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Hon. Michael McSweeney Clerk of the Council 141 Worth Street New York, New York 10013

Dear Mr. McSweeney,

I write to inform you that I will resign my seat on the City Council effective at the conclusion of December 31, 2024.

It is with the most heavy of hearts that I leave this institution. I love the people I serve and the neighborhoods we call home. Being chosen by my neighbors to be their voice in government will always be a high honor of my life, and I am grateful to continue serving the public in the State Assembly beginning next month.

During my time in office, I have tried to be a voice for those who feel abandoned by their government; to channel their collective voices into the one you heard for the last seven years. With common-sense as a guide, I strove to travel the path of substance before showmanship and people before politics. When I was of different opinion, I disagreed without being disagreeable.

It has been honoring and humbling to walk the same floor as so many giants on whose shoulders we stand. We serve in a house where we can do so much for New Yorkers if only we remember that we work for the people, and not the other way around. That has always been at the forefront of my service, and I hope to continue on the same path in Albany.

It has been an immense privilege to serve in your presence and alongside those who make standing up for New Yorkers their life's work. I will forever treasure the wonderful New Yorkers I represent who entrust me to serve, and those public servants who, in putting the public first, make public service meaningful.

Most sincerely yours,

KALMAN YEG

New York City Councilman

cc: Hon. Eric Adams, Mayor of New York