

# Michigan SERA Council Directory 2016

## STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT BOARD MEMBERS

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 Michigan Third District Court of Appeals  
 (term expires December 31, 2020)

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 (term expires December 31, 2018)

**Laurie Hill**, representing state employee retirees 517/322-6235  
 (term expires December 31 2020)

**2016 Board Meetings: Feb. 11 May 12 August 25 Nov. 10**

Meetings begin at 1:30 pm and held at the Stevens T. Mason Building,  
 First Floor, Mason Building, 530 West Allegan St., Lansing, MI

### INSURANCE & OTHER PENSION BENEFITS

**STATE HEALTH PLAN PPO**  
 Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Michigan  
 P. O. Box 80380, Lansing, MI 48933-1504 1/800/843-4876  
[www.bcbs.com](http://www.bcbs.com)  
 \*For hearing aid benefits call the above number

**STATE VISION PLAN (VSP)** 1/855/356-4362  
 232 S. Capitol Ave., Lansing, MI 48933  
[www.vsp.com](http://www.vsp.com)

### MAIL ORDER & RETAIL PHARMACY PROGRAM

<b>Non-Medicare Eligible Retirees</b>	<b>Medicare Eligible Retirees</b>
MedImpact	Medicare Generation Rx
10680 Trina St., Stop 5	P.O. Box 509099
San Diego, CA 92131	San Diego, CA 92150
1.877/403-6034 TTY 711	1/877/633-7943 TTY 711
<a href="http://www.mp.medimpact.com/som">www.mp.medimpact.com/som</a>	<a href="http://www.medicaregenerationrx.com/som">www.medicaregenerationrx.com/som</a>
MAIL ORDER: Novixus	<a href="http://www.novixus.com/som">www.novixus.com/som</a>
1/877/269-9002	1/888/240-2211 (option #2 physician contact)

### SPECIALTY DRUG PROGRAM

**Diplomat Specialty Pharmacy**  
 P.O. Box 321130 1/877/319-6337  
 Flint, MI 48532 [www.DiplomatPharmacy.com](http://www.DiplomatPharmacy.com)

**LONG TERM CARE INSURANCE**  
 Prudential Group Long-Term Care Insurance 1/800/732-0416  
 (M-F 8a-8p)  
**State retirees receiving Long Term Disability** - payment for non work related illness, the company is: **Citizens Management Inc.** 1/800/324-9901

**Deferred Compensation Program: Voya (State of Michigan 401(k) and 457 Plans)**  
 Lansing Office 517/636-6077  
<https://stateofmi.voyaplans.com> 1/800/748-6128

**MEDICARE**  
**Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)**  
**TO CALL:** 1/800/633-4227 TTY/TDD 1/877/486-2048  
**TO WRITE:**  
 CMS, Medicare Part A (Hospital)  
 P.O. Box 160, Detroit, MI 48231-0160  
 Medicare Part B (Physician)  
 CMS, Medicare Part B  
 P.O. Box 5533, Marion, IL 62959-5533

Questions concerning your pension benefits, life insurance, insurance enrollment, address changes, etc., should be addressed to the above be sure to include your social security number with all correspondence.

**MAGELLAN BEHAVIORAL OF MICHIGAN**

1/866/503-3158    MagellanAssist.com  
 Send claims to: Magellan Claims Unit - P.O. Box 2278  
 Maryland Heights, MO 63043

**STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (ORS)**

General Office Building - Third Floor  
 P.O. Box 30171, Lansing, MI 48909  
 517/322-5103 or 1/800/381-5111 (ORS for benefit questions)

**STATE DENTAL PLAN**

Delta Dental Plan of Michigan    Mail claims: P.O. Box 9085  
 P.O. Box 30416, Lansing, MI 48909    Farmington Hills, MI  
 1/800/524-0150    48333-9085  
[www.deltadentalmi.com](http://www.deltadentalmi.com)

