

Name: Zoe Stephen
Bill: HB 6162
Position: Against

To our RI Legislation:

As a renter in Providence, I rent under a workforce housing program in which the amount of money I can make to keep my current rates is already restricted. These rates are already fairly high, and I work full-time and a decent wage. With the tariffs already throwing our economy into a storm and making it harder for people and businesses to afford their day-to-day, impacting renters and homeowners with higher costs would only make things worse for the residents of Providence. This bill will hurt those struggling to make their bills even further, and will turn residents who are doing fine now into those also struggling with their bills. Please vote against this bill for the good of Providence and to keep the cost of living more affordable for its amazing community.

Best,

Zoe Stephen