

# HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF TORRINGTON

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

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Dear Mayor Carbone:

Torrington Housing Authority (THA) Board of Commissioners is very fortunate to have a member of the community interested in continuing service as a member of the Board of Commissioners of the Torrington Housing Authority. Robert (Bob) Milano is the current Treasurer of the Board, and his term expires August 31, 2020.

As you are aware, Bob Milano is a past Chief of Police in Torrington and as such brings a unique perspective to the issues presented to the Board. He also makes himself available for questions or guidance regarding operations of the Authority. Bob has been an active and effective member of the Board of Commissioners for almost ten years and has indicated he would like to continue to serve.

As you are also 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 are currently dealing with the COVID 19 issues and all the challenges it is bringing. Board support has been tremendous in our successful operation(s) during this unprecedented pandemic. 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.

I join with the members of the Board of Commissioners in requesting that you give serious consideration to re-appointing Bob Milano to another term as a Commissioner of the Torrington Housing Authority from September 1, 2020 until August 31, 2025.

Thank you for the opportunity to make this recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

Claudia A. Sweeney  
Executive Director



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