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Subject: please support HB79
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My name is Mark Bundy and I work for the Anchorage Fire Department. I was hired prior to Tier 4, but I am writing to ask for your support for moving forward with House Bill 79. This is important because I have seen how this affects our department. There is no incentive for our best new employees to stay in Alaska when they have the skills and the motivation to get trained here in our state, and then move to a different state that has a slightly better retirement. I believe HB 79 will help Alaska recruit and retain our own highest quality citizens that would love to continue life in this great state. We have already had fantastic employees leave due to this after 1 or 2 years and I don't see any reason for it not to continue or increase in the coming years. Please support HB 79.

Thank you all,
Mark Bundy

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