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**To: City of New Haven Civilian Review Board**

**Board Chair: Anne Marie Berrios**

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Dear Honorable Board of Alders,

This letter is to express my intent to apply for a seat at large to the Civilian Review Board for the City of New Haven. I am a lifelong resident of the City of New Haven. I have previous experience in community organizing through New Haven Fighting Back as Neighborhood Liaison. Providing services and staff support to the original community management teams and the New Haven Empowerment Zone Committee.

In this role I have had the honor of not only working directly with member of the most distressed communities, but also, work to build and close the gap between community and police as the City of New Haven moved towards Community Base Policing.

As a 25-year Human Services Professional I bring a unique personal lived experiences and a professional skill sets. I believe that my years as a Community Organizer, Reentry Coordinator and Substance Abuse Counselor has truly prepared me to serve in the capacity of a member of the Civilian Review Board.

I ask for your support and consideration in this matter.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. 203-675-9641 [gak3960@gmail.com](mailto:gak3960@gmail.com)

Sincerely,

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