

**Gautho, Julia**

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**From:** Monica Pielage <mpielage@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 23, 2025 1:13 PM  
**To:** City Council  
**Subject:** Item 9B Code of Conduct Complaint

Dear Councilmembers,

I urge the Council to dismiss the complaint against Councilmember Orbach on September 25.

Councilmember Orbach has already acknowledged that naming an individual was a mistake she will not repeat. The heart of her comments was about safety, respect, and boundaries — things every community should support.

Sincerely,

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