**Civil Service Commission Benefits Division**

400 S. Pine Street    Lansing Area    517/373-7977  
 P.O. Box 30002    1/800/505-5011  
 Lansing, MI 48909

**HMO: Information**

Priority Health  
 27777 Franklin Rd, Suite 1300, Southfield,  
 MI 48034-2337  
 Jeri Bond 248/324-2838  
[jeri.bond@priorityhealth.com](mailto:jeri.bond@priorityhealth.com)

Physicians Health Plan  
 1400 E. Michigan Ave.  
 Lansing, MI 48912  
 Paula Howard, Senior Account Manager  
 517/364-8267 or 517/896-4787  
[paula.howard@phpmm.org](mailto:paula.howard@phpmm.org)

Health Plus  
 2050 S. Linden Rd., Flint, MI 48532  
 810/496-8448  
 Ramona Scott, Sales Executive  
[rscott@healthplus.org](mailto:rscott@healthplus.org)

Blue Care Network (BCN)  
 Mail Code C150  
 20500 Civic Center Drive  
 Southfield, MI 48076-4115  
 Greg Scheppler Group Sales Manager  
 BCN Advantage HMO-POS  
 248/455-2827  
[gscheppler@bcbsm.com](mailto:gscheppler@bcbsm.com)

Health Alliance Plan  
[www.hap.org/medicare\\_solutions](http://www.hap.org/medicare_solutions)  
 800/801-1770

**SERA CHAPTERS, OFFICERS, AND OTHER INFORMATION****ADRIAN SERA CHAPTER #18**

President: Robert Bristol    517/547-5402  
 12055 Rexford Road    E-mail: none  
 Manitou Beach, MI 49253  
 Vice President: Phyllis Sipes  
 Secretary: Donna Bristol  
 Treasurer: Robert Bristol  
 Membership: Donna Bristol  
 Insurance: Robert Bristol

Meeting place: Family Kitchen  
 2984 Treat Hwy.  
 Adrian, MI 49221  
 Meet: 3rd Wed/mo. 12:00 p.m.  
 Dues: \$15.00  
 Newsletter Monthly  
 Elections: December

**Members    42****CENTRAL MICHIGAN AREA SERA CHAPTER #20**

President: James R. Schafer    989/772-1824  
 1847 Belmont Dr., Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858    [jimrschafer@gmail.com](mailto:jimrschafer@gmail.com)  
 Vice President: Jennie Cooper  
 Secretary: Sue Hovey  
 Treasurer: Freida Augustine  
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 Membership: Jean Jacks  
 5661 S. Crawford Rd.    989/600-2858  
 Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858    [jean109437@aol](mailto:jean109437@aol)  
 Insurance: None

Meeting place: Comm. On Aging Center  
 2200 S. Lincoln Road  
 Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858  
 Meet: 3rd Tues/mo 1:00 p.m.  
 Dues: \$11.00  
 Newsletter Quarterly  
 Elections: November

**Members    209****COLDWATER SERA CHAPTER #7**

President: Bing Johnson    517/278-5699  
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 Vice President: Gordon Gentry

Meeting place: United Methodist Church  
 26 Marshall Street  
 Coldwater, MI 49036

**Members    197**

Secretary: Jackie Russell  
Treasurer: Jackie Russell  
Membership/insurance: Jackie Russell  
21 W. Liberty St., Quincy, MI 49082

517/639-4169  
[jacqueline2@chartermi.net](mailto:jacqueline2@chartermi.net)

Meet: 3rd Fri May, Aug, Nov  
Dues: \$7.00  
\*Lifetime membership at 90  
Newsletter May, Aug, Nov  
Elections: November

