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My name is Donald Dean Harris, and I am writing to this committee to urge you to PLEASE reinstate a consistent and substantial COLA, for us long time retirees.

Prices have risen from 1yr. ago by 6.2% today.

Example, my propane price, 1000-gal. tank, my primary source of heat and water, was \$1.759 on 5/31/21 has increased to \$2.379 on 10/15/21 per Gal. Thats .\$62/gal increase. Thats lot more that 6.2%

I have been retired almost 29 yrs. I am respectively requesting you give us back our permanent COLA.

Thank you.

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