Dear Rhode Island Representatives,

I urge you to VOTE AGAINST Transportation Bill #6236.

Kindly understand that I am not wealthy. I am a single parent who works full-time and relies upon the bussing to enable me to work!

Both MY TAXES and MY JOB support public schools and all students and communities across Rhode Island. Currently, I work as a contractor for Rhode Island's Executive Office of Health and Human Services to enable expanded Medicaid School-Based Services across all of Rhode Island schools. In a couple years, the work that I am supporting should enable all districts and LEAs to have more federal funding.

My son has certain needs that I think are best met at Meadowbrook Waldorf School. The only public benefit I receive from my tax contribution to the public school system is bussing.

Certainly, this is a priority issue for me and will inform how I vote in upcoming elections.

Thank you for your service, Kelly Gilbride

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