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Dear Committee Members and House Leadership,

I am writing in support of 2026 H8400 AN ACT RELATING TO S
GOVERNMENT -- QUONSET DEVELOPMENT CORPORATIO
Representatives Casimiro, Craven, McEntee, Caldwell, Finkelm.

As a former Quonset Development Corporation Board Member ;
Kingstown Town Councilor, I fully understand the need to address
challenges facing Quonset Business Park and Rhode Island's ci

As I see it, the problem with siting a thermal waste conversion fa
of the state's QDC property in North Kingstown is twofold:

1. North Kingstown's population to land area ratio is too dens
compared to other less densely populated Rhode Island tc
2. There is a zoning conflict with the Quonset General Indust
Residential Zone.

Heavy industrial facilities, especially those utilizing newer techn
data, should not be placed in close proximity to residential neigh
critical natural resources such as sole source aquifers for drinkin

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