

March 12, 2025

Hon. Tyisha Walker-Myers President, Board of Alders City of New Haven 165 Church St, 2nd Floor New Haven, CT 06520

Re: Request for Approval to Accept Tentative Agreement with Local 217 – Food Service

Dear President Walker-Myers,

I respectfully submit the enclosed submission requesting the approval of the Board of Alders for the recently concluded Tentative Agreement Between the New Haven Board of Education and the Board of Education Employees Local 217 Food Service, July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2028. As this is a multi-year contract, the approval of the Board of Alders is required.

The Board of Education believes this is a fair tentative agreement and it was approved by the Full Board of Education at its February 28, 2025 special meeting. Thank you for your consideration of this new agreement which provides fair salary increases for our hardworking Food Service workers; while remaining fiscally responsible to the District Budget and City tax payers. I look forward to the Alders' prompt approval of the Agreement.

Thank you again for your time and attention.

Very truly yours,

Michael Constal

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