MEMORANDUM FROM THE DESK OF LINDA D. BERNARD J.D., LL.M.

LINDA D. BERNARD AND ASSOCIATES PLC

To: Mr. Scotty Boman, President, DRACO

From: Linda D. Bernard J.D., LL.M.

Date: October 9, 2020

Re: Participation in DRACO Event

Thank you for the invitation to participate in your forum with the <u>two</u>other candidates in the District 2 Detroit Police Commission Race. **Councilman McCallister** requested all 3 of us to make separate statements at his community meeting a week ago.

Respectfully, although I have great admiration for DRACO and your sponsors; all of whom have been in the "trenches" with me on community justice issues in Detroit for many years, my schedule does not permit me to participate.

Please tell your participants to contact me directly if I can be of service, and give **Steve Hood and Ashley Smith**, my warmest personal regards. I am terribly busy protecting the civil rights of clients and community members whose legal rights have been compromised by police action and both the criminal and civil justice system.

I can and will make a significant difference and accomplish tactical achievements that will <u>greatly</u> benefit DRACO and your supporting organizations as the next Police Commissioner for District 2.

Please know you can count on my continued support. My platform is attached. If any of your sponsors or guests have any specific questions for me, I will be happy to reply directly.

Sincerely,

Linda

"A WARRIOR FOR JUSTICE"

CTE Atty. Linda D. Bernard Police Commissioner, District 2