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Subject: Tax Hike - Public Hearing Testimony

Dear Senator Fasano and Representative Klarides:

I am adamantly opposed to further increases in taxes in this state.

Connecticut taxes are already among the highest in the nation. What is needed is to prioritize and cut spending, and follow through in the form of oversight on the part of state office/agency/department management. Wasteful and gratuitous spending of taxpayer monies must be reined in.

Many businesses and residents are leaving the state due to cost of living - most of which is driven by high taxes. An increased tax burden will only serve to increase those choosing to do so.

Should taxes be increased, I will certainly consider making that same decision and acting upon it.

The Constitution State has become a Nanny State, and is charging its citizens dearly in the form of taxes to pay for it. I wholeheartedly support the fiscal conservatism and spirit embodied in the Connecticut Republican Blueprint for Prosperity.

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