



CCM 2012 Testimony

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The Connecticut Conference of Municipalities (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 90% of Connecticut's population. We appreciate the opportunity to testify on bills of interest to towns and cities.

H.B. 5319, "An Act Increasing Fines for Violations of Municipal Blight Ordinances"

CCM supports this bill.

H.B. 5319 would be a tool towns and cities could use to curb blight and make communities more livable. It would allow communities to assume a greater role in ensuring the health and safety of residents.

CCM urges the Committee to favorably report this bill.

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