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Dear FDIC:

Please consider another way of raising money for the FDIC fund before allowing the special assessment. By charging additional monies, you could be jeopardizing some healthy community banks that have not had anything to do with this crisis.

One suggestion to raise the money necessary for the FDIC fund would be to assign a risk grade to banks who impose the greatest risk and change the special assessment formula to "Total Assets-Capital".

I'm sure there are other options which could be explored before punishing community banks with this special assessment.

Thank you for your consideration,

Sincerely,

Lori Donahue