



TESTIMONY
of the
CONNECTICUT CONFERENCE OF MUNICIPALITIES
to the
HOUSING COMMITTEE

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CCM is Connecticut's statewide association of towns and cities and the voice of local government - your partners in governing Connecticut. Our members represent over 93% of Connecticut's population. We appreciate this opportunity to provide testimony to you on issues of concern to towns and cities.

Raised Bill 6462 "An Act Concerning the Department of Economic and Community Development."

R.B 6462 would require that DECD conduct an annual study of the housing policies of the state by collecting information from municipalities, housing authorities and nonprofit corporations engaged in housing programs.

CCM urges that DECD, within the context of this study, develop and strengthen programs that provide greater flexibility and funding for municipalities.

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