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Senator \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Ohio Senate

[Address]

[City, State Zip]

OR

Representative \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Ohio House of Representatives

[Address]

[City, State Zip]

Dear Senator OR Representative \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_:

I am writing on behalf of my family and our employees as one of the 400 small businesses that comprise the Greater Ohio Showmen’s Association. We need your help to save their jobs and our livelihood by enabling the state's fair and festival season to resume this season. The first of 1,300 fairs, shows and community festivals is just around the corner in April (Geauga County Maple Festival).

It was devastating when the Governor singled out small businesses and vetoed SB375. The outdoor amusement industry in Ohio has developed comprehensive safety protocols and procedures, based on CDC guidelines, to keep consumers and employees safe. The mobile amusement industry is as able to protect Ohio fair and festival consumers as our big brother competitors in Sandusky and elsewhere whose operations have been given preferential treatment.

Please consider supporting the reintroduction and approval of SB 375 while there is still time to save the season and afford the industry the time to prepare.  There are thousands of jobs, and tens of millions of dollars of economic impact on the line equated in wages, taxes, license and permits, local and state fees, and the preservation of hundreds of small businesses in communities across the State.

Please help. Thank you!

Sincerely,

Your Name