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Representative Marvin Abney, Chair  
RI House Finance Committee

Dear Chairman Abney and esteemed members of the House Finance Committee,

I am writing in support of House Bill 5473, also known as the "Revenue for Rhode Island" bill, sponsored by Representative Karen Alzate.

I am a disabled adult working full time who is an avid enjoyer and user of public services and parks. It has become increasingly difficult to live and work in Rhode Island when my rent has gone up 18% in 4 years, and my pay has not. Rhode Islanders who are fortunate enough to have multitudes of wealth should be expected to contribute to the society they partake in rather than gentrifying and outpricing the MAJORITY of Rhode Islanders out of the state we know and love. Please consider the futures of every constituent and not just those who build ugly high rises and large development projects.

Respectfully,  
Alex Adara