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Ms. Catherine Weatherford  
President and CEO  
Insured Retirement Institute  
1100 Vermont Avenue NW, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Washington, DC 20005

Re: National Retirement Planning Week 2016

Dear Ms. Weatherford:

Developing a comprehensive retirement plan is an important step that leads many Americans to save more and achieve a financially secure future. Unfortunately, many consumers are unaware of the financial challenges ahead and are unprepared for their retirement years. With this in mind, I believe it must be a national priority for us to communicate the importance of retirement planning. By encouraging more Americans to adequately prepare for their retirement years, we can significantly improve financial security in the United States.

National Retirement Planning Week is an important effort that raises awareness of these vital issues and provides Americans with helpful information so they can make informed decisions regarding their finances.

I applaud you for your leadership in leading the National Retirement Planning Coalition and appreciate the contributions of all coalition members who are working to educate Americans about the importance of retirement planning. I wish you all the best as you continue this valued campaign.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Glenn Grothman".

Glenn Grothman  
Member of Congress