### **DETROIT SERA CHAPTER #3**

**Members 768**

President: David Reusser  
14600 Faust Avenue  
Detroit, MI 48223  
Vice President: James McCree  
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Treasurer: James Weiskopf  
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Meeting place: American Legion #374  
2079 W. 12 Mile, Berkley, MI 48072  
Meet: 2nd Tues/mo 12:00 p.m. (Dec meeting optional)  
Dues: \$15.00 ind.; \$22.00 couple  
\*SuperSenior 90+ lifetime membership  
Newsletter: Bi-monthly  
Elections: November

### **FLINT SERA CHAPTER #17**

**Members 80**

President: Robert (Bob) Kopasz  
P.O. Box 692  
Mt. Morris, MI 48458  
Vice President:  
Secretary:  
Treasurer: Alex & Jan Proulx  
Membership: Nancy Sabin, 2170 N. Irish Rd.  
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810/653-3831  
[njsbjs@charter.net](mailto:njsbjs@charter.net)

Meeting place: Little Caesars  
1081 S. State Rd., Davison, MI 48423  
Meet: 1st Thur/mo 1:00 p.m.  
No meetings Jan. or July  
Dues: \$10.00  
Newsletter: Bi-monthly Editor Nancy Sabin  
Elections: November

### **GRAND TRAVERSE AREA SERA CHAPTER #14**

**Members 387**

President: Robert A. Maddox  
P.O. Box 151  
Grawn, MI 49637-0151  
Vice President:  
Secretary: Joyce Weathers  
Treasurer: Mary E. Wescott  
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231/946-8673  
[DWLB@juno.com](mailto:DWLB@juno.com)

Meeting place: King's Court Community Room  
2899 Franier Rd., Traverse City, MI 49686  
Meet: 2nd Wed/mo 2:00 p.m. (except July & Sept)  
Dues: \$10.00  
Newsletter: Bi-monthly (even mos.)  
Elections: November

### **GREATER GRAND RAPIDS SERA CHAPTER #12**

**Members 435**

President: Cheryl Streberger  
12449 Bailey Drive NE  
Lowell, MI 49331  
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Secretary: Pat Ostrander  
Treasurer: Sue Colon  
Membership: Diane Reynhout  
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Meeting place: Uccello's Ristorante  
MVP Room 2630 E. Beltline Ave.  
Grand Rapids, MI 49546  
Meet: 4th Tues/mo - no January meeting  
Meetings 11:00 a.m.  
Dues: \$15.00  
Newsletter: Quarterly  
Elections: November

### **IONIA/MONTCALM SERA CHAPTER #6**

**Members 175**

President: David Cook  
613 Rich St.

616/527-1825  
616/260-0698

Meeting place: Ionia ISD, 2191 Harwood,  
Ionia, MI 48846

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Vice President: Rosalind Weber  
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616/527-0197  
[connimun@home.ionia.com](mailto:connimun@home.ionia.com)

Ionia's Bertha Brock Park,  
2311 W. Bluewater Hwy., Ionia  
Meet: ISD 4th Wed Sept, Oct, Jan, Apr, May  
1st Wed Dec, 4th Thur Feb, Mar  
Bertha Brock Park 4th Wed July & August  
All meetings at 12:00 p.m.  
Dues: \$15.00  
Newsletter: 10 per year  
Elections: December

#### **JACKSON SERA CHAPTER #1**

President: Linda Reasoner  
2147-1 Robinson Rd.  
Jackson, MI 49203  
Vice President: Irene Ahrens  
Secretary: Russell Jacobson  
Treasurer: James Best  
Membership: James Best  
5063 Big Rock St.  
Jackson, MI 49201  
Insurance:

517/879-9971  
[ljreasoner@gmail.com](mailto:ljreasoner@gmail.com)

Meeting place: First Presbyterian Church  
743 W. Michigan Ave.  
Jackson, MI 49201  
Meet: 1st Mon/mo 1:30 p.m.  
Dues: \$15.00  
Newsletter: Monthly except July & Dec  
Elections: November

