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Dear Fellow Clawson Resident,

As I am sure you are well aware, we will have an election quickly upon us. In fact, the absentee ballots are likely to be in your mailbox within days of you receiving this letter. It is for this reason that I write you today with a sense of urgency. To be brief, I need your help.

My family and I have been Clawsonites for over a decade now, and in just that relatively short amount of time I have both witnessed, and facilitated in, some great things in our City. I have seen the beginning of a rejuvenation of our downtown, the largest public works project in fifty years, and a renewed interest in reaching out to the next generation of Clawsonites coming in to our city. As I am sure you will agree, these are wonderful attributes that any City would be envious of. However, my concern lies with keeping this positive momentum going.

I feel that the City has lost some of this precious momentum at the most critical time. When we should be aggressively competing for new homeowners and protecting our property values, we are instead dealing with the consequences of neglecting the basic tenets of leadership: communication, shared vision, accountability, and action. During these turbulent times is exactly when we need bold leadership that is willing to fight to protect our property values and market share. In short, I believe we should not let a good crisis go to waste!

I am running for Mayor to help correct these issues and to get Clawson moving forward again. I am a firm believer in personal accountability for myself and those I surround myself with. I would not accept the status quo; instead I would demand continuous improvement in all areas of government. I believe this to be a necessity in order to aggressively compete against our municipal neighbors for new home and business owners.

As your Mayor, I would build and share a common vision among our City leaders and improve communication across all areas of government. This is critical in today's society where important decisions are made very quickly and must be based upon concise information that is readily available. Furthermore, I would open these lines of communication with our surrounding municipalities and school systems to work towards common sense solutions that will help all of us.

I have had the opportunity to serve you in the capacity of Councilman and Mayor Pro-Tem during some of our most exciting and successful times. From these, and my professional experiences, I feel that I can successfully serve you as Mayor. I ask you for your vote so that I can help move us forward and maintain our mutual pride in Clawson. For additional information you can contact me at 248-515-6847, email@kurthack.com, or by visiting my website at www.kurthack.com.

Sincerely,

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P.S. I can tell you from personal experience how close Clawson elections can be. Please remember that your vote DOES count and that if you don't file an absentee ballot you can still vote on November 3rd at your designated precinct.