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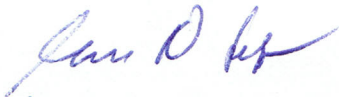
Gentlepersons!

I find it inexcusable and irresponsible that you are spending our tax dollars in Germany and in Pittsburgh. You were elected by the citizens of Ann Arbor to act responsibly. I don't find the disbursements that you have authorized to be at all responsible.

There is undoubtedly a qualified artist in Ann Arbor, or at least in Michigan, and at the very least the United States of America.

We have one of the finest art schools right here in Ann Arbor. Use our local resources!

Sincerely yours,



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