

0 I Support Passage of Vermont House Bill 846-Exemption of Military Retirement Pay from State Tax.			
#	Date	Name	Comments
1	01/15/20	PETER E GADUE	
2	01/15/20	Robert Tower	It is time to honor those that have made many sacrifices.
3	01/15/20	William Hood	Has my support
4	01/15/20	Karin Kasupski	
5	01/15/20	Ken Dattilio	
6	01/15/20	Edward Lambert	I agree we are losing to many retired military, and people with high taxes for retirement
7	01/15/20	Dan Bagley	
8	01/15/20	Reginald B Anair	I'm a military retiree and this would be great if passed.
9	01/15/20	Meagan Kunkle	
10	01/15/20	Linda Fowler	Please think about all of the things in your daily life that you pay for. Retirees do the same which contributes to our Vermont economy. Retirees also give back to the community in many ways - either through part time employment or volunteering for organizations such as senior centers, schools, fraternal organizations, mentorship, etc. Every Vermont citizen "owns" a little piece of the puzzle that we call home. The state created a plan to "pay" people from other states to move to Vermont. But what are we doing to keep those from leaving? Due to this tax, many of those I served with immediately left Vermont after meeting their military retirement requirements, or they did not return after having served on active duty elsewhere. I myself, plan to relocate as it is currently very expensive to live in the State of Vermont. The majority of military retirees continue to work in civilian occupations after leaving the armed forces. Considering that Vermont is currently facing a significant population and workforce shortage, it is doubly unfortunate that our state is not doing what it can to incentivize our military community to remain here. With major military installations existing around the Northeast, Vermont has an opportunity to attract a diverse community of military retirees who would move here to live and work in our local communities. These veterans would bring with them desperately needed professional skills, like the emergency services backgrounds Vermont's leaders have identified as lacking in our rural towns. Additionally, the relatively low revenue gained by this tax would almost certainly be offset by the influx of military retirees who would pay other state taxes, while contributing to Vermont as valuable community members. Please consider the overwhelming benefit of retaining and attracting military retirees to Vermont - Support H.435!
11	01/15/20	Shannon Trainer	Please pass this bill to exempt military pensions!
12	01/15/20	Brian Perry	As a Retired veteran and former Veterans Outreach worker. I saw first hand how many retired veterans struggled to make ends meet in VT. Many like myself have moved from our homes in VT to more veteran friendly states. Please consider this bill and show your respect and support for your veterans.
13	01/15/20	Mario Boudreault	As a retired military veteran please help us, I don't want to move out of Vermont.
14	01/15/20	Linda Fowler	
15	01/15/20	Brenda Wells	
16	01/15/20	Robert Perham	
17	01/15/20	Catherine Royer	Some gave some, some gave all. Please pass this bill. Signed a native Vermont/Active Duty, twice/Army National Guard Member/Full-time Vermont Military Technician.
18	01/15/20	Edward Matayka	
19	01/15/20	Timothy P Hodet	Too many of VT's veterans are moving out of state. Reverse the trend
20	01/15/20	Erin graham	
21	01/15/20	Patricia Howes	Totally agree with this bill. OK legislators, now pass it!
22	01/15/20	Bill Shrack	
23	01/15/20	Travis Perry	
24	01/15/20	Michael Martell	
25	01/15/20	Sheena Chadwick	
26	01/15/20	James Chadwick	

27	01/15/20	Terri Sabens	Absolutely
28	01/15/20	Catherine L Blodgett	As a veteran this is a bill that needs to be passed to retain those valuable members of our communities in Vermont.
29	01/15/20	Chelsea Delphia	
30	01/15/20	Susanne Dunn	
31	01/15/20	Nicole Laba	
32	01/15/20	Mark Grant	I am retired Military Veteran with 21 years of honorable service. Afghanistan Combat Veteran as well. I left Vermont in 2015 because I just could not afford to live there. I was born and raised in Addison County and raised my family there as well. I would like to move back HOME but with property taxes the way they are it's almost impossible. This would be a good first step and join many other States in honoring our service and sacrifices.
33	01/15/20	Sherrri Morin	It's about time we fully support of military.
34	01/15/20	Matthew Schwarzman	It's about time for this!
35	01/15/20	Bill LaPointe	This would go a long way to persuade military retirees to stay in the state with their pensions and properties.
36	01/15/20	Sue King	
37	01/15/20	Allan C Lane	I am a retired military veteran. Daily my wife and I have the discussion about selling our home and moving out of Vermont. We have actively looked at NH and Massachusetts as they both have better tax situations For military retired. My family goes back to the early 1800's here in Vermont but Vermont just is NOT friendly to retirees.
38	01/15/20	Tom Boddy	
39	01/15/20	MIKE LUSSIER	We won't support you if you don't support us.
40	01/15/20	Thomas Comes	
41	01/15/20	Skyler Genest	
42	01/15/20	Richard Lizzari	Fully support, VT has to make retirement here more attractive for Military Retirees.
43	01/15/20	Lisa Pettrey-Gill	
44	01/15/20	Linda Sheehey	
45	01/15/20	Raymond Laroche	
46	01/15/20	John Paro	
47	01/15/20	James Desranleau	This needs to happen!!
48	01/15/20	Kevin Stevens	
49	01/15/20	Bernadette Babin	
50	01/15/20	Gabriel Lajeunesse	
51	01/15/20	Raylene Meunier	So important and a must!
52	01/15/20	Heather Powell	
53	01/15/20	Regan Dickinson	
54	01/15/20	Thomas Kinley	This needs to happen to support the soldiers who have dedicated a good portion of their life to this country. If there's an issue with income place a maximum income on those who can receive the tax exemption
55	01/15/20	Faith Copeland	
56	01/15/20	Chad May	
57	01/15/20	Patricia Lavery	
58	01/15/20	Erin Quinn	
59	01/15/20	Lori Bernier	Enough taxing the middle class out of house and home! Social Security shouldn't be taxed either, citizens were taxed when they initially made the money; shame on Vermont for double jeopardy taxing over and over! Stop taxing us out of Vermont! Re-organize current programs that are being abused by many, drug testing before receiving welfare etc. The future is in your hands on whether Vermont becomes a ghost state!
60	01/15/20	Amy pierzchalski	

