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To: Comments, Regs

Subject: 2004-53 Community Reinvestment Act

To all Federal decision-makers affecting community reinvestment policy,

I am writing to express my concern about the critical importance of all federally insured financial institutions continuing to be fully accountable under CRA for making investments and providing services. I also oppose the OTS proposal to consider favorably rural community development activities that do not primarily benefit low-income people or communities. As a life-long resident of Los Angeles County, I see on a daily basis the potential devasting effects that a lack community reinvestment by our federally insured lenders would have on our communities.

Respectfully,

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