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Subject: Comment on 10/10 City Agenda item 22: Committee regarding new Director of City's Human Rights Department

Dear Councilors Brendmoen, Noecker, and Tolbert,

It was very nice meeting all of you at today's weekly council meeting. I'm glad that your group have completed the second reading of agenda item 22, committee to be formed in seeking new Director for this city office.

I came to today's meeting because this issue is very important to my work group. I represent a 21-member group. Together, we are the Commission for the same city department that this new director will lead.

As a Commissioner of city's HREEO Commission, I would like to brief you of my colleague's application to volunteer on number 22's committee. If you have not known that, I would like to tell you that one of our Commissioners has put in an application with the selection body early on, but recently the update from my group is that my colleague is not offered the opportunity to volunteer on the committee.

I feel heart broken about that. My group is a stakeholder to city's Human Rights Department. One of our Commissioners has applied to volunteer on the committee. It breaks my heart to know that people think someone else is more competent than my colleague to serve on this matter.

I would like to urge you to bring up my group in the upcoming public hearing of item 22. I would also ask you to propose selecting my colleague to the committee.

Thank you for considering my requests.

Yours sincerely,

Catherine Dahlberg

HREEO Commissioner

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