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Honorable Andrea Shaut President/Alderman-at-large Kingston Common Council 420 Broadway Kingston, NY, 12401

Dear President Shaut,

I would like to request placement on the agenda of the Laws and Rules Committee to discuss the process of advancing Community Choice Aggregation in the City of Kingston.

As you are aware, the City of Kingston Common Council adopted Local Law #3 of 2021, authorizing the adoption of a new Chapter 18 entitled Community Choice Aggregation Program.

Community Choice Aggregation (CCA) is a very nuanced program governed by the Department of Public Service. The local management of this program, however, falls under the City's jurisdiction. As such, it is likely that both legislators and constituents will have questions arise during the process, so I feel that an open dialogue about the process is important.

I would like to review with the Laws and Rules Committee the following:

- 1) The proposed timeline for advancing CCA
- 2) The role of the Common Council in the full program
- 3) Address any comments, questions or concerns about the process and program

At this time, there are no resolutions proposed, this is informational only.

Thank you for your consideration.

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Sincerely,

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