create a informational void that the state would not be able to replace.

Please keep the Illinois State Museum open for our citizens and children.

Thanks very much.
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [X] Proponent [ ] Opponent [ ] No Position
TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
Sent email statement earlier this month.
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: ☑ Proponent ☐ Opponent ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☑ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Closure of Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: ☒ Opponent

TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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**WRITTEN COMMENTS:**
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: 

TESTIMONY: Oral

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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IDENTIFICATION:

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Title:

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POSITION: ☑ Opponent ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☑ Oral ☑ Written Statement Filed ☐ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [x] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [x] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
Proposed Closure IL State Museum

Name: Stephen LeMay
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POSITION: □ Proponent □ Opponent □ No Position
TESTIMONY: □ Oral □ Written Statement Filed □ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

the Illinois State Museum must stay open for the protection of all Illinois Natural History objects! Fossil and living.
Proposed Closure IL State Museum

Name: LORIN NEVLING
Title: Secretary, Illinois State Museum
Firm / Business or Agency: IBAK
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POSITION: ☑ Opponent ☐ No Position
TESTIMONY: ☑ Oral ☑ Written Statement Filed ☐ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [X] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [V] Oral [V] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
This proposed closure is a disaster.
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IDENTIFICATION:

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POSITION:  [ ] Proponent  [X] Opponent  [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY:  [X] Oral  [ ] Written Statement Filed  [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [X] Opponent [ ] No Position
TESTIMONY: [X] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [ ] Opponent [ ] No Position
TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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IDENTIFICATION:

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POSITION: [X] Opponent

TESTIMONY: [X] Oral

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
This museum symbolizes, encourages, inspires the youth of this state to become more knowledgeable and educated. The gesture is a threat alone to close it exemplifies a growing disregard for children, education, science & facts. That threatens the advancement that threatens the fabric of what this country stands for. I am simply ashamed of the governor for proposing this at all.
SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum system closure

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: □ Proponent □ Opponent □ No Position

TESTIMONY: □ Oral □ Written Statement Filed □ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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SUBJECT MATTER: Closing Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

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POSITION: [X] Opponent  [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [X] Oral  [ ] Written Statement Filed  [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

I would like to testify if possible.
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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [ ] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER:  Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: □ Proponent □ Opponent □ No Position

TESTIMONY: □ Oral □ Written Statement Filed □ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: ☒ Opponent    ☐ Proponent    ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☒ Written Statement Filed    ☐ Oral    ☐ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Facility Closure - Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

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State: IL

Zip: 62704

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POSITION: 

□ Proponent

☑ Opponent

□ No Position

TESTIMONY: 

□ Oral

☑ Written Statement Filed

□ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [ ] Opponent [ ] Nc Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
Please keep history and art alive for our state's youth.

[Signature]
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DATE 7-13-15

SUBJECT MATTER: IL State Museum Hearing

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State: IL
Zip: 62703

Email:

POSITION: ☐ Proponent ☒ Opponent ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral ☒ Written Statement Filed ☐ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Please save the museum.
My child attended worried for future end of year field trips for 2nd graders at her school.

Lori Naramor
SAVE THE MUSEUM!

DON'T JOIN THE RANKS OF KNOWLEDGE DESTROYERS...
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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum Closure

IDENTIFICATION:

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State: IL
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Email: Smayeragmail.com

POSITION: 

TESTIMONY: 

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
The state museums provide educational and research programs for our citizens. They also serve as community centers. I have benefited from the Dickson Mounds Museum, since they host the annual Environ Science Symposium.
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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum Closure

IDENTIFICATION:

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Title:

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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [ ] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Statement filed online with facilityclosure@ilga.gov on 7/9/14
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SUBJECT MATTER: State Museum System Closure

IDENTIFICATION:
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Title: Person

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POSITION: ☑ Opponent
☑ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☑ Written Statement Filed ☑ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
Read my statement
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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum - Closing

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [x] Opponent

TESTIMONY: [x] Written Statement Filed

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
AS volunteer at museum I see hundreds of children, many home schooled. If the Gov values education and the heritage of Illinois he will NOT close the Illinois state Museum. Please reconsider

