

Stefan Dipippo 593 Mineral Spring Ave Unit 416 Pawtucket RI 02860

Representative Marvin Abney, Chair RI House Finance Committee

Dear Chairman Abney and members of the House Finance Committee,

I am writing in support of House Bill 6189, also known as the "Taylor Swift Tax."

Snowbirds should have a larger tax burden, as they own housing that is left vacant for the majority of the year, while working class Rhode Islanders face an unprecedented housing crisis. Tax revenue collected should go for low cost & no cost housing, harm prevention facilities, and development of green spaces and programs that bring working class children from the urban areas into green spaces.

Respectfully, Stefan DiPippo