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Honorable Elinor Carbone Mayor, City of Torrington 140 Main Street Torrington, CT 06790

Dear Mayor Carbone:

Torrington Housing Authority (THA) Board of Commissioners is very fortunate in having a member of the community interested in service as a member of the Board of Commissioners of the Torrington Housing Authority. She is interested in serving out the remaining term of Charles Marciano, who moved out-of-state in December 2017.

Diane Cerruto is a long-time employee of Torrington Savings Bank and lives in the City of Torrington. She has met with Board members and attended a Board meeting in an effort to determine if this was a good fit for her. We are extremely happy that she determined it was a good fit.

As you are aware, the Housing Authority is facing long-term challenges due to dwindling finances, client population changes and HUD ever-increasing and changing regulation(s). We have been extremely fortunate to have Board members who are willing to deal with these issues in an effort to maintain a good living environment for Authority clients and ultimately be a positive force in the City. We feel Diane Cerruto will further the efforts of the Board to maintain this course.

I join with the members of the Board of Commissioners in requesting that you give serious consideration to appointing Diane Cerruto a Commissioner of the Torrington Housing Authority for the remaining vacant term ending August 31, 2018.

Thank you for the opportunity to make this recommendation.

Respectfully submitted.

Claudia A. Sweeney Executive Director

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