Allan Roth
Proposed Closure IL State Museum

Name: Rebecca Damery
Title: Adjunct Instructor
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POSITION: [X] Opponent  [ ] No Position
TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral  [X] Written Statement Filed  [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

I emailed my comments already.
The Illinois State Museum supports teachers and students across Illinois through curriculum units, field trips, and a facility that brings science to life. The Collections Center houses the largest collection of mastodon bones, a 7.5 million item collection of Indian artifacts, and employs researchers and experts known throughout the world. In 2000 the State was planning to build a new museum, last month the museum was renamed - and today people want to close this amazing Illinois treasure.
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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City: Joliet
State: IL
Zip: 60432

POSITIVE: 
Proponent
Opponent
No Position

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

"The museum is 135 years old. It contains 13.5 million artifacts. The staff are true professionals with knowledge to share with our children. The economic impact is tremendous. This would be like shuttering the "Trentonian" newspaper. How do we share knowledge about our great state with no artifacts of our past?"
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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [x] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [x] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Please do not close ISM.
Not good for state economy
Not good for education - research
Would affect my research - lost the
collections for quantity.


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**SUBJECT MATTER:** Proposed Closure IL State Museum

**IDENTIFICATION:**

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Title: 

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**POSITION:**

- [ ] Proponent
- [x] Opponent
- [ ] No Position

**TESTIMONY:**

- [ ] Oral
- [x] Written Statement Filed
- [ ] Record of Appearance Only

**WRITTEN COMMENTS:**
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
Name: Mona Colburn
Title: 
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Email: monacolburn@gmail.com

POSITION: 
□ Proponent 
☒ Opponent 
□ No Position

TESTIMONY: 
□ Oral 
☒ Written Statement Filed 
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filed via email

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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IDENTIFICATION:

Name: Patricia Jo Korzeniewski
Title: Archaeology & Museum Intern Dickson Mounds Museum
Firm / Business or Agency: Dickson Mounds Museum
Address: 9231 Blaine St, City: Central PA State: IN Zip: 46347
Email: Patricia.Korzeniewski@valpo.edu

POSITION: [X] Opponent  [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [X] Written Statement Filed  [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
To whom it may concern,
I am writing to you in regard to the proposed closing of Dickson Mounds
and other holdings of the Illinois State Museum in Lewistown, Illinois.
This is due to the dispute over the state’s budget. It has been stated by
the senate president that a budget for the 2016 fiscal year is around
$4.8 billion in the hole. (The Illinois State Museum operates at 4.8
million.) Thus, Governor Bruce Rauner has replied with a plan to cut
programs in a proposed 9 different state departments, including the
Department of Natural Resources (DNR). He plans to close the facilities
within the Illinois state museum. Rauner stated, “...should their be a
failure to put a balance budget in place by July 1, Dickson Mounds and
four of the other Illinois State Museum facilities will close.

Multiple issues are foreseen with the museum closings. The museum
will lose its national accreditation; this is a prestigious accomplishment
only achieved by five percent of museums in the United States. National
accreditation gives the museum access to more grants, and the trust of
donors who loan their collections to museums. “The artifacts of the
museum will be cared for, but those which were borrowed will have to
be returned to their owners. Even if the museum reopens in the future,
...its unlikely that donors would trust the collections to the museum
ever again” according to Guerry Suggs, chairman of the Illinois State
Museum Board.

I have watched as people in service to their community pack up their
lives into boxes, people who have dedicated their lives to telling the
history of the first Americans in an accurate light. These are the family
of workers, including archaeologists and staff of Dickson Mounds, that I
have personally seen take time out of each and every day to talk with
visitors to answer any questions they may have. They have opened their
doors to the next generation of archaeologists, myself included,
ensuring the history, archaeology, and cultural anthropology of the
Illinois River Valley survives.

