

## Chris O'Brien

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**From:** Rep. Abney, Marvin L.  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 23, 2024 5:53 PM  
**To:** House Finance Committee  
**Subject:** FW: Cola raises

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**From:** Nancy Court <lovearuba247@verizon.net>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 23, 2024 1:23 PM  
**To:** Rep. Abney, Marvin L. <rep-abney@rilegislature.gov>  
**Subject:** Fw: Cola raises

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Begin forwarded message:

On Tuesday, April 23, 2024, 12:46 PM, Nancy Court <lovearuba247@verizon.net> wrote:

Hello, my name is Nancy Court, I am a retired State Worker. I retired from State Service in 2011 after almost 32 years of service. The only reason I retired was the talks about IRA's by Gina Raimondo and felt it was a good idea to retire and I left with what I thought was a secure pension with cola raises included.

My State pension is what I was counting on including Cola increases which, we were promised. I only left my job and retired earlier than I planned because of her talks about IRAs, which did not last long.

Gina Raimondo took away earnings that were promised to us by a previous Administration and gyped us of the raises we were promised. now we are still out the money that we worked hard for and, inflation has skyrocketed.

I am writing to you and several others on behalf of myself and all the other loyal State Employees who, have been robbed of what they were promised. I hope that you will be able to correct the injustice that happened to all of us who BELIEVED in the system.

Thank you for your attention and understanding. We all need help and hopefully you can do something.

Thank you,  
Nancy Court.

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