

Keith Cagle Fairfield County League of Sportsman, Connecticut Conservation Advisory Council  
To the distinguished members of the environmental committee.

Please support HB 6034 Bowhunting on PRIVATE land.

I speak for over 5000 sportsman in Fairfield County.

I belong to three clubs that own over 900 acres plus my own 1.3acres.

If you do not support this bill I am sure you will support the common sense approach to oppression and support a 1/7 tax break. Would you agree that there is no other activity that's legal six days a week, and for no sensible reason illegal on Sunday? It was a very interesting day Friday at the hearings, I learned about shellfish, Ct wine and percentages of grapes and beagles. I also support HB5707 because I am a hunter, conservationist and an animal lover as I believe most outdoorsmen are. The fact that puzzles me the most after listening to testimony and reading the written testimony by the opponents of HB6034 is trespassing. Since this bill has nothing to do with public land and everything to do with private land why do people feel they have the right to trespass?

My last point is please understand that this bill is about opportunity as the bag limit does not increase with another day of hunting. Please respect tax payers rights for them and their guests and let us use our own property as we see fit.

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