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The following sections are required and must be completed in full:

I. Identity of Complainant(s)—page 1 | III. Violation(s) Alleged—page 3 | VI. Certification—page 6

**I. IDENTITY OF COMPLAINANT(S)**

**COMPLAINANT'S NAME**

First Name Kevin	MI G	Last Name MONKS	Suffix
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**COMPLAINANT'S STREET ADDRESS**

Address  
200 Holland Rd

City Bridgeport	State CT	Zip Code 06610
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**COMPLAINANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER**

Home 2033715429	Work	Cell 2037271393
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**COMPLAINANT'S EMAIL ADDRESS**

Liverpool/ASAP@A01.COM

**COMPLAINANT'S NAME**

First Name	MI	Last Name	Suffix
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**COMPLAINANT'S STREET ADDRESS**

Address

City	State	Zip Code
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**COMPLAINANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER**

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**COMPLAINANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER**

Home	Work	Cell
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**COMPLAINANT'S EMAIL ADDRESS**



**II. IDENTITY OF RESPONDENT(S)**

**RESPONDENT'S NAME** (If known; otherwise write "unknown")

First Name <b>MARIA</b>	MI	Last Name <b>Pereira</b>	Suffix
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**RESPONDENT'S STREET ADDRESS** (If known)

Address  
**80 GRANFIELD AVE APT 1**

City <b>Bridgeport</b>	State <b>CT</b>	Zip Code <b>06610</b>
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**RESPONDENT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER** (If known)

Home <b>203 540 9667</b>	Work	Cell
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**RESPONDENT'S EMAIL ADDRESS** (If known)      **STATUTE(S) VIOLATED** (If known)

<b>MPereira0667@yahoo.com</b>	<b>§</b>
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**RESPONDENT'S NAME** (If known; otherwise write "unknown")

First Name	MI	Last Name	Suffix
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Address

City	State	Zip Code
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**RESPONDENT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER** (If known)

Home	Work	Cell
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**RESPONDENT'S EMAIL ADDRESS** (If known)      **STATUTE(S) VIOLATED** (If known)

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**RESPONDENT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER** (If known)

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**RESPONDENT'S EMAIL ADDRESS** (If known)      **STATUTE(S) VIOLATED** (If known)

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*Copy and attach page(s) for additional respondents if necessary.  
 Please check "See attached Additional Respondent List" and list the number of pages.*

See attached \_\_\_\_\_ Additional Respondent List pages



**III. VIOLATION(S) ALLEGED**

DATE(S) OF ALLEGED VIOLATION(S) (If known)

**CONCISE STATEMENT OF FACTS**

Please be as specific as possible with regard to time, place, and the individual(s) taking actions or failing to act, and in describing their actions as well as other witnesses or persons involved. If applicable, please clearly refer to the names of identified respondents, witnesses, and attached evidence (e.g., See Evidentiary Attachment B.). If you have identified more than one respondent, please identify which respondent is alleged to have committed which action and which specific alleged violation of the statutes.

If you are unable to provide the specific identity of any witnesses in the following "Witnesses" section, please provide as much identifying information as possible in the below "Concise Statement of Facts."

The respondent(s) allegedly violated the law as follows:

see ATTACHED complaints, letters  
FROM Residents FROM the Sept 12<sup>th</sup>  
primary

*Use attached page(s) for additional statement of facts if necessary.  
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**IV. WITNESSES**

**WITNESS'S NAME (If known)**

First Name	MI	Last Name	Suffix
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**WITNESS'S STREET ADDRESS (If known)**

Address

City

State	Zip Code
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**WITNESS'S TELEPHONE NUMBER (If known)**

Home	Work	Cell
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**WITNESS'S EMAIL ADDRESS (If known)**

**WITNESS'S NAME (If known)**

First Name	MI	Last Name	Suffix
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**WITNESS'S STREET ADDRESS (If known)**

Address

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State	Zip Code
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**WITNESS'S EMAIL ADDRESS (If known)**

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**V. EVIDENCE**

**ATTACHED DOCUMENTARY OR REAL EVIDENCE**

Please identify each attachment by **number of pages, title, author** and **date** if applicable. Records not identified as attachments shall not be considered a part of the complaint. Please do not provide a website listing as evidence, as this information is subject to change. If you wish to provide Internet or other video or audio communications as evidence, please provide a printed or electronic copy, as appropriate, and list it as an exhibit.

Under "**How Acquired**" please identify your source for the evidence (e.g., delivery from an individual, Internet website, public flyer location). If the source is an individual, please identify the individual in the witness list. If the source is a publication, such as a newspaper, please identify the publication's name and date of the publication.

