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Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 9:19 PM
To: House Judiciary Committee
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Subject: Oppose H8075

Dear Members of the Finance Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8075 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would require every firearm owner to carry a \$1,000,000 liability insurance policy or lose all ownership rights immediately. This unconstitutional burden would effectively price law-abiding gun owners out of their Second Amendment rights.

Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

Dear Members of the Finance Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8075 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

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Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

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Respectfully,

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I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8075 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

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Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

Dear Members of the Finance Committee,

I respectfully urge you to oppose House Bill H8075 and to protect the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would require firearm owners to obtain a \$1,000,000 liability insurance policy or forfeit their ability to retain ownership. Such a requirement raises significant concerns about affordability and fairness, and could effectively place a substantial burden on individuals seeking to exercise a constitutional right.

The timing and structure of these provisions are also concerning. Many Rhode Islanders made lawful decisions based on prior assurances that existing legislation would not require the forfeiture of legally owned property, particularly for firearms not covered under earlier measures. Introducing additional requirements of this magnitude at a later stage risks undermining public confidence in the legislative process.

More broadly, policies that impose significant financial barriers may disproportionately impact responsible, law-abiding citizens, without necessarily addressing the root causes of unlawful firearm use. A more effective approach would focus on preventing misuse while preserving the rights of those who comply with the law.

For these reasons, I respectfully ask that you reject House Bill H8075.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

Dear Members of the Finance Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8075 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would require every firearm owner to carry a \$1,000,000 liability insurance policy or lose all ownership rights immediately. This unconstitutional burden would effectively price law-abiding gun owners out of their Second Amendment rights.

Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

Dear Members of the Finance Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8075 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would require every firearm owner to carry a \$1,000,000 liability insurance policy or lose all ownership rights immediately. This unconstitutional burden would effectively price law-abiding gun owners out of their Second Amendment rights.

Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Respectfully,

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To: House Judiciary Committee
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Subject: Oppose H8075

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Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Anabella Mayorga

From: Kyle Cunningham kcunningham119@gmail.com via RI Gun Rights
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To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: kcunningham119@gmail.com
Subject: Oppose H8075

Dear Members of the Finance Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8075 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would require every firearm owner to carry a \$1,000,000 liability insurance policy or lose all ownership rights immediately. This unconstitutional burden would effectively price law-abiding gun owners out of their Second Amendment rights.

Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

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Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

Dear Members of the Finance Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8075 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would require every firearm owner to carry a \$1,000,000 liability insurance policy or lose all ownership rights immediately. This unconstitutional burden would effectively price law-abiding gun owners out of their Second Amendment rights.

Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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To: House Judiciary Committee
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Subject: Oppose H8075

Dear Members of the Finance Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8075 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would require every firearm owner to carry a \$1,000,000 liability insurance policy or lose all ownership rights immediately. This unconstitutional burden would effectively price law-abiding gun owners out of their Second Amendment rights.

Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: ben@bennacar.com
Subject: Oppose H7755

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to oppose House Bill H7755, which would require all Rhode Island firearm purchasers to complete an 8-hour safety training course and pass a written test before buying any firearm, including rifles and shotguns.

This is a severe burden on law-abiding gun owners. The current 2-hour requirement already imposes a cost and time barrier. Quadrupling that requirement and extending it to long guns will make legal firearm purchases inaccessible for many Rhode Islanders, particularly those in rural areas or with limited schedules.

I urge you to vote against H7755.

Respectfully,

Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H7755

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

The Rhode Island Constitution, Article I, Section 22 states very clearly with no additional conditions or qualifying statements that "The right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed." Really, that's the whole thing. Bearing arms is a right not a privilege. You may not impose additional costs on that right as the legislature. This legislation is the moral and ethical equivalent to a poll tax and it discriminates against the people who need to protect themselves the most in our society.

I believe you could provide training through the state. However if you are going to require training for people to exercise their rights, you must provide that training for free to all citizens free of charge and it should not present as a barrier or delay in their realization of that right.

I urge you to oppose House Bill H7755, which would require all Rhode Island firearm purchasers to complete an 8-hour safety training course and pass a written test before buying any firearm, including rifles and shotguns.

This is a severe burden on law-abiding gun owners. The current 2-hour requirement already imposes a cost and time barrier. Quadrupling that requirement and extending it to long guns will make legal firearm purchases inaccessible for many Rhode Islanders, particularly those in rural areas or with limited schedules.

I urge you to vote against H7755.

Respectfully,

Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

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Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

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Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

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Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

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Respectfully,

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Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H8075

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Respectfully,

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Respectfully,

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