

I am writing to **oppose** Bill numbers SB 1024, SB 1026, SB 1027, HB 6107, HB 6611, HB 6612, HB 6613.

These bills will remove local controls by individual municipalities. Residents deserve the opportunity to voice their opinions at public hearings with their town's/city's Planning and Zoning Commissions. A "one size fits all" approach will not work. Local residents have a better understanding of the needs and issues in their town/city rather than a dictated approach from the State. Many provisions in these bills will cause undue stress on finances, infrastructure, and conservation efforts. Please respect local decision making and municipal charters, and vote NO on these bills.

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