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To:

**House Finance Committee** 

Subject:

House Bill No. 7208

Chairman Abney and members of the Finance Committee:

I am writing to you today in support of House bill 7208, the Circuit Breaker Property Tax enhancement bill.

This bill will provide property tax relief for senior and disabled residents of Rhode Island who need assistance with housing due to increased property taxes. This is an upgrade to current law as it raises the income eligibility to \$50,000 per year. The max credit amount will increase to \$850. We need to help seniors and those with disabilities stay in their homes as they age and this important legislation can assist with this goal. I ask you to give this your consideration as it will better lives for our citizens.

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