61	01/15/20	Shawn Bryan	
62	01/15/20	Roger Chauvin Jr	
63	01/15/20	Ellen Abbott	
64	01/15/20	Roger Chauvin Jr.	
65	01/15/20	Candida Smith	I strongly believe our men and woman of the military have sacrificed enough for our country. Shame on USA for having to even consider this an option. When Congress gives up their earnings, lifetime healthcare and astronomical retirement benefits is when we will see a landslide of funds to utilize towards the right purpose. Becoming wealthy in Congress should not be the standard, it should be illegal. Corruption being paid for by taxing our veterans. Sickening and disgusting.
66	01/15/20	Bethany Johnson	As a Veteran I support this
67	01/15/20	James Lacourse	
68	01/15/20	John Jacob	
69	01/15/20	Donald Emery	
70	01/15/20	Ralph Messenger	As a retired vet, this is a very important measure to take for all
71	01/15/20	Richard Gray	
72	01/15/20	Rachel Sweet	
73	01/15/20	Tammy Cayia	They put their lives on the line for us.. This is the least we can do.
74	01/15/20	David Lavallee	
75	01/15/20	Armand Hebert	
76	01/15/20	Archie Hodgdon	I feel that all pensions, but especially military pensions should be tax exempt
77	01/16/20	Brandy Plowman	Yes please. My widowed Mother Needs this!
78	01/16/20	steve lamonda	
79	01/16/20	Lynn Hendricks	Great incentive to stay in Vermont. Love the state but looking into moving to a state that does
80	01/16/20	Catherine Molind	
81	01/16/20	Duane Thompson	Please show great respect of our retire military personnel who have dedicate years of service to protect and service our State and Country.
82	01/16/20	Theresa Cote	
83	01/16/20	Jeff Mcneil	
84	01/16/20	Mary Jo Clark	
85	01/16/20	Jennifer L Sanderson	
86	01/16/20	Patti Bourbeau	
87	01/16/20	Bill Noyes	
88	01/16/20	Pierrette Monteith	I'm from a very strong military family. They give their lives for us. Taxes should come from other than them.
89	01/16/20	Richard S Smith	
90	01/16/20	Cheryl Underwood	
91	01/16/20	Dan Tremblay	
92	01/16/20	Amy Anderson	Soldiers risk everything for us and deserve a break. Congress sits there and gets lifetime golden parachutes and benefits. The taxes can easily be made up by cutting congresses unearned, outrageous benefits.
93	01/16/20	Troy Revis	
94	01/16/20	Toby Brace	Vets need more benifits. Plus how much would the state really loose, pennies?
95	01/16/20	Joseph E Nelson	Former VT Guard
96	01/16/20	Scott Botelho	
97	01/16/20	Erik Bailey	It's only right.
98	01/16/20	Cheryl Smith	

99	01/16/20	Lisa Moss	
100	01/16/20	Wayne E Johnson	Presently a VTANG member upon retirement I am planning to move out of state if my retirement is taxed.
101	01/16/20	Angeline Tremblay	They put there life on the line, now you have to tax them some more when the time comes
102	01/16/20	David Perron	Help us or we all leave
103	01/16/20	Kyle J Small	
104	01/16/20	Matthew Progen	
105	01/16/20	Jason Finney	to little to late for me and my family as we will be leaving this state even if this passes as the cost of living is too great and the idiots in charge just want to add more taxes as I watch my birth state become a craphole :(but for those who remain would be good for them :)
106	01/16/20	Karen Groseclose	
107	01/16/20	Jamie Chauvin	
108	01/16/20	Dawn Pelkey	
109	01/16/20	April Merrill	I support H.435
110	01/16/20	Kate Irish	
111	01/16/20	Doug Cross	
112	01/16/20	Melanie Cote	
113	01/16/20	Steve Coe	
114	01/16/20	Joseph Johnston	
115	01/16/20	George Gattone	
116	01/16/20	Charlene Kearney	
117	01/16/20	Rocky Harlow	Absolutely!!!
118	01/16/20	Harold St Francis Sr	I support H.435
119	01/16/20	Becky Johnson	
120	01/16/20	Daniel Molind	Vermont needs to do more to support veterans that have given a lifetime of guarding the freedoms of others.
121	01/16/20	Damien Larose	
122	01/16/20	Kevin M Bedard	
123	01/16/20	Roger Etherington	
124	01/16/20	Kay Mitchell	Service members have already paid in full. They shouldn't have their retirement taxed.
125	01/16/20	Joel Stoddert	
126	01/16/20	Shannon Blake	It's the right thing to do.
127	01/16/20	Eva Dixon	
128	01/16/20	Danny Williams	
129	01/16/20	Cassidy Tiraboschi	I support this 100 percent!
130	01/16/20	Wayne Leclair	Veterans need much more !
131	01/16/20	Kevin Jewer	
132	01/16/20	Frederick Hint	
133	01/16/20	Debbie Hill	Absolutely!!
134	01/16/20	Sally Sweet	
135	01/16/20	Allen Jacobs	I support passage of the Bill, we have to many Veterans, homeless, medical, moving out of state because of high taxes.
136	01/16/20	Renee Hotaling	I support H.435
137	01/16/20	Pamela Tiraboschi	
138	01/16/20	Brain Decatur	This will help my decision whether to leave Vermont or not. I just cant afford to live in my own state.

