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Message:

dear governor, cutting our debt is important, but the cuts to our food stamp program is awful, there are so many senior citizens and children who go to bed hungry every night. they only get food stamps for your gross income, that's not right, senior citizens have other bills to pay other than rent or a light bill. we have basic needs like clothes and cleaning supplies toilet paper, and yes phone bills cable bills, taxes, insurance and by the time that gets paid out of a social security check there is nothing left for emergencies of any kind. much less groceries, I get 16.00 a month in food stamps, our government tells us to buy fresh fruits, vegetables. how do our seniors afford this, I myself find it very hard, so I can imagine what it is like for a child. I live in an older mobile home with no heating cooling unit that went out 4 years ago, cannot afford another one, it gets cold in here during the winter and very warm in the summer and just plain hot, not complaining am very blessed. but I feel every senior over 65 years of age should be allowed at least 100.00 a month for healthy food, but of course that's my opinion, well finished venting for today. thank you phyliss romine, keep up the good work for our beautiful state.