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To: House Environment and Natural Resources Committee
Subject: In favor of House bill 8093

To Chairman Bennett and house environment and natural resources committee members,

I am writing in favor of house bill 8093.

House bill 8093 proposes establishing Rhode Island's fresh water lake management program which would be beneficial for several reasons.

It aims to preserve the state's fresh water resources which provide various benefits such as recreational opportunities, flood mitigation and habitat provision for native wildlife and plants. Establishing the Rhode Island Lake management fund would provide dedicated funding for projects to enhance water quality and habitat. This program represents a proactive approach to safe guarding Rhode Island's fresh water ecosystems for current and future generations.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully,

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