139	01/16/20	Valarie Roberts	
140	01/16/20	Dan Herriman	This tax is one more reason it's so expensive to live in VT. Most military retirees are also on disability. Very sad. Please, fix it.
141	01/16/20	James Poirier	
142	01/16/20	David Patterson	Take care of our Veterans!!!
143	01/16/20	Paulette Gundlach	
144	01/16/20	Maureen	
145	01/16/20	Ed Gamelin	Please pass this bill. We are taxed enough already.
146	01/16/20	Timothy Copeland	
147	01/16/20	Debra Ennis	I support this bill.
148	01/16/20	Bruce Goodbred	
149	01/16/20	Catherine Paya	
150	01/16/20	Jim Greene	
151	01/16/20	Patricia Titus	
152	01/16/20	Scott DuBray	
153	01/16/20	Roger Hunt	We should include Social Security too!
154	01/16/20	Everett Fryman	Long past due!
155	01/16/20	Bonnie Lacaillade	
156	01/16/20	Courtney McCullough	
157	01/16/20	Pete Underwood	
158	01/16/20	Melissa Archer	Something has got to change, Vermont is losing such amazing, dedicated families. There is no way we can afford to live here once I am retired.
159	01/16/20	Melody ives	AND PAID MEDICAL LEAVE.. AND FREE MEDICAL,DENTAL, AND VISION FOR ALL MILITARY AND THEIR FAMILIES WHO RISKED THEIR LIVES OVERSEAS AT WAR FOR THEIR COUNTRY..
160	01/16/20	Andrew Beeman	We have so many talented Vermonters who love Vermont but leave (or don't come back) when they retire from the military because of what they will have to pay in taxes. Many of these people continue to work (often in high-paying jobs) while collecting their military benefits, and would still be contributing an income tax in that regard.
161	01/16/20	Dustin Knight	
162	01/16/20	Dwight DeCoster	
163	01/16/20	Erin Shackford	
164	01/16/20	John OConnor	
165	01/16/20	Doris J Sumner	
166	01/16/20	Barb Greck	
167	01/16/20	Eric J Dodge	Keep our Vets here! Bring more Vets here! Honest, hard-working, professionals! Exactly the kind of citizens we should retain and attract! Let them spend their retirement money in Vermont!!!
168	01/16/20	Graham Bresette	
169	01/16/20	Michael E Jacobs	I support this bill.
170	01/16/20	Scott Tousignant	
171	01/16/20	Mart Lou Beaulieu	
172	01/16/20	Christina Churchill	
173	01/16/20	Kelly Sabens	
174	01/16/20	Terri Goss	That would be so ice to have all those covered with this insurance
175	01/16/20	Toby Quick	Moving is something does not change for our veterans in VT

176	01/16/20	Brian Griffin	
177	01/16/20	Donald Rousseau	I am a retired SMSGT, VTANG. I am for this legislation particularly since I retired in 2014 yet I cannot collect my retirement until 2031. The least our state could do is not tax me on it, after 22-1/2 of distinguished service.
178	01/16/20	Bernard Corliss	
179	01/16/20	James Hall	Long overdue!
180	01/16/20	Bob Case	
181	01/16/20	Gordon Willey	
182	01/16/20	Christina Walsh	
183	01/16/20	Roger Nadeau	
184	01/16/20	Lloyd Goodrow	Stop the draining of retired military veterans who are leaving Vermont. They are reentering the workforce elsewhere and Vermont is losing them every day.
185	01/16/20	Allan Willey	I support this petition
186	01/16/20	Ed O'Neill	We need to keep our Vermont families here. It is well worth the loss of tax dollars to Vermont and is long overdue as well as the right thing to do!
187	01/16/20	Mark Huntington	
188	01/16/20	David Heinemann	The military are often overlooked once their service is done. They fought for and deserve better.
189	01/16/20	John Bilodeau	In all the way!!!! Extra \$ will all of us. Very glad to see help go for us.
190	01/16/20	Timothy Bruner	I support this bill 100%
191	01/16/20	Eric Boudro	
192	01/16/20	Richard LaRouche	I support this bill
193	01/16/20	Evan Hamilton	I fully support Vermont House Bill 435!
194	01/16/20	Stephen Murphy	This veteran (with no retirement pay) is absolutely for this bill. Military retirement pay should not be taxed.
195	01/16/20	Shannon Greig	
196	01/16/20	Dennis Briggs	I served our country and state as a member of the Vermont Army National Guard for 27 years. Though never mobilized for for a combat mission, at the time I joined I wrote a check to our country payable up to and including the value of my life. I did however serve many days and nights supporting recovery operations for disasters from train wrecks, floods and ice storms.
197	01/16/20	Earl Doe	
198	01/16/20	Marcie Hawkins	
199	01/16/20	Brian k crowley	
200	01/16/20	Shawn Bickford	
201	01/16/20	Bonnie Haselton	
202	01/16/20	Steven Ambrose	
203	01/16/20	Mark Audy	
204	01/16/20	Betty wheeler	Definitely keep retirees in state!
205	01/16/20	Kevin Ose	
206	01/16/20	Linda Hazard	
207	01/16/20	Jill A Conti	
208	01/16/20	Gerald Paul Irvine	
209	01/16/20	Paul Simpson	
210	01/16/20	Richard Gallo	It is time!
211	01/16/20	Bonnie Ratta	
212	01/16/20	Barbara Watters	It's the least we can do for the men and women who have served our country. Maybe more military retirees will STAY in Vermont.
213	01/16/20	Mark Nicoletti	

