## Jill Cataldi

From: henry@blockisland.com

**Sent:** Monday, June 28, 2021 8:21 AM

**To:** House State Government and Elections Committee

**Cc:** Rep. Ruggiero, Deborah

**Subject:** Written Testimony in favor of HR 2652 Commission to study CRMC Reform

## Dear Chair Shanley

I write today in support of HR 2652 to form a commission to study CRMC reform.

The CRMC was formed in the 1970s to protect Rhode Island's unique and fragile coastal environment but today, because its organizational makeup, has failed to meet this mandate.

The proposed Commission will go a long way towards identifying why this is happening and be able to provide recommendations for restructuring and reform.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely

Henry duPont PO Box 457 Block Island, RI 02807 Henry@blockisland.com 401 741-5136io