Testimony for the June 23, 2017 Beverage Tax Hearing

Dear Committee,

As a citizen of Philadelphia, I am adamantly opposed the the soda tax imposed by Mayor Kenney and company.

I live in Philadelphia but now have to leave the city to do my food shopping to avoid the soda tax. I am not alone, as many of my neighbors feel the same way. Many of our local businesses are losing their customers due to this arcane, unjustified tax.

I am asking you to eliminate the city's authority to impose this tax.

Thank you.

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