I am a graduate student in Geography & Archaeology at Valparaiso
University; undertaking an internship at Dickson Mounds, under the
mentorship of archaeologists: Alan Harn, Dr. Michael Wiart, and Dr.
Michael Connor. During my time here, I have realized what an important
role the facility provides for the community, even though the area is
very low in income. The museum provides a wide range of programs,
activities, and research opportunities for all ages from the small (tot
time), to seniors with our coffee house programs and academic lectures.
As Illinois residents, I imagine your families may have visited the
Illinois State Museum in Springfield or Dickson Mounds in Lewistown
Illinois. You may be familiar with the educational programs and cultural
activities the museum system provides.
School groups visit these facilities daily, as they offer hands on educational experience. The museum offers 12,000 years of human experience in the Illinois River Valley. It offers Prehistoric artifacts from more than 2,000 sites representing Native American prehistory ranging in age from 12,000 years to 300 years ago. Within the Anthropology/Archaeology collection alone there are more than 8 million archaeological specimens and ethnographic objects, and is among the most extensive in the United States.

Dickson Mounds Museum, is a branch of the Illinois State Museum and a National Historic Site, is one of the major on-site archaeological museums in the United States. In its 85th year, Dickson Mounds is the longest standing museum in Illinois. The history of Dickson Mounds began in 1927 when Dr. Don Dickson conducted excavations on his family farm. His pioneer work of in situ excavation attracted the general public, as well as professionals and scholars. The University of Chicago archaeologists began working at Dickson Mounds in 1930 where they established many of the methods and field techniques of modern archaeology. In 1945 the museum was bought by the Illinois State Museum system due to monetary hardship. In 1972 the present building was erected.

I have chosen to petition you in opposition of the museum closing. I believe that history, a blending of culture, and freedom are the vary basis of our country. This proposed closing would silence the first Americans, and upset the First Nations of Native Descent. Dickson Mounds is the voice of those that have passed, and in our fight to remain open we wish to continue to tell their story throughout the generations. I implore you to use any influence you may have to help preserve these valuable assets and allow the service to their communities to continue. As elected leaders of Illinois, I urge you to listen to the voices of those who elected you to represent their best interests. I urge you to revise your stand, and find other means of balancing your budget that will not deprive the residents of these communities from their valuable historical, educational, and cultural resources. Be a voice “for the people,” I urge you to take a stand!

Thank you for your time during this important matter, Patricia Jo Korzeniewski
It would be absolutely terrible for the IL State Museum to close. This venerable and enlightening institution belongs to all citizens of Illinois. The idea of closing it to save money is both ridiculous and disgusting. The Illinois State Museum is an invaluable asset to Illinois as a vast repository of information, research, exhibits, it engenders curiosity and encourages the quest for knowledge. Keep it open!
Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Closing the Illinois State Museum unconscionable.
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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TESTIMONY: [☐] Oral [X] Written Statement Filed [☐] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
Good afternoon. My name is Kathryn Harris and I recently retired from the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library (ALPL) as the Library Services Director, a position I held since 1996. Thank you for the opportunity to speak to you today regarding the proposed closure of the IL State Museum. Please know that I oppose this closure.

Over the years I have had a professional and collegial relationship with not only two Museum Directors, Ed Munyer, and Bonnie Styles, but my staff and I have also worked with Museum staff as they used the collections of the IL State Historical Library, now the ALPL, to conduct research for several exhibits, including Illinois quilts, the 1908 Springfield Race Riot, “One Shot Doc”, which highlighted the photographic genius of “Doc” Helm, long time photographer for the Office of the IL Secy of State, and chronicler of IL African American History. In addition, for the Lincoln Bicentennial Exhibit, the Library was a major collaborator and contributor. The staffs at the Main facility, the Research and Collections facility, as well as its satellite sites, are professionally trained in museum studies, art, paleontology, botany and other disciplines. The loss of this expertise because of its closure, and solely for state budgetary reasons, will surely be detrimental to the standing and status of the Museum in the Museum world. Our Museum is accredited
by the American Alliance of Museums and to achieve that status is no easy feat.

Museums improve the quality of life for citizens but visitors who come from near or far. The ISM is among the most popular tourist attractions in Springfield and indeed across the state. It generates revenue for state coffers. Its interactive exhibits, which combine topical research and Museum Best Practices, delight, educate, and entertain children and adults alike. The Play Museum, the Saturday Summer events, the permanent exhibits, and the changing exhibits in the gallery are such that for the returning visitor, the Museum is not the same place twice.

In these days of difficult budget negotiations, I believe, as do so many others, that the closure of the ISM being used like a pawn in chess game and its closure does little to address the massive deficit that faces our State. I respectfully request that this action not move forward.

