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The Hon. Zohran Mamdani
Mayor
City of New York
Executive Chamber
New York, NY 10007

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Dear Mayor Mamdani,

I've seen your recent campaign targeting catcalling and harassment in our City. No one should be subjected to that kind of behavior, and it's right to call it out.

But let's be clear — there is another form of harassment happening across this City every single day and it is being ignored.

NYPD Detectives and members of the NYPD of all ranks are being targeted, filmed, followed, baited, doxxed, and publicly abused by social media agitators looking to provoke confrontation and score clicks. You've seen the videos. We all have. A uniformed Detective being told to burn in hell, and a female Sergeant standing on a platform, doing her job, being denigrated — this is becoming the norm, not the exception.

Where is the campaign to stop *that*?

This is not harmless behavior. It is dangerous. It distracts Officers in real time, undermines their ability to do their jobs, and puts both cops and civilians at risk. When a Detective's focus is pulled away by someone screaming in his or her face, posting personal information online, or trying to goad them into a viral moment, public safety suffers. *Period.*

The men and women of the NYPD are not props for social media content. They are professionals doing one of the toughest jobs in this City — and they deserve the same baseline respect and

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protection you're rightly demanding for others. If this administration is serious about addressing harassment in public spaces, then that standard must apply across the board.

We are calling on you to take immediate action: launch a Citywide campaign that makes it clear — harassing, obstructing, or targeting Police Officers and Detectives will *not be tolerated*. Back it with policy. Support common-sense legislation that protects Officers from targeted harassment and doxxing and establishes clear boundaries so they can do their jobs safely. And stand publicly with the people who are out there every day keeping this City safe.

With National Police Week approaching, there is no better time to send that message.

Respect for those who protect this City should not be optional. It should be expected.

These hardworking men and women earn it every day.

The Detectives' Endowment Association looks forward to your reply.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Scott Munro". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Scott Munro
President

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