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Chief Frank Bergen  
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**RE: A Letter of Thanks & Appreciation**

Dear Chief Bergen

On behalf of the Executive of the Hamilton Black Health Community Leaders Forum -The Forum, I'd like to express our sincerest thanks and gratitude to you for taking time off your busy schedule to grace our AFRICA DAY 2023 Celebration with your presence.

We were exceptionally happy that despite the many obligations you had on that day, you still made time to visit us and chatted with us to find about Africa Day. This shows the level of commitment from the HPS to connect and work with the African Diaspora community in Hamilton to create a healthier and prosperous city to live in. As we look forward into the future, we see how we can continue to collaborate and work together to improve the health outcomes of the African diaspora and our families living in Hamilton.

Thank you once again and we look forward seeing you again.

Yours Truly

Comfort Afari MSW, RSW

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