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When I heard about this proposal I was very surprised and disappointed that the government would try to do this. I am vehemently opposed to this tactic to extract yet more money from those who already pay substantial property taxes. We have owned a place in Cumberlandcounty for over twenty years and spend a lot when we are there. And now that we are retired we spend 4-5 months there and spend more. We employ residents to do work on our property and try to support the local businesses instead of using Amazon . We know that any contribution to the local economy is important and essential to be a good citizen. Also we grew up in the area and just happen to live out of province so it rubs us even more the wrong way because we feel like a local but are not treated as such by the government if this is approved. And it will certainly make anyone from outside the provincial border think twice about buying a place in NS.

I am not sure what the goal is with this tax. Except more taxation.

Regards. Cindy Gaudet

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