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*Via – U.S. Mail*

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**RE: *Complaint Against Mayor / City Manager of Cedar Hills***

Dear Jeff:

Thank you for returning my call and providing the information you did to my assistant, Krystal Bain. I appreciate your view, but the matter is not something I should worry about at this time and that you will notify me when that status changes.

As you can appreciate, these allegations have created significant angst for the City, the Council and certainly for Mayor Richardson and the City Manager. The Council is fully supportive of the Mayor and Mr. Hildebrandt. The allegations clearly do not tell the whole story, are untruthful and defamatory, and are simply the result of political differences. The Mayor and the Council are concerned that the public disclosure of these allegations creates a negative cloud over the entire community. Accordingly, there is an important interest to be served by a resolution of what is pending, which I believe the allegations certainly do not merit the initiation of any removal proceeding. However, I am fully prepared to provide you with a full and complete refutation of all allegations and demonstrate their untruthfulness.

That said, in light of your phone message, I will wait to hear from you if you believe such a presentation is necessary.

I would appreciate if you could communicate your decision to me before it is publicly disclosed. I ask this only as a courtesy to my clients, who, along with the City, are quite eager to get this matter behind them. I trust you understand why that is important.