

I've spent 68 years of my life to Rhode Island, both living and working here.

Bill H8182 is a direct assault on the vibrant fabric of our state, threatening to strangle the short-term rental market with oppressive regulations. From excessive fees to intrusive inspections, this bill spells disaster for our local economies, putting countless small businesses and their employees at risk.

If passed, this legislation would empower towns like Narragansett to wield unprecedented control over who can reside within their borders, trampling on fundamental property rights.

I stand firm in my opposition to this bill, not just as a resident of Narragansett, but as a staunch defender of property rights and the principles that make Rhode Island great.

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