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## Dear Mr President:

I am concerned about our aging population. Birth rates and work force participation have both been dropping for the past generation. Fortunately our immigration rate has remained relatively high and those immigrants have tended to be young with a long working life ahead of them. Sadly, your administration has been trying to reduce both the number of people coming here and the support they receive once they arrive. You have terrorized the very youngest by stealing them from their parents, the school aged by arbitrarily deporting their parents and ending DACA, the young parents both by direct deportation and with threats that supporting their families with Medicaid or SNAP will hurt their naturalization cases. Besides being immoral and damaging to society these moves will leave many people much less able to contribute to our economy.

Please assure me that you will work for the success of young immigrants.

I am very proud to be a US resident and a large part of that derives from our melting pot society.

Sincerely, Eric Babson