Thank you.  

Kathryn M. Harris, MLS (Retired)

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WRITTEN COMMENTS:

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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: ☒ Opponent

TESTIMONY: ☒ Written Statement Filed

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
Good afternoon. Thank you for allowing me to speak to you today.

My name is Dana Smith, and I am the Marketing & Tourism Coordinator for the Spoon River Partnership for Economic Development in Canton, IL. Our organization focuses on economic and community development in Fulton County, where Dickson Mounds Museum is located. It is the most popular tourism site in Fulton County, and brings over 50,000 visitors to our area each year.

I am also a member of the Board of Directors of the Illinois River Road National Scenic Byway, which stretches from Ottawa to Havana along the Illinois River. Dickson Mounds Museum is one of the most popular sites along the Byway, pulling people south along the route to tour its facility.

From a tourism standpoint, I can only echo what many have already said during this hearing. The economic benefit to Fulton County brought by Dickson Mounds Museum is significant, and its loss would be extremely painful. Visitors stay in our hotels, eat at our restaurants, shop in our stores, buy gas at our stations. They help sustain small businesses, often run
by just family members, throughout the county and their lost income could have a devastating effect. By closing the Museum, you may save some expense at the state level, but I am afraid you will have the unwanted result of further depressing the already fragile economy in Fulton County.

From a personal standpoint, I find it heartbreaking and shocking that the state would choose to close the doors of these facilities, which provide educators, children, researchers, historians, archeologists and average Illinois citizens the opportunity to discover the past, and learn how it has shaped our present. If we fail to preserve and protect our history and our culture, I believe that we are guilty of failing to protect our most precious assets.

I respectfully ask that these facilities be funded, and that they be allowed to continue serving the residents of Illinois and beyond.

Dana J. Smith
Appomattox Parking Partnership for Economic Dev.
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Canton, IL 61520
Closing the ISM is shortsighted and damaging not only to the cities impacted, but also to the knowledge base of our state and world. One more vacant government building, shuttered while still drawing energy costs & the costs of the upkeep of our collections.

I've dreamed of a career in public service since I first volunteered for my wonderful local State Representative, Dan Moffitt. I believe that helping people, providing education and services is what we are here for. As the head of a state agency's federally funded research program,
I feel that it is imperative to continue to allow our state to be at the forefront of research activities and exposing children to science and other STEM careers is vital to our future.

Please do not close the ISM.

Sincerely -

Megan (Holt) Swanson

RDQVA Class of '96
State employee
Parent
Concerned Citizen
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SUBJECT MATTER: JULIA MITSHEL

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WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum closure

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SUBJECT MATTER: State Museum Closure

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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum

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SUBJECT MATTER: Closing the Illinois State Museum

DATE 7/13

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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum Closure

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TESTIMONY: ☒ Oral

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SUBJECT MATTER: Closing the IL State Museum

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WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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SUBJECT MATTER: State Museum

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DATE 11/13/15

SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum

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☑ Opponent

☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: 

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WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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SUBJECT MATTER: Hearing on Closing of I&M

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SUBJECT MATTER: The Illinois State Museum

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TESTIMONY: ☑ Oral  ☐ Written Statement Filed  ☑ Record of Appearance Only

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SUBJECT MATTER: ILLINOIS STATE MUSEUM CLOSURE

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TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☒ Record of Appearance Only

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SUBJECT MATTER: Closure of Illinois State Museum

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TESTIMONY: ☒ Record of Appearance Only

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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum Closure

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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum Closure

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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum Closure

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☑ No Position

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TESTIMONY: □ Oral □ Written Statement Filed ☑ Record of Appearance Only

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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: ☑ Opponent

TESTIMONY: ☑ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: [✓] Opponent

TESTIMONY: [✓] Record of Appearance Only

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TESTIMONY: ☑ Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☑ Record of Appearance Only

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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [x] Record of Appearance Only

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Subject Matter: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

Identification:
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Position: ☒ Opponent

Testimony: ☐ Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☒ Record of Appearance Only

Written Comments:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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SUBJECT MATTER:  Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION:  

☑ Opponent  ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY:  

