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The new FDIC assessment is punishing safe, sound, WELL RUN banks to bail out the others. Your new assessment as well as future ones you'll likely levy will wipe out earnings for many across the country. What motivation do we have to run our banks properly if we get penalized for it?

Let those that got into this mess by being greedy and stupid pay the price! Not those that are doing our jobs right!

Please reconsider the enormity of the assessment and the potential for added problems it could cause.

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