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Hello,

My name is John. I am a firefighter in the Air National Guard based out of JBER as well as a firefighter for the University Fire Department in Fairbanks. I am also life long Alaskan. Public safety is very important to me and that is why I would like to take a moment to ask for your support for House Bill 79. I urge you to take action on this bill and continue to move it through the legislative process. The current Tier IV retirement has been proven to be ineffective and requires a solution. The state is currently wasting countless tax dollars on training people who have no reason to spend their careers, let alone their retirements here. HB79 fixes this issue. Thank you for your time and all that you do.

Sincerely,
John Wolcott