**EVIDENTIARY ATTACHMENT**

Title <i>STATEMENTS FROM VARIOUS RESIDENTS</i>		Number of Pages
Author		Date of Publication
How Acquired		Date Acquired

**EVIDENTIARY ATTACHMENT**

Title <i>IMAGE OF PEREIRA AT 730 PALISADE AVE</i>		Number of Pages
Author <i>APT D 11</i>		Date of Publication
How Acquired		Date Acquired

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**VI. CERTIFICATION**

1) Each Complainant must sign a separate page and each signature must be separately certified. This complaint will not be considered filed without the name, address, and original **certified** signature of at least one Complainant. Mail or hand-deliver this complaint to:

State Elections Enforcement Commission  
55 Farmington Ave  
Hartford, CT 06105

2) Once filed, this complaint may not be withdrawn by the Complainant(s) except by a vote of the State Elections Enforcement Commission.

3) I am aware that criminal penalties may be imposed upon any Complainant who, under penalty of false statement, knowingly files a false complaint.

4) The State Elections Enforcement Commission's investigation of a complaint is confidential unless and until the State Elections Enforcement Commission votes to authorize an investigation of a complaint. Until such a vote, neither the Commission nor its staff will release or confirm any information about the complaint except upon written request of a treasurer, deputy treasurer, chairperson or candidate affiliated with a committee that is the subject of the complaint or preliminary investigation.

Guides to the elections laws are available at <http://www.ct.gov/seec>  
Connecticut General Statutes are available at <http://www.cga.ct.gov>

**CERTIFICATION**

**I solemnly swear (or affirm) that the above statement is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
COMPLAINANT'S SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE (mm/dd/yyyy)

Sworn and subscribed before me on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

Seal

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF PERSON ADMINISTERING THE OATH

\_\_\_\_\_  
NAME OF PERSON ADMINISTERING THE OATH (Please Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
TITLE OF PERSON ADMINISTERING THE OATH

Note: This oath may be administered by anyone authorized by Section 1-24 of the Connecticut General Statutes, which includes: notaries public; justices of the peace; town clerks and assistant town clerks; judges and clerks of any court; and attorneys who are Commissioners of the Superior Court of Connecticut.

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## **Affidavit of Complaint:**

Maria Pereira was a Line B candidate for the City Council in the 138<sup>th</sup> District and known campaign operative for the John Gomes for Mayor Campaign. Both during the Primary and afterwards, we heard from many residents who complained that Pereira had engaged in illegal and unethical behavior both during the election and past elections.

During the September 12<sup>th</sup> primary, Pereira lost the walk-in vote at the schools, but won the election based on absentee ballots. After the recount, her margin of victory was only 21 votes. These actions taken by Pereira changed the outcome of the Primary for City Council in the 138<sup>th</sup> District and I am asking the SEEC to investigate.

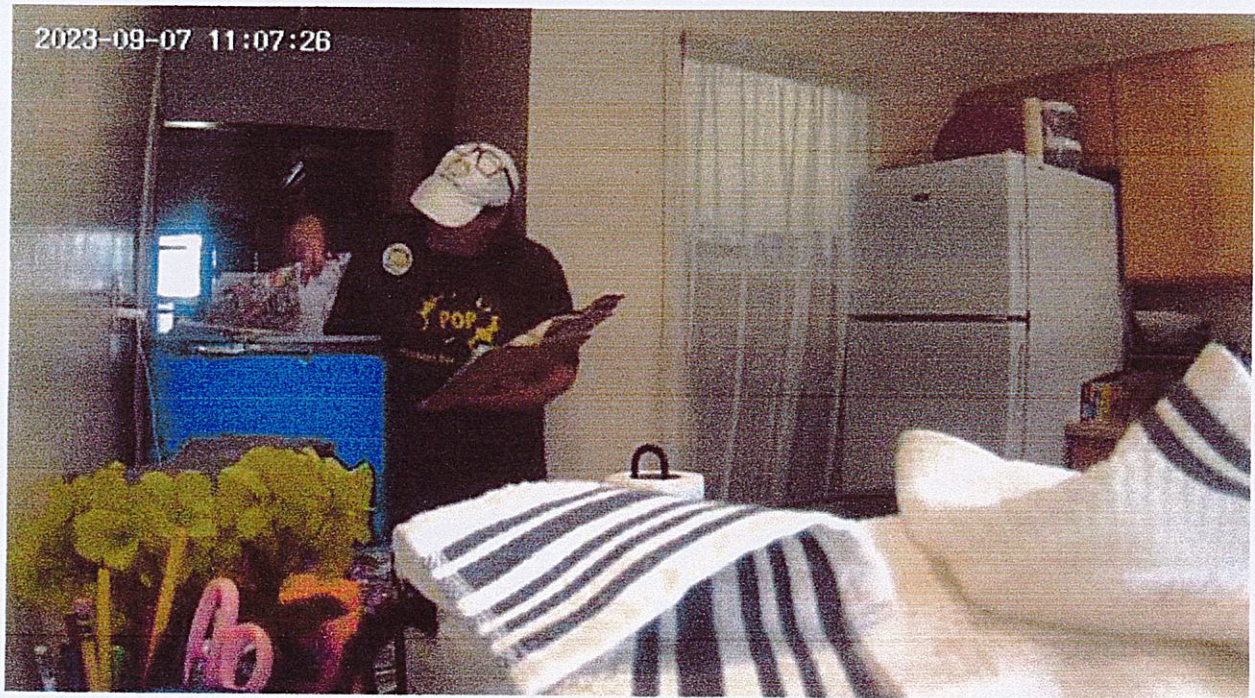
Attached to this complaint are written statements from a number of residents of the 138<sup>th</sup> District as well as other evidence of her wrongdoing. There were many other residents who complained to us about Maria but would not sign a statement publicly for fear of retribution.

