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Lieutenant Governor McKee's Statement on President Trump's Supreme Court Nominee Brett Kavanaugh

PROVIDENCE, R.I.— Lieutenant Governor Daniel McKee expressed his opposition to President Trump's Supreme Court choice Monday.

"Appointing Brett Kavanaugh, an anti-choice, anti-worker nominee puts the rights and freedoms of Americans at risk," said McKee. "This choice is an unfair representation of the wants and needs of the American people, and poses a serious risk to the rights of America's most vulnerable citizens."

"I urge Congress to postpone the confirmation of any Supreme Court justice until after the 2018 midterm elections so that Americans may democratically take part in this decision. The American people deserve to have a say in this nomination process."

"As Lieutenant Governor, I will continue to work to protect the hard-fought freedoms already established by the Supreme Court, including LGBTQ+ rights, preservation of women's reproductive rights, and the rights of any American that are in jeopardy as a result of partisan politics on the Supreme Court."