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Attn: Representative Abney, Chair, House Finance Committee and Committee Members

Testimony on H 6149

Relating to Human Services- Rhode Island Meals on Wheels Inc. Fund Before the House Finance Committee and Committee Members

The Rhode Island Farm Bureau is an independent, non-governmental grassroots organization of farm families united to enhance and strengthen the lives of rural Americans, and to build strong, prosperous agricultural communities. Today our over 1000 members are not only large farmers and small farmers but also those engaged in agricultural industries, teachers of agriculture, and consumers.

The Rhode Island Farm Bureau supports **H 6149**, creating a taxpayer check-off on the state personal income tax return, which would help fund the Rhode Island Meals on Wheels Inc. Fund.

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