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20 Jan 2022

Mayor and Members of Strategic Priorities and Policy Committee

Re: appointment to London Downtown Business Association

Dear Colleagues,

When Councillor Kayabaga took a leave to seek election as the Member of Parliament for London West, I was appointed as the council representative on the board of the London Downtown Business Association until Councillor Kayabaga's leave was resolved. It was always my intention to serve in this role only until the Councillor for Ward 13 could do so.

In consultation with staff in the City Clerk's office, the Chair of the LDBA and Councillor Fyfe-Millar, I am writing to advise you that am resigning from the board of the LDBA, effective at noon on 15 Feb 2022, the day a replacement is most likely to be appointed by Municipal Council.

The LDBA does incredibly important work to advocate for its members and is a key partner in a strong, vibrant and lively downtown. It has been a pleasure serving with my colleagues on the board for this relatively short time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jesse".

Jesse Helmer
Councillor, Ward 4