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Sent: Tuesday, September 23, 2025 3:13 PM

**To:** City Council

**Subject:** Item 9B Code of Conduct Complaint

Dear City Council Members,

Please stand with women, please stand with Councilmember Orbach. Every woman in public service is watching. So are parents raising daughters. We cannot send the message that women need to abide harassment; we must send a message that says, "you are safe to stand up for your rights."

We deserve leaders who stand with women. Please stand with Councilmember Orbach. The complaint against Councilmember Orbach is rooted in intimidation. Elevating it to a public hearing sends a decidedly wrong message.

Thank you.

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