From: Paulette

To: <u>Carol Ann Desiderio</u>

**Subject:** Re: Please vote No on the Palestinian Ceasefire Resolution

**Date:** Sunday, June 2, 2024 8:36:09 AM

Thanks for the quick reply back requesting my address See Below

72 Ashland Street, unit 104 Malden, Ma 02148

On Jun 2, 2024, at 9:42 AM, Paulette Buchheim <paulette.buchheim@gmail.com> wrote:

It was suggested that I send you a copy of the email I sent to the council-members so that it can be officially logged.

By the way may I add, I heard Israel has offered another cease fire and we are waiting on Hamas to accept it. Sadly, these one sided resolutions, marches, and demonstrations are doing nothing to put pressure on Hamas to accept but encouraging them to play victim.

Paulette Buchheim

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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** Paulette Buchheim <paulette.buchheim@gmail.com>

**Date:** May 29, 2024 at 1:16:01 AM GMT+2

Subject: Please vote No on the Palestinian Ceasefire Resolution

Dear Council People and Mayor Christianson,

As a Maldonian and a child of Holocaust survivors, I ask you to vote no on the resolution. It won't make a difference. Hamas has turned downed every opportunity for peace. Hamas and their backers the Islamic Republic of Iran, are smiling because they have played America. If we pass this, the terrorist win.

I want a lasting ceasefire that will bring peace and prosperity to both Israel and Palestinians. I have relatives that are related to hostages and victims of October 7th. These people thought they were friends to the Gazans, they didn't know people they knew and trusted would turn on them with such brutality.

As a child of two Holocaust survivors, I have also asked myself, how did my grandparents friends and neighbors, whom they also trusted and thought were friends turn on them as well. I have even gone to their home towns, trying to find answers. It happens so quickly.

Let's be realistic, Hamas and Netanyahu, honestly don't care what we think. It will not change anything. What these votes have done is shown anti-semitism is alive and making a come back. Council people are being bullied in to supporting this cause. Even our local council people have cherry picked the Jewish voices they are listening to, blocking them on social media who could shed light on a tricky history.

There are a number of conflicts around the world, why the concern for this one? Why aren't we demanding the Russians end the war in Ukraine? What about Syria killing their own people? It comes down to Israel is Jewish. The one tiny little state that is a Jewish state. The one true democracy where the population is diverse, allowing all religions and sexual identities to live in freedom. Every other country and territory has expelled their Jewish population. Israel a country of oppressed people who were given a chance and created a land of Milk and Honey.

I am member of the Malden Jewish alliance. If any of you have questions, we open to have discussions to explain any concerns you have on the topic.

Paulette Buchheim Malden, Ma

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