

Transcription of voicemail left for the Mayor's office that was forwarded to the Renters Commission on 12/8/2025.

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Hi my name is [REDACTED] I'm calling about the housing laws, rules, and regulations in your town. And I wanted to explain to you how, these rules and regulations are effecting students in the area in a very negative and abusive way. I think it's important for you guys to understand what's happening as of now every landlord and broker is listing their housing as "available" without knowing whether or not it is available, which then makes students spend hours and hours and hours chasing properties, going on knocking on doors, and seeing if students intend to renew because the brokers are asking for us to put down a "reservation" on these, a non-refundable reservation, without the benefit of even getting access to see the unit. I just think this is like roulette, we don't know what's available, we don't know if our reservation is going to be, they make you reserve with a lease, so that once you put in the reservation you've got to sit there and wait until they tell you if it's available or if it's not available. It's ridiculous, so I would hope somebody would call me back, my number is [REDACTED] thank you.