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Subject: TRS Plan 1 COLA

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After 32 years of teaching, I retired in 1997. I had 1 year of eligibility under the Uniform COLA plan before it was eliminated. Since that time I have had two small COLA increases totaling 4.5%. Just in the last year that has been more than wiped out by inflation. My buying power has been reduced by about 50% since I retired. I need help. Please restore a permanent COLA for Plan 1 Retirees. It is the right thing to do.

Thank you for your consideration.

Larry Scholl

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