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To Whom It May Concern,

My name is Manuel Camacho and I am seeking to join the City of New Haven Peace Commission formally. I have been working with the NHPC since 2019 on various events, gatherings, meetings, etc. I have been a youth social justice and political activist for almost 9 years in New Haven and throughout the state. I have always advocated for peace, justice, equity, and overall a better tomorrow for everyone. I have tackled numerous issues that disrupt a person's sense of peace whether it is gun violence, economic disparities, housing unaffordability, racial discrimination, and countless others. I am seeking to further my part in continuing to make New Haven a better place by joining the New Haven Peace Commission. I am hoping that by joining the New Haven Peace Commission, I can provide a bridge to the youth of the city so we may better help them.

Sincerely,

Manuel Camacho