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**Subject:** Bing Goei for 3rd Ward  
**Importance:** High

To : The Honorable Mayor and City Commissioners  
Grand Rapids City Commission  
300 Monroe Avenue NW  
Grand Rapids, MI 49503

Dear Mayor and Members of the Grand Rapids City Commission,

I am writing to enthusiastically recommend Bing Goei for the Third Ward Commissioner position in Grand Rapids.

I have had the privilege of knowing Bing for over 25 years, and his dedication to our community is unparalleled.

Bing's background and experience make him an ideal candidate for this role.

As the former Director of the Michigan Office for New Americans, he has championed diversity, inclusion, and economic development.

His commitment to fostering collaboration among different cultural groups has been instrumental in building bridges within our community.

Bing's leadership extends beyond his professional accomplishments. He has actively participated in local initiatives, serving on various boards and committees.

His passion for education, economic growth, and environmental sustainability aligns perfectly with the values of Grand Rapids.

In addition to his professional qualifications, Bing possesses exceptional communication skills. He listens attentively, engages thoughtfully, and seeks innovative solutions.

His ability to bring people together, regardless of their backgrounds, is commendable. He has been a strong advocate and leader for West Michigan American Asian American and our local communities.

I am confident that Bing Goei will serve the Third Ward with integrity, compassion, and a deep understanding of the issues facing our community.

His vision for a vibrant, inclusive Grand Rapids is inspiring, and I wholeheartedly endorse his candidacy.

Thank you for considering Bing Goei for this important position.

I believe he will contribute significantly to the continued growth and prosperity of our city.

Sincerely,

Nadeem Hamid  
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