I am Catherine Hoffman of Branford CT and I do not support LCO 3471. As a lifetime resident, tax payer and voter in CT, I am fearful of the repercussions of this bill. We have many good police officers who know they are risking their lives every day they respond to a call. I am fearful, I would be too scared to have their job myself, but I know it is needed. The issue here is not with "bad" cops or racial profiling, it is allowing people to think they are above the law. Ask yourself if you want to live in your own communities when the violence extends outward. I have already seen it with how kids under 18 see nothing wrong with stealing cars, going for 100 mph joy rides and almost killing my newborn son.

This will lead people to leave Ct, and not the criminals. It will lead to those paying your taxes to leave. Good luck when that happens. People are wakening up and leaving, yet many like me are holding on to the place we love, but it's getting g hard as we see the dangers we can be putting our families at when the law enforcers are scared to do their job.

Sent from my iPhone