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A MESSAGE FROM ERNIE CRIST

You may recall that recently I informed you that I had received an anonymous letter from a resident claiming that a CCA spokesman had contacted Janice Harris and asked her not to run for Mayor since the CCA was apprehensive that despite her exceptional loyalty and preventing the public from accessing public owned foreshore land, the CCA was apprehensive that Harris would not get elected and that the CCA will therefore support Richard Walton for Mayor who was just as loyal to the CCA and Don Bell but was more electable than Harris.

Today, I received a call from a resident claiming that although the letter was close to the truth it was not quite accurate. What really happened said the person is that Harris who had received full support from Don Bell in her Mayoralty bid last year, asked Don Bell for his support again. According to the person, Don Bell declined, informing Harris she had not done a good job as Mayor (he should know) and that he, Bell, would support Richard Walton as Mayor. According to the caller, this is when Harris withdrew from the Mayoralty race.

If nothing else this story which rings very much true shows that the CCA is very much in control of the District and that the time has come for the public to form its own civic party and end the CCA mismanagement ..

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