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From: Matt Francis <mattfrancisphotos@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 5, 2025 3:50 PM
To: House Finance Committee
Subject: Boat tax

Dear House Finance Committee,

As a Rhode Island boater, I strongly oppose H6256. I will immediately move my boat, and all of it's related services: dockage, fuel purchasing, storage, fishing tackle, bait, etc out of RI if the bill is passed.

Reinstating a tax on boats will drive both boaters and marine-related businesses out of state, threaten local jobs and negatively impact our economy.

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

Sincerely,

Matt Francis
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