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We have recently been made aware of the fact that you may decide to reduce the public defenders clients list by half.

Because of this, we are VERY concerned that more cases will be dismissed, and that criminals will be set free to commit other crimes. We are both concerned for our safety as senior citizens and for our children and grandchildren.

And is it true that you may pay them not to commit crimes? That's not where we want our tax dollars to go.

Please find a way around this issue so that we as law abiding citizens are still safe in our homes and neighborhoods. Thank you!

Sincerely,

Jerry and Karen Snyder

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