

Dear Senator Osten, Representative Walker, Senator Miner, Representative France, and Members of the Appropriations Committee,

As a CT resident and a retired CT teacher, I am writing to ask that a third retired teacher who participates in the TRB's health insurance plan be added to the TRB. While the TRB currently has 12 members, the numbers of 4 active elected teachers and 2 retired elected teachers no longer fairly represents the proportions between active and retired teachers. In 2020, there were 50,000 active teachers and 38,000 retired teachers. In order for the TRB to administer our retirement program in the best interest of the retired teachers, I believe there is a need for a fairer representation on the TRB. Also, the TRB needs to always offer a Medicare Supplement Plan of which I am a member and over the years have come to understand all the assurances and protections of a traditional Medicare Supplement Plan.

Sincerely,
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Sent from my iP