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Senator Julie Kushner, Chairman
Representative Emmanuel Sanchez, Chairman
Senator Rob Sampson, Ranking Member
Representative Steve Weir, Ranking Member
Labor and Public Employees Committee
Room 3800
Legislative Office Building
Hartford, CT

Dear Committee Leadership,

Because individual members may only propose bills of a financial nature this year, I would ask that the Labor and Public Employees Committee raise a bill that says that the general statutes be amended to increase the prevailing wage threshold for renovations to a minimum of four hundred thousand dollars and to require thresholds for new construction and renovations to be indexed annually to reflect the effects of inflation. This provision would potentially allow municipalities to significantly reduce the costs of their necessary infrastructure needs and pass the savings onto local property taxpayers while increasing competition and access for construction and renovation projects.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

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Rob Sampson
State Senator – 16th District

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Gale Mastrofrancesco".

Gale Mastrofrancesco
State Representative- 80th District

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Anne Dauphinais".

Anne Dauphinais
State Representative – 44th District