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Hello,

Myself and thousands of other residents who are unable to work from home and who live paycheck to paycheck, will not be able to survive this pandemic physically or financially if the government doesn't take the steps to ensure that we are able to self quarantine with no income from our jobs. The federal government has failed us and now it is up to our local and state level governments to try to step in before this gets any worse than it already has. The people need some sense of assurance that we can make it out of this together.

Please act now, before the illness really sets in and the hysteria is taken to the next level. Please fight to freeze rent and utility bills until there is some real semblance of stability, both health-wise and economically. We can make it through these unprecedented hardships together and become stronger for it, but we need our local governments to take action and step in to serve the people who elected them and have paid their incomes.

It's going to be a long and arduous journey to get out of this alright and we are still very much at the beginning. Please act with vigor and do whatever you can to help us survive this, so we don't need to be poor as well while we watch loved ones get sick and possibly die.

Thank you for your time and for reading.

Sincerely,
Brennan Facchino