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April 17, 2025

Honorable City Council Members
The City of Mount Vernon
Mount Vernon, New York
(Through the Office of the Mayor)

Re: Request for Legislation to Accept Donation of Three (3) Trees from Neighbors That Care, Inc.

Dear Honorable City Council Members,

I am writing to respectfully request that the Honorable City Council enact legislation to accept a donation of three (3) trees from Neighbors That Care, Inc. This donation of Bradford Pear Trees will be planted and cared for by the Department of Public Works alongside South Columbus Avenue near the Graham School parking lot. Neighbors That Care is requesting that these trees be planted on or before May 3, 2025 for the commemoration of individuals within the surrounding neighborhood who have passed away.

There is no cost associated with this donation, and no stipulations attached outside of the requested location of the trees. If this request meets your approval, we kindly ask that the necessary legislation be enacted to facilitate this donation.

Respectfully,

Damani L. Bush
Commissioner of Public Works
DB/lp
Cc: Parks Supervisor

A handwritten signature in green ink, appearing to read "DB", is written over the printed name "Damani L. Bush".

"The Jewel of Westchester"