214	01/16/20	Patrick creamer	
215	01/16/20	Bill Schmitt	I'm currently a Florida resident because taxes in Vermont are burdensome for not only military retirees but on every day Vermonters. The Vermont legislature needs to stop their tax and spend and tax some more ways and figure out how to reduce the cost of living in Vermont.
216	01/16/20	W Harper Mitchell	The State of Vermont is willing to give people from other states money to move here, but not willing to take care of those who have served them and our state through the military. You wonder why people are moving out of VT to states that give us a break. Start fixing it with this bill!
217	01/16/20	Kristina	
218	01/16/20	Lisa Currier	You should make retirement pay for the military tax fee they already sacrificed so much for our state and country!!
219	01/16/20	Patricia A Lyman	Military men and women have paid enough. I support this bill.
220	01/16/20	Ed Anderson	Vermont should exempt military retired pay 100%. If I could afford to a non tax state I would. Bad enough I forfeit my retired pay penny for penny to receive my VA retired pay because I did not achieve twenty years service.. The answer in this state is raise taxes all the time and pay tax money to get out of staters move in .. Novel idea take care of the people that live here !!
221	01/16/20	Michelle Garner	
222	01/16/20	Vern Brosky III	
223	01/16/20	John Tatro	
224	01/16/20	Slade Farnham	
225	01/16/20	Corrine Bonnette	The men and women who serve and protect us have already pledged something much more valuable than money the least we can do in return is to not tax their pay.
226	01/16/20	Rita Wells	
227	01/16/20	John Letourneau	We are overtaxed as it is
228	01/16/20	David Cole	
229	01/16/20	James R Hemingway	
230	01/16/20	Linda	
231	01/16/20	William Barrett	
232	01/16/20	Clifton Vorse	It's time for VT to support its military retirees
233	01/16/20	Rick Jean	
234	01/16/20	Ronald Schoolcraft	
235	01/16/20	James Kurfis	
236	01/16/20	Meegan Delphia	
237	01/16/20	Bo Willoughby	
238	01/16/20	Deborah Ducharme	We have seen many retired military friends move from their Vermont homes to relocate in states where there is no tax on their military retirement. Moving out of state after retiring is a consideration for our family as well due to the high rate of taxes.
239	01/16/20	Marcel Laramee	we have vets leaving this state and moving to tax free states. I know at least 12 or more people that have moved.
240	01/16/20	John Medenwald	
241	01/16/20	Kenneth Stratton	
242	01/16/20	Cara Brown	
243	01/16/20	Michelle Anderson	
244	01/16/20	Steven Glover	They gave us all, they shouldnt have to continue when they retire.
245	01/16/20	Paul St Jabmes	
246	01/16/20	Joel Whitney	
247	01/16/20	Matt Amstein	They deserve it. This is a big thank you for your service.
248	01/16/20	John C Montgomery	We served voluntarily. Leave our retirement alone!
249	01/16/20	Whitney Ovitt	

250	01/16/20	Erik Willis	Taxation is theft!
251	01/16/20	Dennis Hamel	
252	01/16/20	Gina Chabot	
253	01/16/20	Ken Stockwell	
254	01/16/20	Thomas A Fraga	After twenty years of service, as an E-6, former Crew Chief, of UH-1H helicopters, that saved life's, to include the train Wreck in Essex, and numerous other occasions. We all did our part as citizen soldiers, I get a check for less than Five hundred dollars, it all goes to pay my taxes. after taxes are taken out!
255	01/16/20	Bryan Lumsden	
256	01/16/20	Robert Delorme	Vermont has taken taxes from veterans for years...isn't it time for the legislature to consider supporting those veterans who have given their best to the State?
257	01/16/20	Robert Gingras	Away on orders but a Vermonter
258	01/16/20	Terry Lambert	
259	01/16/20	Edward Deuso	
260	01/16/20	Bruce McRae	Retired military folks deserve something in return for putting their lives on the line for state and country. Now is the time to make their retirement pay tax free as it is in many other states.
261	01/16/20	Ronald Rogers	I served while living in Vermont. Please consider leaving their retirement alone.
262	01/17/20	Laura Urquhart	
263	01/17/20	BÄrrbel Paradis	
264	01/17/20	Raymond Forsell	This idea is a great one. I am not a retired veteran so have no personal benefit from it.
265	01/17/20	Kathleen Hammond	I support this bill.
266	01/17/20	David Leonard	
267	01/17/20	Chelsey Christino	
268	01/17/20	Barbara Purinton	
269	01/17/20	Jennifer Simpson	Highly skilled, hard working men and women are leaving the state because of this.
270	01/17/20	Susan West	
271	01/17/20	Adam Rice	Leaving state in 3 years unless this bill passes.
272	01/17/20	Linda Lemay-Richard	Make VT affordable again, keep military members stop taxing us to death.
273	01/17/20	Erika Procopio	
274	01/17/20	Georgette	
275	01/17/20	Timothy Brisson	
276	01/17/20	Heather Kelley	
277	01/17/20	Richard Wells	All retirement, except that of congressional perrsons, should be exempt form taxation.
278	01/17/20	Paul K Campbell	
279	01/17/20	Susan Cutting	No ones retirement should be taxed, not even social security
280	01/17/20	Shannon Haskell	
281	01/17/20	Harold Lyon	
282	01/17/20	Daniel Martell	
283	01/17/20	Carolyn Haggett	
284	01/17/20	Hazel Kreider	
285	01/17/20	Stynor W Carter Jr	
286	01/17/20	Ian Graham	Yes
287	01/17/20	Clem Devlin	Good luck

