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I oppose this bill as it is pinpointing a certain group of boaters. It is unfair to the businesses that have built such a community of boaters, it is a family and group you join. You are putting jobs at jeopardy as well as everyone who owns these boats. The people that live on the water CHOSE to live on the water, they can easily move somewhere different if they dont like the boats. Their docks are on a PUBLIC water way, it is their job to maintain them. The true erosion and damage to docks is coming from the 25 ft rise of water in the winter and the rapid current that rolls through daily during the winter. Reconsider and recognize all groups of boaters. This pinpointing is unfair.

Thank you.