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## To Whom It May Concern:

A special assessment of 20 basis points for small community banks would very critical and detrimental at this time and could be devastating to many. I do not feel that we should have to pay for the greed and haphazard management imposed by the big banks. I feel that this is an issue of "To Big to Fail" issue and that the sound banks are paying for their greed and mistakes.

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