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From: Steven L. Valasek, Director of State Accounting

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Subject: Change in Maximum Social Security (OASDI) and Medicare (HI) Contributions for Calendar Year 2006

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The rate of contributions to Social Security will remain at 6.2% for the employee and employer. Medicare will remain at 1.45% for the employee and employer.

The maximum wages subject to Social Security will increase to \$94,200.00. There is no wage base limit for Medicare wages.

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