

## Communication from Public

**Name:**

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Please consider giving the retirees the discretionary raise. I commute to take care of my grandson 20 miles one way, gas prices are killing me along with the basic food like milk, bread and eggs. And to top it off I'm going to have to pay for Medicare also. Please reconsider, I'm on a fixed income.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Pat A.

**Date Submitted:** 07/23/2023 10:18 PM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** I respectfully request the Mayor and L.A. City Council to approve the 2.6% discretionary COLA for City retirees, as recommended by LACERS and permitted under LAAC Section 4.1023. Although the annual 3% COLA is appreciated, it is not adequate to keep up with the increasing costs of inflation. The 2.6% discretionary cost of living adjustment will assist retirees in managing the effects of the current record-breaking inflation and provide some much-needed relief. Thank you!