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To: Council President Merisa Bowers From: Jessica Hilts, MMC, Council Office staff

RE: Intent to seek election as IIMC Region V Director

Dear President Bowers,

I am writing to share my intent to seek election as Region V Director for the International Institute of Municipal Clerks (IIMC) for the 2027–2030 term and to respectfully request a letter of support. The Region V Director represents Municipal Clerks from IN, KY, MI, OH, and TN on the IIMC Board.

This opportunity aligns with Gahanna's commitment to professional excellence and public service. It also gives us a voice and insights into legislative and administrative trends across the region, nationally, and internationally.

Preparing for this opportunity, I consulted with leadership in our state, region and IIMC, receiving strong encouragement to run. The next opportunity for an Ohio delegate occurs in 2027, and early notice is recommended for this elected seat.

This position represents a natural progression in my professional growth and an opportunity to amplify the meaningful work being done in Gahanna. I would truly appreciate your support and would be glad to discuss any details at your convenience.

I appreciate your time and consideration. Thank you!

Sincerely,

Jessica Hilts, MMC Management Analyst Council Office City of Gahanna