**Members 280**

#### **LANSING SERA CHAPTER #2**

President: Edward F. Panasiewicz Jr  
432 N. Creyts Road  
Lansing, MI 48917  
Vice President: Jeannie Benedict  
Secretary: Evelyn Fratke  
Treasurer: Patricia Snow  
Other: Mary Pollock (Legislative)  
Membership: Carol Haynie  
875 Brookdale, Mason, MI 48854-2026  
Insurance: Don Quillan  
2614 Woodview, Lansing, MI 48917

248/200-6378  
517/886-4576  
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Meeting place: UAW Union Hall  
Local 6000, 3350 N. Grand River,  
Lansing, MI 48906-3870  
Meet: 1st Wed/mo (except Dec) @ 1:30 p.m.  
Dues: \$18.00  
Newsletter: SERA Nade monthly  
Elections: November

**Members 2,762**

#### **LAPEER SERA CHAPTER #4**

President: Robert (Bob) Kopasz  
P.O. Box 692  
Mt. Morris, MI 48458  
Vice President: Jan Badgley  
Secretary: Janice Erb  
Treasurer: Kay Snipes  
Others: D. Camehl, K. Palmer  
Membership: Kim Palmer  
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810/240-8380  
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Meeting place: Mayfield Township Hall  
1900 N. Saginaw Rd, Mayfield, MI 49666  
Meet: 3rd Thurs (except Jan, Feb, July, Aug)  
Dues: \$10.00  
Newsletter: Monthly  
Elections: November

**Members 244**

#### **LAKE SUPERIOR SERA CHAPTER #9**

President: Anthony (Tony) Grudnoski  
216 W. Hewitt Ave.  
Marquette, MI 49855-3422  
Vice President: Bill York  
Secretary: John Mayotte  
Treasurer: Carol McGlynn  
Member secretary: Catherine Aalto  
Membership: Catherine Aalto  
430 Foster Creek Drive

906/228-8670  
[tonyg25@hotmail.com](mailto:tonyg25@hotmail.com)

Meeting place: Marquette Holiday Inn  
1951 US 41, Marquette, MI 49855  
Meet: 3rd Wed. May & Oct  
12:00 p.m. or by board call  
Dues: \$20.00  
Newsletter: Quarterly (Feb, Apr, Sept, Nov)  
Elections: October

**Members 159**

906/361-3711  
[dougovitomom@yahoo.com](mailto:dougovitomom@yahoo.com)

Marquette, MI 49855-9233  
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**NORTH CENTRAL AREA SERA CHAPTER #19**

**Members 338**

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Roscommon, MI 48653  
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Treasurer: Albert Schultz  
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110 Chippewa Trail 989/202-2142  
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Insurance: Ken Dennings 989/821-6711  
136 Stoney Trail, Roscommon, MI 48653 [Kennethdennings@gmail.com](mailto:Kennethdennings@gmail.com)

Meeting place: Houghton Lake Senior Center  
2625 S. Townline Rd.  
Houghton Lake, MI 48629  
Meet: 1st Tues, April - June, Oct - Dec  
1:30 p.m. (except June and Dec, no mtgs. Jan, Feb, Mar, July, Aug, Sep)  
Dues: \$8.00  
Newsletter: Quarterly  
Elections: November

**SERA-PAC-5 (PONTIAC) CHAPTER #5**

**Members 166**

President: Virginia Larson  
3364 Chalice Rd. 248/391-3844  
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Secretary: Emma Kendall  
Treasurer: Bonnie Cadwell  
Sunshine Lady: Mary Hoover  
Membership: Virginia Larson  
Insurance: Cassie Davis 248/334-3938  
14 N. Edith, Pontiac, MI 48342 [mamacass66@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mamacass66@sbcglobal.net)

Meeting place: Pontiac-Waterford Elks  
2100 Scott Lake Rd.  
Waterford, MI 48328  
Meet: 2nd Thru/mo (except Jan & Feb)  
12:30 p.m.  
Dues: \$10.00  
Newsletter: Quarterly (Bob Anderson, Editor)  
Elections: Every other year November

