

TOWN OF EXETER, RI

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Ernie Almonte, Executive Director RI League of Cities and Towns One State Street, Suite 502 Providence, RI 02908

RE:

House Bill 2022 - H8220 Substitute A An Act Relating to Taxation – Levy and Assessment of Local Taxes

Dear Mr. Almonte:

The Exeter Town Council voted unanimously at its regularly scheduled meeting of August 1, 2022, to request the League's support for legislation that can mitigate the negative effects of House Bill 2022—H8220 Substitute A, An Act Relating to Taxation – Levy and Assessment of Local Taxes.

This recently enacted legislation limits any potential taxing benefits that utility scale solar arrays would have provided to the Town.

Sincerely,

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Copies to

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State Representative Juilie Casimiro State Representative Justin Price

Exeter Town Council

TOWN COUNCIL

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