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To whom it may concern,

As a board member of the Winchester Education Foundation and the Northwestern Community Service Board I fully support HB321 and ask the FOIA Council to establish an Electronic Meetings Subcommittee. Given the lessons learned from COVID, HB321 should be a baseline and I hope you will consider additional revisions to the law that will increase flexibility for electronic meetings and electronic participation, such as allowing members to participate electronically in at least 25% of the meetings held per calendar year.

Sincerely,
Irina B. Khanin