

Canton City Clerk

From: Lolly Melander [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, April 1, 2022 7:32 AM
To: canton@acegroup.cc
Subject: Apology letter

Dear Canton Mayor, Council Members and Residents,

First, I want to sincerely apologize to all of Canton's residents, Mayor and Council Members for my mistrust of the oath of office.

I also want to take a moment to hopefully highlight to each of you, that there is more to my story.

For those of you who know me, they would probably describe me with words such as; compassionate, loving, hardworking, funny, and a person that helps whomever is in need to name a few.

In my tenure as the city clerk/treasurer, I valued the ability we had to work as a team, even if it meant getting dirty, to get the job done or solve a problem. More so, what I really cherished were those that I was able to help. Providing a safe space for those needing confidentiality, volunteering as an EMT, and helping the elderly were the cornerstones of what my time with the city were to me. Each of these individual actions created the opportunity to build upon one another and establish lasting memories by helping to give back to the community I love so much.

I am a mother, sister, daughter, friend and neighbor to the amazing citizens of this city. I look to you to see me for who I am, vice the mistakes that I made. I hope that you will find the strength to forgive me and know that I never intentionally did anything to cause anyone heartache or pain. It takes a strong person to admit when they are wrong and apologize, and an even stronger one to forgive them.

My Sincere & heartfelt apologies,

Lolitta Melander (Lolly)



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OF AN ORIGINAL DOCUMENT**
SIGNED Bruce Berger
DATE 4-1-2022