

Legislation Text

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Resolution to Remove Councilmember Hayner from Current Appointments Whereas, Councilmember Hayner publicly posted a quote on social media containing a slur that is derogatory toward LGBTQ persons;

Whereas, Such derogatory language is harmful to the LGBTQ community;

Whereas, City Council, by Resolution R-20-438 of November 16, 2020, made its annual appointments of Council members to Council committees and various other bodies;

Whereas, City Council finds that this conduct is cause to remove Councilmember Hayner from those appointments;

Whereas, The Council Administration Committee considered this matter and voted to bring forward a resolution for removal of Councilmember Hayner from those appointments;

RESOLVED, That Councilmember Hayner is hereby removed from all current Council committees and other appointments for the remainder of this annual appointment cycle (until December 1, 2021), namely:

Council Audit Committee Brownfield Plan Review Committee Council of the Commons Huron River Watershed Council Liaison Liquor License Review Committee Park Advisory Commission Washtenaw Metro Alliance

RESOLVED, That City Council recommends that Councilmember Hayner attend relevant antidiscrimination, diversity, and sensitivity training;

RESOLVED, That Council members wishing to fill the vacancies on these bodies should express interest to Councilmember/Mayor Pro Tem Grand, who shall propose recommendations for appointment.

Sponsored by: Mayor Taylor and Councilmembers Eyer and Grand