

Vice Mayor Hellman Response to Notice of Intention to Circulate Recall Petition

The deceptive and misleading allegations in this recall petition distort the facts and distract from the real challenges facing Fairfax—housing, infrastructure, and fire safety. **This recall effort is an expensive distraction, costing taxpayers \$60,000** to relitigate decisions voters have already made.

Vice Mayor Hellman was elected in 2019 and re-elected in 2022 with more votes than any other candidate. She has served Fairfax with dedication to protecting the town's character, ensuring responsible governance, and advancing policies that prioritize the well-being of all residents.

This recall is not about better governance; it's about resisting progress and undermining the will of the voters. **It mirrors the toxic and divisive tactics of MAGA politics**—disinformation, personal attacks, and manufactured outrage—designed to sow division instead of promoting solutions. **Fairfax deserves leadership focused on real issues, not political theater.**

Hellman remains committed to serving with integrity, transparency, and dedication. We urge the community to please reject this polarizing recall and DO NOT SIGN the petition. **Let's get back to truth, civility, collaboration and work together on real solutions.**

Find the facts at **Fairfax4Civility.org**