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Subject: Early Learning Resolution

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Dear Council member Yang:

As a father to 4 and as someone active in the childcare of my 9 grandchildren, I was excited to see the early learning resolution on the agenda for this week's meeting. Early learning is important to me because I know intimately the childcare crisis in our community, how important early learning opportunities are for children in their later school experiences, and how worthwhile a community's investment in early childhood is. Thank you for listening to your constituents as we have asked for. a local solution to early learning in our community, and I encourage you to vote yes during tomorrow's vote.

Also, while my support is based as a community member, I can not overstate the broader health care support for your decision to support Early Learning. As a past CEO of Children's Hospitals and Regions Hospital, your support for Early childhood Learning is essential to our children and our community's future. You must vote for this, or your reputation will suffer: both politically and in the broader community of supporting our human needs. We need you to support this effort!

Thank you for all the good work you do, and the difficult decisions you make. So far, you have done a great job. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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