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Thank you.

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Norman Farland

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Please support the elimination of Rhode Island's state tax on our Social Security income, as House Bill 5474 proposes to do.

State Social Security taxes have reduced the hard-earned income that Rhode Islanders worked for and count on. Especially for those of us on a fixed income.

Rhode Island is one of only 8 states that assesses personal income taxes on our Social Security benefits. I know that you have many important financial decisions to make, however, Social Security was never intended to line the coffers of government. It needs to stop. Please consider the benefit to those of us on fixed incomes.

I urge you to pass House Bill 5474. Thank you for your consideration.

Thank you.

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Catherine Flynn

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Chairman Abney and members of the House Finance Committee,

I'm asking you to please support the elimination of Rhode Island's state tax on Social Security income, as House Bill 5474 proposes to do. My husband and I live almost exclusively on our Social Security benefits. My husband worked three jobs for over 35 years to provide for our family. I worked full-time for 40 years to contribute to our family income needs. We both worked in the field of human services for the entirety of our careers, my husband just retiring in 2023 at the age of 75. We are finding it extremely difficult to meet the increasing prices of EVERYTHING!

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Thank you for taking the time to read this testimony. I urge you to pass House Bill 5474. Please help those who have worked so long and hard to be able to better live in retirement years.

Thank you for your commitment to serve the needs of your constituents.

Best regards,

Deborah Fraumann

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Thank you.

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I'm asking you to support the elimination of Rhode Island's state tax on Social Security income, as House Bill 5474 proposes to do.

So many Rhode Islanders have left our state taking their purchasing power and real estate taxes with them. I urge you to pass this bill, it is long overdue.

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Thank you,

Laura falvey

Thank you.

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