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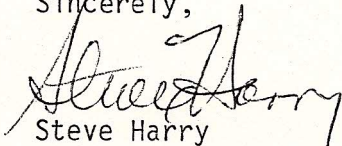
Editor:

What's your problem with the D-word?

In my December 1 Point of View column on re-vamping the U.S. Congress, you cut out my statements that real democracy exists when laws and government actions reflect the will of the majority, and that the efficiency of a democracy is measured by the speed at which the will of majority is transformed into the law of the land. And then in my February 15 letter to the editor in which I suggested we all share the pain of the State's budget emergency by accepting a temporary income tax increase, you chopped my explanation that since Michigan is a democracy, Michigan citizens are collectively responsible for the deficit.

I think democracy is a serious issue for the U.S. and for Michigan. Apparently you don't want it discussed.

Sincerely,



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