

The following comments are in respect of Bill Numbers *HB 6107, HB 6611, HB 6612, HB 6613, SB 1024, SB 1026, and SB 1027.*

Having been involved in historic preservation over the past several decades (as a Director of the CT Trust and Chairman of the Southport Conservancy) and as a lifelong resident, I am keenly aware of what makes Connecticut a unique and attractive environment in which to live and work. The historic and unique characteristics of the State are best preserved when only local communities have control of their environments. It is my opinion that state-mandated zoning would destroy the every essence of what makes Connecticut, well, Connecticut.

Regards,

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