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WRITTEN COMMENTS:
ILLINOIS COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT FORECASTING & ACCOUNTABILITY
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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: ☒ Opponent

TESTIMONY: ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [X] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
**ILLINOIS COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT FORECASTING & ACCOUNTABILITY**

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**SUBJECT MATTER:** Proposed Closure IL State Museum

**IDENTIFICATION:**

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**POSITION:**

- [ ] Proponent
- [X] Opponent
- [ ] No Position

**TESTIMONY:**

- [ ] Oral
- [ ] Written Statement Filed
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**WRITTEN COMMENTS:**
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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TESTIMONY: [] Oral [] Written Statement Filed [x] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: ☑ Opponent
☐ Proponent   ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☑ Record of Appearance Only
☐ Oral   ☐ Written Statement Filed

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: ☒ Opponent  ☐ Proponent  ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☒ Oral  ☐ Written Statement Filed  ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: □ Proponent □ Opponent □ No Position
TESTIMONY: □ Oral □ Written Statement Filed □ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
I trust that GOGRA will weigh the pros (if any) and cons of closing the Illinois State Museum and underscore the wisdom of leaving this worthy institution open for Illinois citizens to enjoy and benefit from for many years to come.

Claire B. Eberle
ILLINOIS COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT FORECASTING & ACCOUNTABILITY
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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [x] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [x] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

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POSITION:  [ ] Proponent  [x] Opponent  [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY:  [ ] Oral  [ ] Written Statement Filed  [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

Name: Jim Zimmer

Firm / Business or Agency:

Address: City: State: Zip:

Email:

POSITION: [ ] Proponent [x] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [x] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [X] Opponent

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral
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WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [X] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [X] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER:  Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: ☑ Opponent  ☐ Proponent  ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY:  ☐ Oral  ☐ Written Statement Filed  ☑ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

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Title: 

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POSITION: 

☑ Opponent

☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: 

☐ Oral

☐ Written Statement Filed

☑ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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Title: 
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POSITION: Proponent ☑ Opponent ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☐ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [X] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [X] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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SUBJECT MATTER:  Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

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Title:  

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POSITION:  □ Proponent  ☒ Opponent  □ No Position

TESTIMONY:  □ Oral  □ Written Statement Filed  ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
RECORD OF COMMISSION WITNESS

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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [x] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [x] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: ☑ Opponent

TESTIMONY: ☑ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: ☑ Opponent

TESTIMONY: ☑ Oral

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**POSITION:**  
- [X] Opponent  
- [ ] Proponent  
- [ ] No Position

**TESTIMONY:**  
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**WRITTEN COMMENTS:**
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [x] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [x] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: ☑ Opponent ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☑ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: ☒ Opponent

TESTIMONY: ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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POSITION: [X] Opponent

TESTIMONY: [X] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION:  ☐ Proponent  ☒ Opponent  ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY:  ☐ Oral  ☐ Written Statement Filed  ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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IDENTIFICATION:

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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [ ] Opponent [ ] No Position

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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☑ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: [X] Opponent [ ] Proponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [X] Record of Appearance Only [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [ ] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [x] Opponent [ ] No Position

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SUBJECT MATTER:  Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

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POSITION:  ☒ Opponent  ☐ No Position

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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: ☐ Proponent ☒ Opponent ☐ No Position
TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: ☑ Opponent
No Position

TESTIMONY: ☑ Record of Appearance Only
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WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Museum Closing

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: ☒ Opponent
□ Proponent □ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral ☒ Written Statement Filed ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: ☒ Opponent

TESTIMONY: ☒ Oral

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

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WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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Email:

POSITION: 
Proponent X Opponent 
No Position

TESTIMONY: 
Oral 
Written Statement Filed X Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
ILLINOIS COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT FORECASTING & ACCOUNTABILITY
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ILLINOIS COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT FORECASTING & ACCOUNTABILITY

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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
Name: Susan Allen
Title: 
Firm / Business or Agency: 
Address: 
City: 
State: 
Zip: 
Email: 

POSITION: [] Proponent [] Opponent [] No Position

TESTIMONY: [] Oral [] Written Statement Filed [] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

Name: Sarah Engelbrecht

Title: 

