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To: <u>Michael Blake</u>; <u>James Goins</u>; <u>Lorraine Koss</u>; <u>Herbert Dyal</u>; <u>Carie Shealy</u>

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<u>Senger</u>

Subject: My Complete ecomment for Jan 12, 2021 Council Delegations

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Mayor Blake, City Manager Whitten and City Attorney Garganese:

In August 2020 the previous Mayor took it upon himself to defame, libel and slander myself, Broadmoor Acres Community Restoration and Preservation Inc and city staff with the aide and cooperation of then Interim City Manager Fuhrer by accusing myself, BACRAP and City Staff of being engaged in a development scheme. Deputy Mayor Goins took it upon himself to put his 2 cents in these baseless accusations to try and further his involvement in a Section 8 development Goins and Williams had promised city owned property to developers for.

Williams announced a call for an FBI Investigation.

I am formally giving the City Notice that any and all alleged information Williams is said to have turned over to FBI be made public without any further delay. I am formally giving the City of Cocoa notice to either publicly confirm an FBI investigation is active or to publicly put this scam by Williams to rest along with him.

I have not included one "alleged" member of council because I am still challenging that individuals qualifying to have even been on the ballot. While I have been contacted and asked to drop my challenge to Hearn let me be clear in stating exactly what I stated to Mr. Hearn in a personal meeting with him. I am not going to attack him but on the same token I am *NOT* withdrawing or dropping my court challenge against him or the City of Cocoa.

I would be remiss if I did not mention and be completely transparent that I believe I was contacted and asked to drop my challenge of Hearn's election because it is believed Hearn would cast a favorable vote on an upcoming Council Agenda item. Especially when these very same individuals thought the charter and law should apply to others but not Hearn. I would point out that should Hearn cast a vote that was later nullified with his removal by the courts the City would only find itself in yet another pickle.

I also have a real issue with individuals in this city injecting themselves in matters and setting meetings where they freely drop council members names in their efforts to accomplish a particular goal. This activity in my opinion can constitute sunshine law violations and we simply do not need anymore of those than we already have and had with Koss, Goins, Williams et al.

I cannot and will not compromise myself, or my sincere belief that the rules and the laws should apply to EVERYONE, and allow myself to be bought off to allow the charter and the law to be violated because it benefits someone I know.

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"When you look in the mirror and see no change, and still keep faith, knowing that in time you will get there if you stay focused and on track, that's the difference between those who succeed and those who fail."

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