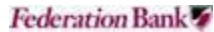


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Mr. James P. Sheesley  
Assistant Executive Secretary  
Attention: Comments—RIN 3064-AF93  
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Dear Mr. Sheesley:

I am in support of the community bank exemption for the FDIC special assessment to recover the loss to the DIF.

Thank you,  
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