Firm / Business or Agency: 

Address: _________________________ City: __________ State: ______ Zip: ______

Email: 

POSITION: [ ] Proponent  [X] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral  [ ] Written Statement Filed  [X] Record of Appearance Only

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SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

Name: Deb Russel

Title:

Firm / Business or Agency:

Address: City: State: Zip:

Email:

POSITION: ☐ Proponent ☒ Opponent ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
**SUBJECT MATTER:** Proposed Closure IL State Museum

**IDENTIFICATION:**

Name: Atsuko Takano

Title: 

Firm / Business or Agency: 

Address: 

City: 

State: 

Zip: 

Email: 

**POSITION:** 

☐ Proponent  ☒ Opponent  ☐ No Position

**TESTIMONY:** 

☐ Oral  ☐ Written Statement Filed  ☒ Record of Appearance Only

**WRITTEN COMMENTS:**
It is interesting to me that the movie "Monuments Men" was praised for revealing the men from our great country who risked their lives to save priceless pieces of historic European culture, yet we have no regard for our own. That same "great" country does not cherish its own history, or the people who lived here thousands of years ago. Instead, the doors are being shut with no care or protection. If Nazis were the bad guys for destroying European culture, then what does it say about ourselves?
Please consider keeping the museum open, it is an awesome place for families, tourists, etc. I oppose the closing of the Museum.
Too important of an educational resource to be used as a political pawn.
ILLINOIS COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT FORECASTING & ACCOUNTABILITY
Co-Chair Senator Jeffrey M. Schoenberg - Co-Chair Representative Patricia R. Bellock

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DATE July 13, 2015

SUBJECT MATTER: COGFA Hearing - museum, closure

IDENTIFICATION:
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Email:

POSITION: [ ] Proponent [X] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [X] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

The halls of knowledge should be kept open.
As an employee I, of course, desire the museum to remain open. As a citizen of the State of Illinois I appreciate the value of such an institution to the people of Illinois and beyond. It is one of the few places that can be accessed by all regardless of their station in life. All people deserve the chance to be educated.
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WRITTEN COMMENTS:

I marked "proponent" by error on an earlier form. I oppose closing the museum.
DO NOT CLOSE THE ISM. IT IS EASY TO CLOSE BUT WILL BE HARD TO REOPEN.

DO NOT TREAT CULTURE AND SCIENCE AS YOUR STEP-BLOCK FROM LACRYMAIRE.
DO NOT CLOSE THIS MUSEUM

IT IS IMPORTANT FOR ILLINOIS TO KEEP IT OPEN

IT IS IMPORTANT FOR LOCAL BUSINESS PEOPLE AND CITY.
SUBJECT MATTER: IL St Museum

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POSITION: ☑ Opponent

TESTIMONY: ☑ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Do not close the museum.
Please do not close this unique state cultural and educational asset. Too few facilities like this are available in down state Illinois.
The FSM is the foundling home of orphaned collections and so much more! Do not close the orphanage — please!

Jeffrey John Saunders
1901 S. College St.
Springfield, IL 62704
Don't close museum.
RECORD OF COMMISSION WITNESS

SUBJECT MATTER: ISM Closure

DATE 7-13-15

IDENTIFICATION:
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Title: Parent & Teacher
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Email: pandajjo 71@hotmail.com

POSITION: [ ] Proponent [X] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [X] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

DO NOT CLOSE!!
These are the last dinosaurs I've ever seen and the whole place is an inspiration to adults and children alike. Home on the Governor for even suggesting closure of such a valuable resource to the citizens of Illinois and beyond.
I am against the closing of the Illinois State Museum.
**SUBJECT MATTER:** State Museum Closing

**IDENTIFICATION:**

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Title: DVM

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**POSITION:**

☑ Opponent

☐ No Position

**TESTIMONY:**

☐ Oral

☐ Written Statement Filed

☑ Record of Appearance Only

**WRITTEN COMMENTS:**

I am against the closing of the IL State Museum.
SUBJECT MATTER: Closest of the State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

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Title:

