

Because I am unable to attend the hearing on Thursday at 12:30 concerning the above topic, I would like to voice my support for Governor Malloy's proposal.

Having taught in New Britain for 34 years and now retired for 18, I must pay my own health insurance premium at \$536/month, and not having paid into social security I am not entitled to Medicare benefits.

After faithfully serving CT's children for 34 years I feel that Gov. Malloy's proposal respects those who have retired from the teaching profession in Ct. A reduction in the taxes we pay on our pension income would serve us all well in thanks for our service.

Sincerely, Frances Myszka