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Why does this strike me as the same thing as FDR's CONFISCATION of private gold in 1934. Why do you think the government is better at making investment decisions than an individual? This country was founded on taking care of oneself, not relying on others, especially the government to do so. It is bad enough that the US government has destroyed the future value of the dollar, but that does not give you the right to confiscate my hard earned savings.

As further proof this is nothing more than an attempt to steal and pilfer my IRA, if I want an annuity I can currently buy one through my IRA provider or switch to a provider who offers that useless underperforming asset class.

Tell Pelosi and Frank and any other scumbag socialists or kleptocrats to keep their grubby hands of my money. And that goes for those thieving bastards on Wall St as well.