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Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation:

The proposed special assessment will unfairly penalize our community bank and place extreme pressure on our income. Our bank did not participate in the risky practices that have led to the economic crisis. This special assessment is will hinder our ability to continue to help in the recovery process.

We urge the FDIC to explore alternatives for funding the DIF in lieu of the special assessment.

Sincerely,

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