288	01/17/20	Martin Silverstrim	Love Vermont, but our retirement plan is to live out of state for half the year and establish residency elsewhere unless things change. We'll become tourists rather than stay Vermont residents.
289	01/17/20	Phil passamoni	
290	01/17/20	Mark Churchill	
291	01/17/20	Kurt Miller	About time to recognize our sacrifice and service.
292	01/17/20	Richard Kelley	
293	01/17/20	Rod Brigham	
294	01/17/20	Susan Abair	Support our hard working, always on call, ready to serve their community, state and country.
295	01/17/20	Christopher Joseph Poirier	
296	01/17/20	Michellyn Perras	
297	01/17/20	Sandra Croisetiere	
298	01/17/20	Elizabeth Wojciechowski	
299	01/17/20	Roger tod	
300	01/17/20	Simon Kribstock	
301	01/17/20	Christina Brown	
302	01/17/20	Richard D Haggerty	
303	01/17/20	David F Freeman	Many of my military retiree brothers have been and are moving out of State due to the extremely high taxes. This certainly would help keep these good folks in VT.
304	01/17/20	Morton Greenwood	
305	01/17/20	Gary Hakey	
306	01/17/20	Joseph kulakowski	Were losing vets and other elderly to other states because of taxes and same goes with social security.
307	01/17/20	David Guyette	
308	01/17/20	Louis H Mossey III	With the graying of Vermont, it would be a good idea to keep some of us here after retirement. Passage of this bill will help.
309	01/17/20	Eric Delbert Chates	
310	01/17/20	Lealand Graham	Show appreciation for the sacrifices made by these selfless vets for our society.
311	01/17/20	Lynn Bedell	
312	01/17/20	Leigh Girouard	Between properties tax and state income On a retirement income, it is becoming more and more difficult to stay in Vermont. Not to mention tax on Social Security... Considering moving to a state that does not- So, the Vermont will not get my my local spending dollars.
313	01/17/20	Tom Drew	
314	01/17/20	George P Wisell	Retired to Georgia, where the tax laws give preferential treatment to military, both serving and veterans.
315	01/17/20	Lou Bello	
316	01/17/20	Marianne Cataldo	
317	01/17/20	Mary Dermody	
318	01/17/20	PATRICK J AUGOSTINO	Moved to Florida due to high taxes in Vermont!
319	01/17/20	Judith Snow	
320	01/17/20	David Gouchoe	It's time to support veterans who supported Vermonters in the past.
321	01/17/20	Scott Lobdell	
322	01/17/20	Jim Barr	This would really help retirees and veterans ability to live in Vermont and the Northeast.
323	01/17/20	Pam Blair	
324	01/17/20	Richard Brodeur	If retirees stayed in VT it would add to in state work force. I see help wanted signs just about everywhere that I travel through out the state.
325	01/17/20	Kevin Brown	
326	01/17/20	Matthew Melen	

327	01/17/20	David de Grasse	
328	01/17/20	Paul E Croteau	I support this bill. I still have my residency in VT but I have a second home in FL. If things don't change in VT soon I will be calling FL home. They don't have a state income tax.
329	01/17/20	Sean Tatro	
330	01/17/20	Tim Gariboldi	This is way over due. And the law makers of Vermont should be ashamed they didn't do this sooner. Still not going to keep me in Vermont when I retire but it may keep those who are.
331	01/17/20	Jodi Quigley	
332	01/17/20	Wayne Thebarge	This would make a huge difference for me deciding to retire in VT or move.
333	01/17/20	Todd Trombley	Pay up.
334	01/17/20	Michelle Colbert	
335	01/17/20	Judy Grupp	
336	01/17/20	Maureen Companion	
337	01/17/20	Robert Bridges	
338	01/17/20	Jeffrey Hodgdon	This is providing a small tax break for those who sacrificed much for their state and nation. Long overdue.
339	01/17/20	Sherry Dulong	
340	01/17/20	Kim Herne	
341	01/17/20	John Marcotte	
342	01/17/20	Melinda Crosby	
343	01/17/20	Mindy Vincent	
344	01/17/20	David Hale	Retired MSG
345	01/17/20	Daniel Guertin	The sacrifices of Veterans could not be measured in dollars. With out their work none of us would have our freedom. Please lets give them this break.
346	01/17/20	Richard Hosking	Vermont needs to do everything to help Vermont Vetrans
347	01/17/20	Margaret Brownell	
348	01/17/20	Brian Rooney	
349	01/17/20	Paula Banyea	
350	01/17/20	Allen Audette Jr	
351	01/17/20	Reen Perry	
352	01/17/20	Caroline Bradley	If this bills passes we will stay in Vt
353	01/17/20	Christina Phelps	
354	01/18/20	Andrew A Conley	
355	01/18/20	Peter Craig	
356	01/18/20	Patrick Liebrecht	
357	01/18/20	James A Sumner	
358	01/18/20	Maureen Vachereau	I support this bill.
359	01/18/20	STEWART J JARVIS	\$2500 A YEAR STILL IN MY POCKET. May keep me from seeking employment, possibily taking a job away from someone else.
360	01/18/20	Edward Cabral	
361	01/18/20	Paul Kaigle	
362	01/18/20	Everett W Stebbins	
363	01/18/20	Sandra Pinsonault	
364	01/18/20	Thomas L Jackson	As a Veteran, we deserve this.
365	01/18/20	Mary Senecal	

