

Roberta DiMezza

From: David Sisson <dave@ds-arch.com>
Sent: Sunday, March 16, 2025 9:10 AM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Subject: Support H5505 - Emotional Support Animals

Dear Committee Clerk DiMezza,

Hello, I SUPPORT H5505 - a bill that helps protect tenants with disabilities. Right now, under current RI law, housing providers cannot differentiate between tenants with actual disabilities and tenants who are simply trying to bring a pet into a unit where it otherwise wouldn't be allowed. In fact, under current law, tenants can bring any sort of animal, including animals that shouldn't be housed inside homes. This bill provides protection to our vulnerable population of disabled tenants and protects housing providers as well. Please vote for this important bill.

Sincerely,

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