

February 28, 2024

Subject: Letter of Support for Mr. Bing Goei's Appointment to Third Ward City Commission Seat

Dear Mayor Bliss and Grand Rapids City Commissioners,

I am writing to express my wholehearted support and endorsement for the appointment of Mr. Bing Goei to the open Third Ward City Commission seat recently vacated by Reverend Nathaniel Moody.

Throughout my years of knowing Mr. Goei, he has demonstrated exceptional character and integrity and has shown a strong commitment to the Grand Rapids community with his various board leadership roles and volunteerism in organizations and through his mentorship of young professionals. His positive ability to collaborate and work with a diverse citizenry is evident from his extensive community activities. Having personally experienced his collaborative approach to finding solutions, I can attest to Mr. Goei's history of fostering inclusive relationships with diverse citizens and leaders throughout the City of Grand Rapids.

I believe that Mr. Bing Goei's multitude of experiences and his track record of inclusiveness and success make him an ideal representative for the Third Ward on the City Commission. His dedication to community development and his understanding of the diverse interests and voices within the Third Ward will undoubtedly contribute to the continued growth and prosperity of Grand Rapids.

I am delighted and proud to offer my endorsement for Mr. Bing Goei's appointment as the Third Ward City Commissioner. It would be encouraging for our community's present and future prospects to have your elected body place Mr. Goei into this assignment.

If there is any need for further elaboration on how I see and have experienced his qualifications, please do not hesitate to contact (RodneyBrown3344@gmail.com).

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

-Mr. Brown

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