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Subject: Supporting the Indigenous Seat Initiative

From: Rose Castelao

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To: Office of the Mayor < Officeofthe. Mayor@hamilton.ca>

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Dear Mayor Andrea Horwath,

I am writing to express my strong support for the Indigenous seat initiative. As a social service worker student at Six Nations Polytechnic, I'm learning how this approach can improve community health, environmental stewardship, and social harmony by integrating traditional knowledge with contemporary practices.

Your advocacy and support for this initiative are vital for a more inclusive and healthy Hamilton. Your vote could have decided this important issue. Please encourage the council to recognize its importance and vote for it.

We already have the best pizza in the world, I know we can become the first Canadian city to have a seat for an indigenous representative.

Sincerely,

Rose Castelao Alvarez (she/her)