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From: Hali Tsui Sent: Wednesday, June 17, 2020 12:02 PM To: <u>clerk@hamilton.ca</u> Subject: Action

Hello,

I am writing to see what concrete actions you are taking to address racism in the many institutions in our city. You are in a position of power and words are not enough. We just looked at the allotment of funds in our property tax. Policing has a very large percentage of our tax. I am sure you are aware of the defund police protests. There needs to be more funds directed towards mental health, community services for the marginalized, community policing instead of use-of-force training. Body cameras are a good idea too. What are you committed to doing?

We have all heard enough meaningless words, we need action from our elected representatives. We need you to step up and make some bold changes in the right direction. Enough is enough.

Sincerely, Hali Tsui