366	01/18/20	JACQUELINE LUMBRA	As a low income retired Vet this would go a long way in making ends meet!
367	01/18/20	James Glidden	
368	01/18/20	Valerie Smith	
369	01/18/20	Dave Wendt	
370	01/18/20	Deborah Bruce	Please consider passing this bill. It would me be able to not move away after retirement.
371	01/18/20	Charlotte Adams	
372	01/18/20	Fred Stetson	I support VT House Bill 435
373	01/18/20	Sonia Bruce	
374	01/18/20	Cathleen Deslaurier	I support this, our Veterans have given enough.
375	01/18/20	Amy Bresette	
376	01/18/20	Michael Kelley	
377	01/18/20	Tammi Mercier	
378	01/18/20	Stephanie Casey	
379	01/18/20	Eleanor M Slattery	
380	01/18/20	Monica Ploof	Please pass this bill. Many military members are leaving Vermont after retirement due to the state tax on retirement income. As my retirement approaches, I have been seriously looking for a more tax friendly state.
381	01/18/20	Joshua Flanagan	
382	01/18/20	Cara Russin	I support this bill.
383	01/18/20	Justin parker	
384	01/18/20	Barbara Leary	I highly support Bill 435-Exemption of Military Retirement Pay from State Tax.
385	01/18/20	Judith McLaughlin	As a disabled retired veteran, this Bill will ensure I stay in Vermont, and not be forced to live elsewhere, because I can no longer afford Vermont's taxes.
386	01/18/20	DUBOIS THOMPSON	
387	01/18/20	Duby Thompson	
388	01/18/20	Donnette Cochran	
389	01/18/20	Bruce McDonald	Please stop taxing my military retirement. I served at great personal expense already
390	01/18/20	Shawn Banyea	
391	01/19/20	Andrew Squires	
392	01/19/20	Kevin Mulcahey	
393	01/19/20	George Wood	
394	01/19/20	James Nagle	I am thinking about leaving the State of Vermont because of the poor economy and the high costs of living. This bill, if passed, will help me, but I am not sure it will be enough. Vermont is in trouble and I might have to fold my tent and move elsewhere. Now I here Vermont is seeking more refugees and migrant workers, paying up to 10K for workers to move here. This is why I am thinking about leaving. Also, Act 250 locks up most of the land in Vermont, making her a post card state, not a state that produces wealth for her citizens. New Hampshire is looking better with every legislative session in Vermont.
395	01/19/20	Marissa Forcier	
396	01/19/20	James Clayburgh	
397	01/19/20	Eulice Gaudette	I spent 30 odd years with the Air National Guard. It sure would be nice not the pay State tax on my retirement. I too am thinking of leaving the state. Perhaps after leaving I could apply for the \$10,000 for coming home again that would take care of the tax for as long as I live
398	01/19/20	Lynn Newman	
399	01/19/20	Alan Lunna	

400	01/19/20	Matthew J Fitzgerald COL MTN Infantry Retired	I selflessly served my Country for 30 years. The decision effected my family during my career, I volunteered to serve, they did not. Many special events in their lives took second place to MY commitment, to our Country and State who reaped the benefits of our Freedom. I will never leave Vermont like many of my brothers and sisters in arms have to escape the high cost of living and political tomfoolery. I run a Service business that helps Vermonters with the loss of their loved ones, I continue to serve my State and neighbors. Not taxing retired pay provides additional disposable income that I put back into my community and State by supporting local businesses and my State. The income I earn through my business is taxed along with all of the other taxes I pay and will continue to pay. It's that simple.
401	01/19/20	Duncan Higgins	
402	01/19/20	Corynn Labounty	
403	01/19/20	Andrew Labounty	
404	01/19/20	Kelly Enterline	
405	01/19/20	Paul Bean	
406	01/19/20	Cynthia Teague	
407	01/19/20	Barry cadorette	
408	01/19/20	Michael Gately	With over 40 years of service in the US Army and Vermont Army National Guard, I believe this bill is long overdue. States that have recognized the value-added of exempting retired military pay from taxes have seen an increase in the number of retirees re-locating to their state. They bring a reliable monthly income, are not a burden on the healthcare or social services, have disposable income they spend in their local communities and generally increase the quality of life in those communities through their continued selfless service. At a time of negative population growth and loss of income due to the re-location of many retirees seeking relief from the burden of high taxes, exempting military retirement from state taxes will attract a highly desirable segment of retiree society to Vermont. The homes, cars, food, clothes, and services they buy will fuel the state's economy and return a vibrancy that has moved away in recent years. This is a sound fiscal decision which will significantly enrich the tax coffers of the great State of Vermont. I strongly urge enactment of H. 435!!
409	01/19/20	Nakiah Dykeman	
410	01/19/20	Rachel June Wright	
411	01/19/20	Caine A Maxfield	
412	01/19/20	Robert Revoir	vermont needs to ask itself if it really wants to encourage military vets to return to the state or not VT native vets to bring their capital, leadership and initiative to the state. As an active duty vet I can tell you every retiree looks at the states attitude towards taxing vets. 20 year to 20+ year Vets have payed their share. Their retirement shouldn't be taxed . They have already payed the ultimate tax. VT should have the common sense to see this.
413	01/20/20	Kristen LaJeunesse	
414	01/20/20	Guyllaine C Blanchette	I support this bill
415	01/20/20	David Camp	
416	01/20/20	Debra Dykeman	
417	01/20/20	Amy Racicot	Please don't tax military retirees!!
418	01/20/20	Rodney Cloutier	This needs to happen. Our military pays are not a huge amount and taking taxes just makes it that much harder to live in re tirement.
419	01/20/20	Stephen Jaborek Sr.	
420	01/20/20	Judith Valente	
421	01/20/20	Corinne McGrath Preston	
422	01/20/20	Lisa Wood	Vermont owes this to our brave men and women who have served!
423	01/20/20	Craig Campbell	
424	01/20/20	Randy Eppley	
425	01/20/20	Sarah	
426	01/20/20	Jeff Norway	One of the reasons I did not move back to Vermont after I retired from the USAF two years ago. We decided to stay in NJ where military retirement income was not taxed.
427	01/20/20	Larry smith	
428	01/20/20	Cindy Boyce	