**SAGINAW-MIDLAND-BAY SERA CHAPTER #24**

**Members 279**

President: Leonard Lukshaitis  
4891 Flajole Road 989/496-2098  
Midland, MI 48642 [llukshaitis@yahoo.com](mailto:llukshaitis@yahoo.com)  
Vice President: Joan Vanalstine  
Recording secretary: Joan Vanalstine  
Treasurer: Peter Albin  
Others: Jane Turner, Barbara Parades,  
Mary Vasold, Jane Strom Board members  
Jane Strom, 925 S. Chapin Rd, Merrill, Mi 48637 989/809-6349  
Membership: Leonard Lukshaitis  
Insurance: Leonard Lukshaitis

Meeting place: Peace Lutheran Church  
3427 Adams, Saginaw, MI 48602  
Meet: 3rd Thur Feb, Apr, June, Aug, Oct,  
& Dec at 11:30 a.m.  
Dues: \$13.00 retiree \$7.00 spouse  
Newsletter: 6 x /year (4 wks prior to meeting)  
Elections: December

**SERA MOON-MUSKEGON CHAPTER #23**

**Members 294**

President: Helga Weisner  
1318 White Lake Dr. 231/828-6844  
Twin Lake, MI 49457 E-mail none  
Vice President: Barbara Christiansen  
Secretary: Diana BouwKamp  
Treasurer: Lois McAllister  
Assist. Treasurer: Richard Wells  
Membership: Merry Smith 616/837-5802  
16502 72nd St., Coopersville, MI 49404  
Insurance: Barbara Lenoir 231/683-3964  
2240 Reynolds  
Muskegon Hts., MI 49444

Meeting place: Russ' Restaurant  
3225 Henry St., Muskegon, MI 49441  
Meet: 2nd Thur/mo 12:00 p.m.  
Dues: \$12.00  
Newsletter: Quarterly  
Elections: November

**SOUTHWEST SERA CHAPTER #8**

**Members 201**

President: Clarence (Scotty) Mark  
7441 Hayes Drive, South Haven, MI 49090  
Vice President: Robert Alway  
Secretary: Bobbie DeRyke  
Treasurer: Hennie Kloosterman  
Membership: Hennie Kloosterman  
Insurance: Robert Alway

269/382-4319  
[clmark61@hotmail.com](mailto:clmark61@hotmail.com)  
[RobertAlway@charter.net](mailto:RobertAlway@charter.net)

Meeting place: Prince of Peace Lutheran  
Church, 1747 W. Milham Rd.  
Portage, MI 49024  
Meet: 4th Wed March & Sept at Church  
June & Dec elsewhere  
Dues: \$10.00  
Newsletter: Quarterly  
Elections: December

**THUMB AREA-CARO SERA CHAPTER #15**

President: Donald A. Davis 989/670-1380  
1380 N. Colling Rd., Caro, MI 48723 E-mail: none  
Vice President: David Dunn  
Secretary: Sue Stone  
Treasurer: Janice Neff  
Assistant Treasurer: Ann Priestly  
Membership: Donald Davis 989/670-1380  
Insurance: None

Meeting place: Caro Center  
Conference Room, 2000 Chamber Rd.,  
Caro, MI 48723  
Meet: 4th Thur/mo 12:00 p.m.  
Dues: \$10.00  
Newsletter: Every other month  
Elections: June

**Members: 297**

**TRI COUNTY-GAYLORD SERA CHAPTER #11**

President: Duane Hoffman  
1233 W. Martin Lake Road 231/546-3324  
Gaylord, MI 49735 [duanejanet@centurytel.net](mailto:duanejanet@centurytel.net)  
Vice President: Sheryl Childs  
Secretary: Maria Tomaszewski  
Treasurer: Maria Tomaszewski  
Membership: Duane Hoffman/ Maria Tomaszewski  
Insurance: Duane Hoffman or  
Maria Tomaszewski, P.O. Box 1204, 231/262-1027  
Gaylord, MI 49734-5204 [smtomas@charter.net](mailto:smtomas@charter.net)

