

JULY 2, 2014

Dear Member of City Council,

I am writing to you today regarding the Interim Ward 20 Councillor decision before Council on July 7th.

The Entertainment District continues to undergo extraordinary development. A number of city studies are underway for this area. Traffic congestion, public transportation, public realm and infrastructure issues continue to be very big concerns for the businesses and residents of this community.

John Street Cultural Corridor as a transformed destination street and pedestrian priority street remain one of our top initiatives.

Please consider the extraordinary amount of activity taking place within our BIA when reviewing the potential candidates for the interim position. We need someone who understands this area and can help to keep the momentum going. The right candidate is someone who supports the BIA efforts, our master plan and can demonstrate interest in the needs of residents and businesses alike.

Thank you for your time and consideration on this matter.

Kind regards,



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