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## Black and Asian Democratic Caucus Statement on Proposed Improvements at Monroe Community Hospital

**ROCHESTER, NY** – The Black and Asian Democratic Caucus and Minority Leader Vince Felder of the Monroe County Legislature are glad that County Executive Adam Bello’s administration is following their lead in creating a better workplace for those who serve our community as professionals in Monroe Community Hospital. After receiving complaints from workers, the Caucus called for an investigation into the matters of proper compensation, workplace culture and safety, and employee retention. “We are glad that the Bello Administration has listened to the workers that voiced their concerns to us and it is a reminder that when somebody speaks up, they will be heard,” said Black and Asian Democratic Caucus Leader **Ernest Flagler-Mitchell**.

“While I applaud the County Executive for taking these steps, this does not eliminate the need for a governing board, and the whistle-blower’s allegations must still be investigated,” said Minority Leader **Vincent R. Felder**. The proposed pay increases, nurse recruiting position, and career pipeline program will help workers live and work comfortably without the fear of missing a bill or being a victim of a toxic workplace.

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