1	OHIO STATE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION HOUSE OF DELEGATES	
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3		Resolution No. 8 – 2024
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5	Introduced by:	District 3
6	01-14-	Oast of Living Daymant Income
7	Subject:	Cost of Living Payment Increases
8 9	Referred to:	Resolutions Committee No. 1
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13	WHEREAS,	Ohio physicians have not received cost of living increases in Medicare
14	physician payments for over 20 years; and	
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16	WHEREAS , hospitals and nursing homes received yearly cost of living increases in	
17	payment; and	
18 19	WHEDEAG	the costs of wages rent heating and cooling supplies atc. have all
20	WHEREAS , the costs of wages, rent, heating and cooling, supplies, etc., have all increased, making it difficult for physicians to afford to stay in practice; and therefore	
21	morodood, making i	t dimodit for physicians to differ to stay in practice, and therefore
22	BE IT RESC	DLVED , that our OSMA will appeal to the Ohio congressional delegation for
23	legislation to direct CMS to include a yearly cost of living increase in Medicare payments to	
24	physicians.	
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26	Fiscal Note:	\$ (Sponsor)
27		\$ 500 (Staff)
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