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**From:** andrew tougas <tougas42@live.com>  
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**To:** House Finance Committee  
**Subject:** Oppose H6256 – Don't Tax Boats

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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.*

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

Sincerely,  
Andrew Tougas  
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