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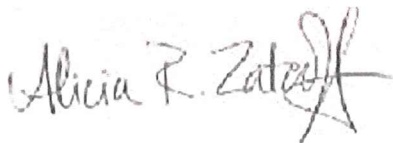
Members of the 2019 Group B Appeals Board, Mr. Wheeler, and Mr. Sims,

The City of Richmond had the opportunity to participate in the 2021 IECC voting process. We were relieved to learn in April that the challenges were not upheld by the Validation Committee and review of the ICC Board of Directors. We were disappointed to learn that these same challenges have been resurfaced as appeals. The City of Richmond is writing today to encourage you to uphold the outcomes of this voting process.

We'd like to address the main area of the appeal re: the attempt to overturn the online vote

Our voting representatives followed the rules laid out by the ICC in the voting process, and in doing so, it seems did overturn some proposals that were disapproved at the committee level and at the hearings in Las Vegas. The online votes greatly outweighed the number of votes on the committee or in the room at the public comment hearings. Our votes were among those moving the IECC forward to meet the needs of our community. We took into consideration the opinion of the committee, the written proposals and public comments, and the video testimony, and believed that for our jurisdiction, the proposal met our needs. Our needs may differ from those represented by the committee or the members in Las Vegas, but that does not make our needs less valid.

I encourage you to uphold these voting results. Thank you to you and your staff for maintaining the integrity of this system and thank you for your consideration.



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