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From: Walter Constantine <walter.constantine@cox.net>
Sent: Monday, May 5, 2025 3:17 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. I have been a boat owner for almost 50 years. Any additional expenses will force me out of boating in Rhode Island.

Sincerely,

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