
S2795 Pesticide Control -- SUPPORT -- Hearing 4-29-2026

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Dear Chairwoman Sosnowski and Honorable Members of the Rhode Island Senate Environment and Agriculture Committee:

Volunteer Services for Animals strongly supports the restriction/prohibition of rodenticides as proposed in S2795 for many reasons among the strongest of which are environmental and including the protection of birdlife and other land life, the safety of pets, and the possibility of even harming unaware children.

We thank the sponsors of this legislation who we have copied in this email to you, and we thank you for permitting VSA to send this testimony via email.

Very respectfully yours,
Joanne Rongo
Chair of the Board of Directors

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