## **Chris O'Brien**

From:

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Sent:

Monday, May 5, 2025 8:54 PM

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.

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

This has been tried before and doesn't work it is time to cut spending and reduce taxes.

Sincerely, Steve DiRaimo North Providence RI Sent by Steve