

January 27, 2023

Senator Melissa Wiklund
2107 Minnesota Senate Bldg.
St. Paul, MN 55155

Dear Senator Wiklund:

I served on Commissioner Harpstead's Advisory Panel for several years as a newly-appointed Commissioner of the Walz administration.

As Chair of Health and Human Services and as Chair of Ways and Means, I participated with Commissioner Harpstead on her process improvement in DHS, her commitment to community co-creation of processes, policies and investment into communities and her interest in recognizing and leading in equity, including race equity.

I believe she will continue to lead on creating better outcomes for our BIPOC communities and all Minnesotans across the state.

I fully support the confirmation of Commissioner Harpstead.

Sincerely,



Rena Moran
Commissioner, District 4