429	01/20/20	Cody Giroux	
430	01/20/20	Rosemeryl Harple	
431	01/20/20	Christopher Brosseau	
432	01/20/20	Dan Holland	
433	01/20/20	Karen L Swahn	I have lived in VT my entire life (minus joining the Army Active Duty and deployment to Afghanistan while a National Guardsmen) and have been retired for 4 1/2 years. With taxes and the cost of living rising, some months can be difficult. Just a little help from the State we love and Defended would be gratefully appreciated!
434	01/20/20	Daniel Goodrich	
435	01/20/20	Janel Jewell	
436	01/20/20	CJ Campbell	
437	01/20/20	Susan Robinson	
438	01/21/20	Forrest smith	
439	01/21/20	Sawyer Alberi	
440	01/21/20	Kirsten De la cruz	
441	01/21/20	Dorothy Powers	
442	01/21/20	Melissa Byrne	
443	01/21/20	Jessie Willey	
444	01/21/20	Karen Campbell	
445	01/21/20	Sean	It's too late but needs to be done
446	01/21/20	Darryl J Ducharme	It's time to pass this legislation in support of those who perform the job that 99% of the population choose not to do, but get to enjoy all the benefits, freedoms, and liberties that having a strong military protects. Also, it may help in retaining quality, competent citizens in the State of Vermont, stopping the migration to more military & tax friendly states.
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448	01/21/20	Kim Siner	We are looking at jumping the river to NH due to the high, and ever increasing, taxes in VT. Our legislature needs to look at our neighboring states. Much like the education bill, exempting military retirement from state income tax, may stem the tide of those leaving VT for better opportunities.
449	01/21/20	Clifford Mullen	
450	01/21/20	Linda Carsno	
451	01/21/20	Don Gage	
452	01/21/20	Chance Payette	This is seriously overdue
453	01/21/20	Rachel Giroux	
454	01/21/20	Stacy Dwyer	
455	01/22/20	Keith Streeter	
456	01/22/20	Jeffrey Mitchell	
457	01/22/20	Shaun Biczko	
458	01/22/20	Joe Gilmond	
459	01/22/20	Joshua Macura	
460	01/22/20	Steven Godin	Because Vermont today taxes retirement income including my military pension, we are looking elsewhere to move to that is friendly state. I feel after living here in Vermont my entire 61 years, Vermont is failing the retirement community and we no choice but to look elsewhere to live.
461	01/22/20	Todd McCosco	
462	01/22/20	Richard Parkin	

463	01/22/20	Harold Michael Goldstein	Let's get this done
464	01/22/20	Kimberley Sellears	So many of my fellow retired Guardsmen have already moved to tax-friendly states because of this issue. We are planning to do the same if things don't change. Between this issue, high property taxes and the high cost of living, Vermont is just not affordable. Our money can go so much further for a better way of life in other states, and I'm sad when I say this, as I was born here and my husband has grown to love Vermont. You need to pass this bill to help keep our veterans here. You're losing a valuable resource.
465	01/22/20	Phillip Poney	
466	01/22/20	Butch Patch	
467	01/22/20	Michael Root	
468	01/22/20	Joy Hedges	
469	01/22/20	Deborah Beckett	Please support this very important bill - thank you!!
470	01/22/20	Amber Chambers	Should not tax social security benefits as well
471	01/22/20	BRIAN HUYLER	New York, NH, Maine all do this!
472	01/22/20	Douglas Sutton	This action will directly support the administration work on economic development for the State of Vermont. It will draw trained Veterans to the State.
473	01/22/20	John Phelps	
474	01/22/20	Susan Wisowaty	Military Retirees should NOT have to pay state income taxes on their pensions. These are the people who make our freedoms possible. They don't make a lot of money to begin with. This is the LEAST that Vermont can do, like other states. We are considering moving out of state for the very reason of state income tax when we retire.
475	01/22/20	Andre Demers	I support that Vermont House Bill 846-
476	01/22/20	Colleen	
477	01/22/20	Gregory Thayer	
478	01/22/20	Carl F Hausler	This initiative is long over due
479	01/22/20	Judith Shailor	Long overdue and the least the The VERmont Legislature can do to support our veterans and military members!
480	01/22/20	Joan breznick	I support our troops they deserve to not be taxed
481	01/22/20	Jacqueline bayrd	
482	01/22/20	Deborah LaRose	
483	01/22/20	Andre Beaulieu	
484	01/23/20	Neil Pappalardo	We cannot do enough for the Brave men and Women who have sacrificed so much to keep us safe. You Liberals in The State house should hang your head in shame. SHAME!!!!
485	01/23/20	Kolby LaMarche	
486	01/23/20	Gerald Foley	Fully exempt military retired pay and their social security
487	01/23/20	Thomas West	
488	01/23/20	George Gardner	This is a great way to show support for the military and what they sacrifice for the public.
489	01/23/20	Karen Brown	
490	01/23/20	Robert Ruitter	
491	01/23/20	Perry Melvin	I am in full support of this bill so Vermont doesn't loose more retiring veterans to other states that give this exemption.
492	01/23/20	Thomas Jackson	
493	01/23/20	Kathleen M Tarrant	
494	01/23/20	Charles Nettleship	Please pass this law to assist retired veterans in and returning to Vermont after their service to increase workforce development. Surround states have done this and VT needs to.
495	01/23/20	Homer Wetherby	This bill "846" is needed to keep our military retirees in the State of Vermont. As a USAF retiree I have been contemplating moving out of state because of the high cost of living!

