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House State Government and Elections Committee; Rep. Ajello, Edith H.; Rep. Baginski, Jacquelyn M.; Rep. Brien, Jon D.; Rep. Corvese, Arthur J.; Rep. Dawson, Matthew S.; Rep. Kennedy, Brian Patrick; Rep. Knight, Jason; Rep. McGaw, Michelle E.; Rep. Newberry, Brian C.; Rep. Paplauskas, Christopher G.; Rep. Shanley, Evan P.; Rep. Shekarchi, K

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Subject:

PASS House Bill 5706 OR Restructure CRMC

Dear Honorable Representative,

I am a retired medical laboratory scientist and now am enjoying my lifelong dream of contributing to betterment of our oceans and currently working as a volunteer at Mystic Aquarium as an education interpreter. I also have long followed the litany of issues with CRMC's pathetic performance and am extremely disappointed why "the Ocean State" cannot have a non-political appointed body of knowledgeable experts to evaluate and make informed decisions about our coastline.

The current CRMC is scandal ridden even up to a previous RI State Supreme Court justice in cahoots with a marina operator. This state's citizens are being played big time and it's time to stop, period! It is indefensible not to make wholesale changes now.

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