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POSITION: ☑ Opponent

No Position

TESTIMONY: ☑ Written Statement Filed

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WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Please do not close the IL State Museums!
SUBJECT MATTER: Closing 78th State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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POSITION: [ ] Proponent [ ] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
I've been a docent for 8 years; we get a big variety of residents from the state and visitors from other states and abroad. We provide an invaluable resource for education and preservation of the state's culture.
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:

Name: Rod Buffington
Title: Past Director, Springfield ART Association
Firm / Business or Agency: CTC. Food Sanitation / Artist
Address: 2001 Barber Park City: Springfield State: IL Zip: 62704

POSITION: [X] Opponent

TESTIMONY: [X] Oral

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Taking the heart right out of the cultural spirit if you close the museum. KEEP OUR MUSEUMS OPEN.

Rod Buffington
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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Title: 
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POSITION: [x] Opponent [ ] Proponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [✓] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
The museum provides value for our money.
It helps engage my 11-year-old's inquisitive mind.
While the museum needs state financial support,
it can unequivocally show that it returns more money
to the state economy than it takes.
CLOSEDOURE WOULD BE A CATASTROPHE FOR THE
SCIENTIFIC, EDUCATIONAL, ARTISTIC, AND HISTORICAL
CULTURE OF ILLINOIS.
The proposal to close the museum is short-sighted and does not have enough money to make up for loss of tourist revenue. I visit the State Museum with my grandchildren several times a year. We have a treasure there in Springfield, and its loss would be a tragedy. The State of Illinois is quickly served by its elected officials.
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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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Title: Citizen of Illinois
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POSITION: ☒ Opponent  ☐ Proponent  ☐ No Position
TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral  ☐ Written Statement Filed  ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Draconian strategies like closure of institutions dedicated to natural history, history and culture are not the way to attract new businesses to this state unless those businesses could care less about our state. and then we do not want such a business in Illinois.
SUBJECT MATTER:  Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
Name: Shirley K. Eck
Title: Retired - 37 years in hospitality
Firm / Business or Agency: Couric Plaza, Holiday Inn - SCUB
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Email: NA

POSITION: ☐ Proponent ☒ Opponent ☐ No Position
TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
The museums are economic generators for their communities.
The Museum is a Springfield treasure. Let's keep it a treasure for years and years to come. My grandchildren deserve it!!
The Illinois State Museum is a gem in Springfield shared by many local residents as well as visitors to our city. It is one of the few affordable things to do in Springfield with a family no matter what kind of day it is! If you feel the museum is too burdensome financially, then charge a nominal entry fee.
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
Name: CAROL KIRCHBAU
Title: Citizen
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POSITION: ☑ Opponent

TESTIMONY: X Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
It is not prudent to shut down an educational facility that also preserves Illinois’ heritage.
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
Name: Marc E. Carey
Title: Mr.
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POSITION:
☐ Proponent ☒ Opponent ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY:
☐ Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☒ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Please don't close, restructure it somehow or charge a nominal fee instead maybe!!

Marc E. Carey
I am willing to balance the budget via increased revenues as well as cuts. I am vehemently opposed to closure of educational facilities.
There are many children in our community who need a free place to learn. It teaches them about our state history.
I volunteered at the museum last summer and did my internship for college in the Play Museum. There were so many children and other visitors who greatly enjoyed the museum and were very excited to come back. It should stay open not only for educational purposes, but also because it is very enjoyable.
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SUBJECT MATTER:

IDENTIFICATION:
Name: Nicholas Stratton
Title:
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POSITION: [X] Opponent [ ] Proponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [X] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Opposed by Closing
SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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Title: Office Manager
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POSITION: [X] Opponent

TESTIMONY: [X] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
- To keep the importance of culture and Illinois history visible to future generations
- To create jobs and tourism in the downtown Springfield area
- To provide reason and incentive for young adults to stay in Springfield - giving them a place to raise children
I am opposed to closing the Illinois State Museums.

I could not get in.
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DATE 7-12-15

SUBJECT MATTER: Museum Closure

IDENTIFICATION: Kent Beauchamp

Name: Kent Beauchamp

Title:

Firm / Business or Agency:

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POSITION: ☒ Opponent ☐ No Position

TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral ☒ Written Statement Filed ☐ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

I strongly oppose the Museum Closure.
Shutting down the museum would be a travesty for the city of Springfield. By closing the museum, we are denying our youths the opportunity to have a hands-on learning experience that’s relevant and fun. The institution promotes the invaluable idea that community & education go hand-in-hand.
Proponent for keeping it open.

