Accountability and Transparency Committee Chair: Councilor Lloyd Ferguson

C/O Vanessa Robicheau, committee coordinator.

## Re: Resignation of Position, Accountability and Transparency Committee.

Please make effective at or before the next scheduled *Accountability and Transparency Committee* meeting, my resignation from this committee. Please accept my thanks and gratitude for the opportunity to be a citizen member of this committee, and I wish I could have remained a member so that I could contribute to the several goals that remain outstanding on the agenda.

Unfortunately, from the time that I accepted my position on this committee up to now, my employment circumstances have made my availability less flexible. As such, meetings have been arranged at times when I have been unable to attend. This has been the case for at least the preceding 3 meetings, and it is unfair to hold the position any longer, thereby preventing another individual with better ability to contribute, from doing so.

I do hope that you see fit to accept this resignation, and also that you are able to fill the seat in the 15 months remaining on the tenure of this current committee. Thank you again for this opportunity to serve this committee, and our City and citizens of Hamilton. It truly is an honour to share a position such as this in the company of so many outstanding and committed Hamiltonians.

Sincerely,

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Laura Ryan.