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From: Public Council Inbox
To: Hadiye Rafi
Subject: RE: Glass Steagall Resolution

Thank you for your message. It will be included in the Correspondence for the Record for an upcoming Council meeting.

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City Manager's Office

From: Hadiye Rafi [mailto:hadiyehus@gmail.com]
Sent: Thursday, July 22, 2010 8:15 PM
To: Public Council Inbox
Subject: Glass Steagall Resolution

Hello Mayor, and members of the Council. This is Hadiye Rafi, from LarouchePAC. We spoke at your last council meeting on a resolution to re-instate the glass steagall reform. I'm emailing you back to see if we can set up a meeting on the measure. We're very flexible, and can meet pretty much when you are available. Just email me back with a time and place, or call me at either 415 200 5085, or 206 417 2363.

What we'll ask of you if you would like to meet with us is:

1. To sign on to our petition of elected officials to endorse our call for the re-introduction of the Glass-Steagall reforms, and
2. to discuss what we need to do to get our resolution on the Mercer Island city council agenda for endorsement by the council as a whole. Maybe we could have a hearing on it where we can testify and answer the council's questions.

Our website is www.larouchepac.com, but I wanted to give you a few more directed links from it in preparation for a potential meeting, or for your general perusal:

VERY important, a video that comprehensively goes through our solution to this crisis, its called [The New America](#)

Also, a link to an interview with an ex councilman, Sergio Calderon, from the city of Maywood, CA, where they just shut down their police force entirely! Its about the collapse of the nation's cities: <http://larouchepac.com/node/15097>

On Glass Steagall, I provide a link that has our resolution, and tons of background materials, and videos: <http://larouchepac.com/credit>

And one more, an interview with LaRouche's west coast spokesman Phil Rubenstein on Glass Steagall and the history of this policy: <http://www.larouchepac.com/node/15179>

Thank you! The material I provided gives you a clear idea of how to get us out of this crisis. I hope it makes you optimistic!

Hadiye

(below is the latest copy of the resolution we want to pass):

To Save Our Nation Congress Must Pass Glass-Steagall and Shut Down Derivatives Now!

WHEREAS, the reimposition of the Constitutional Glass-Steagall principles that separate commercial from speculative banking, and the shutdown of the hundreds of trillions of dollar derivatives casino--both measures which have been strongly promoted and supported by leading economist Lyndon LaRouche--are the indispensable, and inseparable, first steps for saving the U.S. economy from imminent disintegration, and creating the basis for the launching of a real economic recovery program based on massive infrastructure projects; and

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WHEREAS, the leadership of the U.S. Congress, under the direction of President Barack Obama, has sabotaged the inclusion of the Cantwell-McCain Glass-Steagall amendment into the so-called financial reform bill, effectively capitulating to a British ultimatum, and thus leaving our banking system vulnerable to the ongoing relatively immediate threat of a general, and even total blowout of the world financial system, as such is anticipated by the current freeze-up of bank lending, and the 1000 point "flash" drop in the U.S. stock market; and

WHEREAS, that same Congressional leadership, under pressure from the Obama Administration and Wall St., has similarly removed any effective action in respect to the trading of derivatives from the so-called reform bill, giving the major Wall St. banks expanded authority over the decimated U.S. economy,

THEREFORE, be it resolved that _____ demands that Congress immediately act to restore FDR's Glass-Steagall legislation, and to adopt measures which will lead to the total shutdown of the cancerous derivatives market, by the immediate application of an exact renewal of President Franklin D. Roosevelt's precisely stated, and intended Glass-Steagall legislation, without which both the United States itself, and the planet in general, could not avoid an already prevalent process of a global general collapse of, and among the nations of, all of the planet's continents.