



February 1, 2021

Dear Mayor Romero and City Clerk Roger Randolph,

Representing the constituents of Ward 3 has been a profound privilege. However, in order to attend to personal matters, I am now compelled to resign from my position as the Ward 3 Councilmember prior to the expiration of my term. My resignation from elective office will be effective at the close of business on March 1, 2021.

I wanted to advise you of my resignation now so that you can begin to take the steps necessary to fill my office once it becomes vacant on March 1st. I'm hopeful that this advance notice will help provide continuity in the representation of the Ward 3 constituents. During these next few weeks, I will wrap up some matters at the office, and I will continue to carry out my duties as Councilmember.

I want to thank my Ward 3 staff for the extraordinary work that they do every day. I also thank my colleagues on the Mayor and Council, each of whom is copied with this letter, for your friendship and leadership. And I thank all City employees for their service to our community.

But most of all, I thank my husband Philippe, for everything.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Paul W. Durham". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Paul Durham

Cc: Mayor and Council