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[EXTERNAL MESSAGE] May 22, 2023 - Special Assessments Pursuant to Systemic Risk Determination - Notice of Proposed Rulemaking; Comment Request (RIN 3064-AF93)

Mr. James P. Sheesley Assistant Executive Secretary Attention: Comments—RIN 3064-AF93 Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation 550 17th Street NW Washington, DC 20429

Dear Mr. Sheesley:

I am submitting this letter in response to the FDIC's request for comment on special assessments following the systemic risk determinations announced after the failures of SVB and SBNY.

Importantly, under the proposal, no banking organizations with total assets under \$5 billion would be subject to the special assessment which I truly/strongly would encourage the approval.

I commend the FDIC for crafting a proposal that exempts community banks from paying any special assessment related to the failures of SVB and SBNY and I also encourage the FDIC to finalize the rule as proposed.

Thank you for your help!

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