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From: Shaun Gaus <shaun.gaus@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, May 5, 2025 11:20 AM
To: House Finance Committee
Subject: Oppose H6256 - Don't Tax Boats

Dear House Finance Committee,

As a Rhode Island boater, I strongly oppose H6256.

Reinstating this tax on boats would hurt boat owners and the working families and businesses that rely on recreational boating. This would result in a decline in spending on boats, boats leaving the state, and small marine businesses and local jobs will suffer.

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

Sincerely,

Shaun Gaus
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