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**From:** Michael Marston <marstonma1@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, May 5, 2025 6:18 PM  
**To:** House Finance Committee  
**Subject:** Please Vote NO!

Dear House Finance Committee,

As a Rhode Island boater, I strongly oppose H6256.

Reinstating a tax on boats will drive both boaters and marine-related businesses out of state, threaten local jobs and negatively impact our economy. Maybe look for spending to cut before levying more taxes on the residents of Rhode Island.

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

Sincerely,  
Michael Marston