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Dear David Sumner,

Thank you for taking the time to read my email.

I strongly oppose Pa Core Standards. I am particularly concerned about the cost of implementation.

Here are my QUESTIONS/CONCERNS:

- How much is this going to cost? Please stop it until we know.
- How will it be funded? Will this lead to tax increases in local districts?
- Please don't approve unfunded mandates.
- Why is this being forced on every school district without testing to prove that it will work?
- Every school district is already financially strapped, don't add to their problems.

Expectantly,

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