Meeting place: B.J.'s Restaurant  
909 N. Center St., Gaylord, MI 49735  
Meet: 2nd Fri. March, June, Sept., Dec. at 12:00 noon  
Dues: \$12.00  
Newsletter: Quarterly (prior to meetings)  
Elections: December (every other year)

**Members: 183**

**UPPER PENINSULA SERA CHAPTER #16**

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Secretary: Frank J. Berres  
Treasurer: Brian LeFevre  
Raffle: Jan Hallett  
Legislative Rep: Dave Hall  
Membership: Judy Slingsby  
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Meeting place: State Office Bldg.  
Conference Room  
305 Ludington St., Escanaba, MI 49829  
Meet: 1st Mon. Feb., May, Aug., Sept., Dec. 1:30 p.m.  
Dues: \$20.00  
Newsletter: Quarterly  
Elections: December

**Member 534**

**YPSILANTI SERA CHAPTER #21**

President: Marie Henderson 734/529-3657  
9171 Plank Road, Maybee, MI 48160 E-mail: none  
Vice President: None  
Secretary: Eleanor Trebilcox  
Treasurer: Yvonne Livermore  
Membership: Marie Henderson  
Insurance: Marie Henderson

Meeting place: Milan Masonic Lodge  
37 Tolan St., Milan, MI 48160  
Meet: 2nd Thur/mo 10:00 a.m.  
Dues: \$15.00  
Newsletter: Quarterly  
Elections: November

**Members: 152**

**EMERITUS MEMBERS:**

John Adams 12/12/1922-1/18/2003  
Bruce Andrews

**DOOR PRIZE DONATIONS for 2016**

Lapeer Chapter #4  
Sothwest Chapter #8

3/4/16  
Friday, August 5, 2016

Zetta Eby	3/20/1911-10/23/2002	Lake Superior Chapter #9	11/4/16
John Gambotto	11/04/1909-5/18/1990		
Ethel Gunter	2/16/1922-11/28/2011		
Linden (Lindy) Guy	4/24/1929-11/01/2012		
Pauline (Polly) Guy			
Ralph Horrocks			
Robert (Bob) Kopasz			
Mary McClellan	1/01/1932-1/27/2014		
Clarence Rosa	7/13/1912-11/23/1990		
Edward Setlock	5/30/1012-11/07/2009		
Al Trierweiler	2/15/1920-2/26/2008		
Alvin Whitfield			

Below is a schedule of the dates the Michigan SERA Coordinating Council (CC) and the Executive Committee meet in 2016  
**MICHIGAN SERA COUNCIL (CC) DATES:**

**March 4, 2016 - Friday**  
**August 5, 2016 - Friday**  
**November 4, 2016 - Friday**

The CC meets at the Charlar Place 4230 Charlar Drive, Holt, MI 48842  
517/699-5595. Registration commences at 9:30 a.m. Meeting commences  
at 10:00 a.m. and continues after the 12:00 p.m. luncheon break, if needed.

\*The March, August, November CC meetings for 2016 will be at  
Charlar Place in Holt, MI (address above).

Meeting cost \$17.00/person . . Registration cost without lunch \$7.00

**MICHIGAN SERA COUNCIL (CC) EXECUTIVE  
COMMITTEE MEETING DATES:**

**February 5, 2016 - Friday**  
**April 1, 2016 - Friday**  
**May 6, 2016 - Friday**  
**June 3, 2016 - Friday**  
**September 2, 2016 - Friday**  
**October 7, 2016 - Friday**

The CC Executive Committee meets in the Community Room of the DeWitt  
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