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## Dear Board of Supervisors,

I learned of a disturbing prospect of the Reserve Funds having changes made, and lessening the effectiveness and strength to help our fellow residents should a calamity come upon them.

This fund needs to be enhanced, strengthened, and made available to those in an emergency should one occur, especially an event that causes widespread harm. The County needs to be able to respond with ready funds, not scurrying about making excuses for not having the funds to help. This is not Los Angeles, and we must stand for the citizen, our fellow residents, and care for them, not leave them out in the cold as has happened in many counties & cities due to shortsightedness and the pilfering of reserve funds.

You have an obligation to serve the public good as an elected official, and is incumbent upon you to protect the public from future unknown harms that come to visit us periodically. It is against the public trust to raid & pilfer this reserve fund to find favor with your district residents, or worse, your friends & associates.

The communities affected by a gutting of funds are not our step-brothers and sisters, and they should have the same protections as every other community in the County of San Diego.

Stop this nonsense, now. We are watching you.

