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I am writing to encourage legislators to please consider the TRS 1 retirees cola increase. Many retired with minimal years experience when salaries were very low and needed to take other jobs until there could take advantage of social security at the age of 62. Many older retired teachers are still struggling to make ends meet and any increase and permanent annual COLA increase would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for continued attention to this matter. Sincerely, Lon Olson 1994 ret/31 years.

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