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Please consider some cost of living adjustment for Plan 1 people.

I retired after 31 years teaching in 2000 and except for the 3% from last year my retirement has stayed the same . I was due to get the COLA when I turned 68 but that was delayed due to using the funds to balance the budget , that was 7 years ago . Therefore I lost even more buying power with not receiving my owed benefit for 7 years.

The amount that I make now does not begin to cover the increase in costs of all items from insurance to regular food items

Please consider any increase that could be added the regular retirement so that we can pay the monthly bills Thank you Charlotte Tait

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