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Subject: HB 338 Senior Property Tax Exemptions

I fully support allowing municipalities to eliminate the unfunded state mandated senior property tax exemption. The senior population in many areas of Alaska is burgeoning and local governments are increasingly short of cash to support essential services. I also support allowing the municipalities to extend an exemption to limited-income or hardship seniors. Seniors do contribute significantly to local economies, but so do other age brackets. All of us should help fund necessary government.

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