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MARCH 3, 2014

JUDGE STEVEN W. RHODES
90 CLERK OF THE COURT
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION
211 W. FOLT ST SUITE 1800
DETROIT, MI 48226
CASE NO. 13-53-846

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE RHODES:
THIS LETTER IS A REQUEST TO RULE IN
FAVOR OF CITY OF DETROIT RETIREES - NOW
REDUCTION OF PENSIONS RE: BANKRUPTCY CLAIMS

I AM A RETREE, HAVING WORKED 32 YRS IN
THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT AS A PUBLIC HEALTH
NURSE/CONSULTANT. I STAYED ON AN ADDITIONAL
TWO YEARS TO MAKE SURE I WOULD HAVE
HEALTH CARE COVERAGE IN MY "SENIOR" YEARS
WHEN I RETIRED. EFFECTIVE MARCH 1, 2014
I AM NOW USING SAVING ACCOUNT MONEY TO
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PAY (FOR) \$290/MONTH FOR HEALTH INSURANCE

ALSO, I DECIDED TO REQUEST EARLY SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS AT AGE 62 YRS IF MY PENSION IS CUT, IT DIRECTLY AFFECTS MY SSI CHECK - WHICH WILL BE REDUCED PROPORTIONATELY.

I AGREE THE CITY OF DETROIT NEEDS HELP IN BALANCING ITS BUDGET, BUT NOT AT THE EXPENSE OF ITS RETIREES WHO CONTINUE TO PAY TAXES AND LIVE IN THE CITY THAT I FELT WOULD SEE ME THRU MY GOLDEN YEARS.

PLEASE CONSIDER THE ABOVE INFORMATION AND HAVE THE FM "KEEP HIS HANDS OFF MY PENSION"

SINCERELY
DIANA LAWRENCE



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