

Letter from Mrs. Stuhr to Iowa Governor Robert Ray about Tai Dam Refugees, May 13, 1980

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Governor Robert D. Ray
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If a vote of the Iowa people could be taken we would bet that over 90% of the Iowa people would disapprove of the boat people in Iowa to be supported by our tax dollars.

Lets hope you do not bring the Cubans here. They should not even be brought into the United States. We can feel sorry for them but we have enough of our own to care for. If we can't help them in their own country than it is just too bad.

If we have so much money to feed these people than why not relieve the tax burden for the middle class working people.

I can see why a lot of our good young people do want to sign up for the draft. If war should break out why should they defend these foreigners.

Lets start to take care of our own-I am 65 and have to continue to work and at that I can barely make ends meet. Thank God I still have my health.

Sincerely,

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