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Subject: Request to testify, April. 1, 2025, LCPR meeting
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MEMBERS OF THE PENSION COMMISSION,

I am writing after speaking with the executive director for MN PERA , Mr Anderson . I came out of the military (USMC) and into police work with the St Louis Park Police Department . After 20 years I was injured on duty and subsequently could not be cleared to return to duty . Several spinal surgeries and issues with my vision and digestive tract continue to be an ongoing problem . For the past 22 years I have receiving 1 % increases in my disability pension which has realistically cost me nearly 40 % of my pension considering an average COLA of 3% per year with other pensions .

This is quite frustrating as the real world continues on and only my pension seems to be stagnant. I am on SSDI also and am physically unable to work full time or make any additional monies .

Not sure how any of this is really fair to someone who did nothing wrong .

Thank you for your consideration in this Matter . Please help .

Rob Molstad

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Agenda Item : MN
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Organization, if applicable: RETIRED ST LOUIS PARK PD Do you plan to testify in person at the meeting or submit written testimony? ** WRITTEN

*If you are not representing an organization, it is helpful to provide some information about yourself, such as something that is relevant to the item on which you are testifying or where you live (such as Jane Smith, retired state employee, or John Jones, Duluth)

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