496	01/23/20	Edmond Daudelin	I am a retired MSG (E8). It would be nice and would be essential to keep me and all of my retirements in Vermont. What would you rather do? Exempt my Military retirement or lose \$6000.00/mo when I move to Florida?
497	01/23/20	Heidi A Sutton	Bringing highly trained US Military service member into our State is valued added to the work force. This only makes sense to the on going economic recovery of Vermont. Legislators sign on to this one and "bet on a vet" !!! You always win.
498	01/23/20	Michael K Shepard	
499	01/23/20	Catherine Sargeant	
500	01/23/20	Brenda Cruickshank	Surrounding states exempt, brings young retirees and their families to settle Vermont, skilled labor force
501	01/23/20	Ann Marie McCallum	
502	01/23/20	Kyle Guinan	
503	01/23/20	AL FAXON	Passage of H-846 has great potential for impacting Vermont's diminishing workforce. Several of my retired military friends and acquaintances have declined to move to Vermont after researching and learning we are one of the few states taxing their retirement. They moved to the cold weather states of NY and NH. These are high tech, extremely skilled individuals with their health care and low burden on services. Instant home buyers and diligent, loyal workers.
504	01/23/20	Dave Zsido	
505	01/23/20	Cheryl Goldstein	I support this house bill
506	01/24/20	Michael Klopchin	
507	01/24/20	Brittany Shaw	
508	01/24/20	Leonard Poirier	
509	01/24/20	Kerry OHara	Kiplinger magazine lists VT as one of the worst stars in which to retire. Passage of this bill would at least make VT appealing to military retirees who are for the most part still looking to work because they are in their 40's when retiring.
510	01/24/20	Matthew Titus	Long over due, this would help us veterans be able to afford to stay here after retirement.
511	01/24/20	Ed Barden	This only makes sense, if we truly care about our Veterans. Pass this bill!
512	01/24/20	Debra Tucker	
513	01/24/20	Kathleen Nohe	
514	01/24/20	Michael Sanchez	I support passage of Vermont House Bill 846.
515	01/24/20	Mary Griswold	
516	01/24/20	Stephen F Weston	As a native Vermonter, I returned to Vermont upon discharge and I have been working here and paying taxes for 41 years. I am considering leaving the state - there is no incentive to stay.
517	01/24/20	Michele Cota	
518	01/24/20	Frank Wetherby FirstSgt Retired US Army	
519	01/24/20	Chris Farr	
520	01/24/20	Jade Sutton	Hearing Governor Scott's address this week was refreshing. The sound reinvestment in the State's Economic infrastructure and providing a motivating factor for veterans to stay and or return to the State is very helpful. Legislators supporting reversing the outflow of the talented work force need to get on board with the economic stability of Vermont. Tax exemption for retired military is both respectful to service and a sound investment in circulating commerce.
521	01/24/20	John Hauck	4 years Vietnam era and 20 years VT Air National Guard
522	01/24/20	William Kelley	Passage of this bill may stop people from leaving the state.
523	01/24/20	David houston	I currently live in Bakersfield Vermont and retired after 39 years of service! My home is currently for sale and plan on moving to s more tax friendly state with a better cost of living too
524	01/24/20	Corey Breault	
525	01/24/20	Adrian J Megrath	
526	01/24/20	Roland Borkman jr	loads bill 846

527	01/24/20	Dawn Berno	
528	01/24/20	Phelina Laviletta	Our Veterans deserve this. Let's get it passed
529	01/24/20	Carla Quilliam	People are still leaving. You need to stop the bleeding so people will stay although this alone will not do it.
530	01/25/20	Sanford Johnson	
531	01/25/20	Susan Young	
532	01/25/20	David Lapierre	Makes sense
533	01/25/20	Richard Kelley	
534	01/25/20	Jason Galipeau	
535	01/25/20	Sue Schweppe	
536	01/25/20	Keith Roy	34 years served. As soon as My children graduate from college I am moving to a state that doesn't tax my military retirement
537	01/25/20	Joseph Forgione	
538	01/25/20	Timothy Hebert	I strongly support this! Military retirement pay should be exempt from ALL taxes!
539	01/25/20	Gene Collins	
540	01/25/20	William A Syverson	I agree completely
541	01/25/20	Doris Reynolds	
542	01/25/20	Dave Crane	
543	01/25/20	Robert Van Woert	It's the least we can do!
544	01/25/20	Barbara Rosenquist	
545	01/25/20	Steven Lamos	Instead of offering money to non-Vermonters move here, let's pass this bill to keep our Vermont Veteran a Vermonter.
546	01/25/20	Elizabeth Houston	
547	01/25/20	pam kerstner	
548	01/26/20	Martha J Welch	Might even draw a few skilled retirees to return to their native state!!
549	01/26/20	John Lewis	
550	01/26/20	Samantha Lewis	
551	01/26/20	Lori peer	
552	01/26/20	Dana LaPlante	
553	01/26/20	Monique J LaPlante	
554	01/26/20	Stephen Russell	
555	01/26/20	Christopher Merrill	No taxation of military pensions!
556	01/26/20	Danielle Warner	
557	01/26/20	Stephen Perry	
558	01/26/20	James Mumford	
559	01/26/20	Kyle Moore	What Christopher said!!
560	01/26/20	Cindy Lewis	
561	01/26/20	Jeffrey Warden	
562	01/27/20	Peter Labrie	
563	01/27/20	Craig Sanborn	I was born and raised in Vermont. Served 38 years in the Vermont Air National Guard. Recently retired and now forced to look asst moving because I can't afford to live in Vt on my pension after taxes.
564	01/27/20	Stephen Russell	
565	01/27/20	Doug Jacobs	
566	01/28/20	Peggy Bushey	As a retired military person, this is a big part of my decision making when it comes to where I want to move when I retire.