ISM is an amazing institution - accredited and acclaimed. It is a free to everyone opportunity to learn about our history and way to look to the future.
Please save our state's history.

Anything else is unthinkable.

They add more to the economy than they cost in $'s & $'s. Raise taxes if needed. It's your job to figure it out. Just do it.
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**WRITTEN COMMENTS:**

Our history is the ONLY thing that all of the citizens of Illinois share. Please don't destroy our common bonds and links to the past & future.

My father Nelson R. Smith Jr. has a famous photograph in the museum. It needs to be there for the ages to come.
The ISM must remain open. It is a valuable scientific and educational resource and benefits the economy of Springfield and ISM's satellite locations. It is so much more than a pleasant place to visit!! We really need to the largest museum planned in 15 years ago.
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Name: LEONARD LOVE (5 yrs old)

Address: 41 Coachlight Ct. City: Springfield State: IL Zip: __________

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POSITION: [X] Opponent

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

"Please don't shut down the State Museum because it brings laughter and joy. Please go some where else to save the state money and I really, really, really don't want you to shut down the State Museum."

CHAP
Subject Matter: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

Identification:
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Title: 
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Position: 
- [x] Opponent
- [ ] Proponent
- [ ] No Position

Testimony: 
- [ ] Oral
- [ ] Written Statement Filed
- [x] Record of Appearance Only

Written Comments:
THE ISM - ALL 5 LOCATIONS ARE STATE TREASURES OF INFINITE VALUE. THE HERITAGE AND HISTORY OF ILLINOIS IS WORTH 1000 TIMES ANY SAVINGS. OVER THE PAST 50 YEARS I HAVE ESCORTED SCHOOL GROUPS, SCOUT GROUP, CHURCH GROUPS, AND VISITORS TO THE MAIN ISM AND DIXON MOUNDS.

IT IS A SHAME GOVERNOR RAuner IS OBSESSED WITH MONEY. BUT KNOWS NOTHING OF VALUE - PLEASE DON'T DISTROY OUR MUSEUM... IT BELONGS TO THE PEOPLE.

THANK YOU
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SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure IL State Museum

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POSITION: ☒ Opponent

TESTIMONY: ☒ Oral

WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Not only is the museum an essential part of cataloging our state's cultural history for the future, but it plays a critical role in Springfield's present. It is a cornerstone of tourism for our city. When our cultural institutions close, the public has less reasons to stay a part of the community or come and visit.

It would be a shame, if you went through with closing the museum.
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SUBJECT MATTER:

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Title:

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POSITION: ☐ Proponent ☐ Opponent ☐ No Position ☐ Closing

TESTIMONY: ☐ Oral ☐ Written Statement Filed ☐ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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SUBJECT MATTER: Closing of Museums

IDENTIFICATION:

Name: ______________________________________

Title: ______________________________________

Firm / Business or Agency: __________________________

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          Washington, IL 61571

City: __________________ State: _______ Zip: _______

Email: ______________________________________

POSITION: □ Proponent □ Opponent □ No Position

TESTIMONY: □ Oral □ Written Statement Filed □ Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
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Title: Concerned Citizen
Firm / Business or Agency:
Address: City: State: Zip:
Email:

POSITION: Proponent Opponent No Position
TESTIMONY: Oral Written Statement Filed Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
SUBJECT MATTER: Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
Name: Rebecca Damery
Title: 
Firm / Business or Agency: 
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City: 
State: 
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Email: 

POSITION: [ ] Proponent [ ] Opponent [ ] No Position

TESTIMONY: [ ] Oral [ ] Written Statement Filed [ ] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS:
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DATE 7/13/15

SUBJECT MATTER: Proposed Closure of the Illinois State Museum

IDENTIFICATION:
Name: Bonnie Ettinger
Title: 
Firm / Business or Agency: 
Address: City: State: Zip:
Email: 

POSITION: [X] Opponent  

TESTIMONY: [X] Record of Appearance Only

WRITTEN COMMENTS: