## **Chris O'Brien**

From:

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Sent:

Monday, May 5, 2025 10:09 AM

To:

House Finance Committee

Subject:

Subject: Oppose H6256 - Don't Tax Boats

Dear House Finance, Committee,

As a Rhode Island boater, I strongly oppose H6256.

Reinstating a tax on boats will hurt everyday Rhode Islanders by pricing us out of access to our waters, driving both boaters and marine-related businesses out of state, threatening local jobs and negatively impacting our economy.

For your information we now pay for our mooring (to South Kingstown), for our trailer registration (to the State of Rhode Island), and for our boat registration (also to the State of Rhode Island). Enough already!

Please vote NO on H6256. Don't sink Rhode Island's marine industry.

Sincerely, Alan Morse 500 Camp Fuller Rd. Wakefield, RI 02879