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Although I have already written my opposition to the price increase, after rereading the initial email, I am newly incensed that the pervading excuse for the increase is the obvious mismanagement of the dues already appropriated from the hard working members of the massage therapy profession. I have no doubt the decision has already been made to lay the debt on us. But we deserve to know the particulars of how this happened. How many people are making a living off of our dues? How many administrative extras are being paid for from our dues? Has there been great effort to reduce costs before dropping this on our shoulders?

And on one last point.... not one of the several therapists I've spoken to on this issue feel that anything they might say is going to make any difference and that the increase is already in the works. Would love to have them proven wrong. Sincerely,

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