Attached you will find:

- Multiple statements from people claiming that Maria Pereira took their ballot, and takes many people's ballot each election cycle;
- Multiple complaints of Maria Pereira harassing and mistreating people in an attempt to get their ballot or their vote;
- Multiple complaints that Maria Pereira discarded their ballot without their knowledge or permission;
- A well-published image of Maria Pereira in the home of 81 year old Agnes Thompson who lives at Fireside Apartments going through her mail looking for her absentee ballot when Ms. Thompson wasn't there;
- Among other similar complaints.



Image taken from camera video inside of 730 Palisade Avenue, Apt D11. The time stamp on the video is September 7, 2023 at 11:07 am.



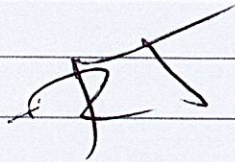
Roosevelt James

9/30/23

75 Stewart ave Apt C13

Bridgport Ct (203) 543-9876

I Roosevelt James voted in this past election, Maria Pereria came to my home and took the ballot she indicated that she would mail it for me. She told me what line to vote for and I sign it.



Charles Ross

75 Stewart ave Apt A4

Bpt Ct 06610

I Charles Ross got my voting  
ballot, I got help from  
my Aide filling it out  
and Maria Pereria came  
and picked it up to mail  
it for me. Maria mails them out  
for most of the people here.

~~Charles~~ Ross

Roxann Lafountain

655 Palisade ave A7

Bpt Ct 06610

484-869-3834

I will like ~~everyone~~ everyone to know that for 4 year maria Pezera has taken my voting ballot and stuffed it in her bag to drop it off.

Maria likes to brive the seniors, bringing them Christmas presat, buy them, buying them food, getting them little things. I am willing to testif how she harassed the people living at 655 Palisade (Firside). She came to my house several time this voting period, but I would not open the door. I would not give her my ballot this time. I knew she was up to no good.

She came around bashing opponets. Calling them name, how theyve been in prison, and Racial slors.

Roxann Lafountain  
9-30-23  
Apt A-7

Candice Bibey

655 Palisade ave Apt D13

I Candice was being harass  
by Maria Pereria, she keep on  
asking me for my voting ballot.  
She would not stop. She came  
to my door several time and  
I would not open the door

Then she left me a very nasty  
note. with my Fiance.

Candice Bibey  
10/1/23

Caroline Bilbey  
655 Palisade Ave, DB  
Ret 915  
Sussex

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**STEP 5: Place a stamp on the return envelope.**

**Then either place it ABOVE your mailbox for your mailman, drop it in a post office mailbox, or place it in one of the two secure dropboxes located at:**

- 1. Bridgeport City Hall,  
45 Lyon Terrace**
- 2. Bridgeport Fire Department  
950 Boston Ave**

Hi Caroline  
As you told me you did not  
want to vote by mail, but you  
were "pressured" to order a ballot  
by the opposition  
and just days ago you said you  
were not

Please complete your absentee ballots) as soon as possible by following these easy steps and getting your completed ballots) voting by mail & right back into the mail. ~~you would be voting at~~ ~~the~~ ~~poll~~ ~~location~~ ~~if~~ ~~you~~ ~~had~~ ~~already~~ ~~completed~~ ~~it~~

Please be aware of political operatives coming to your door regarding your absentee ballots). ONLY a family member, medical professional, or police officer may assist you with your ballot (s). NO ONE else may be present while you fill out your ballots), NO ONE else may touch your ballots), NO ONE else may mail your ballots) according to Connecticut State Law.

I am disappointed by your repeated unethical & dishonest behavior →

OFFICE CARGO	1 MAYOR ALCALDE VOTE FOR ONE VOTO POR UNO	2 CITY CLERK ARCHIVISTA DE LA CIUDAD VOTE FOR ONE VOTO POR UNO	3 TOWN CLERK ARCHIVISTA DEL PUEBLO VOTE FOR ONE VOTO POR UNO	4	5 BOARD OF EDUCATION JUNTA DE EDUCACIÓN VOTE FOR UP TO THREE VOTA POR HASTA TRES	6	7	8 CITY SHERIFFS ALGUACILES DE LA CIUDAD VOTE FOR UP TO THREE VOTA POR HASTA TRES	9	10 COUNCIL ME MIEMBROS DE MUNICIP. VOTE FOR UP VOTA POR HAS
A	1A	2A	3A	4A	5A	6A	7A	8A	9A	10A
B	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 1B JOHN GOMES	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 2B EDWARD FIGUEROA	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 3B CRAIG KELLY	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 4B RAYSA LEGIZAMON	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 5B WILLIE MEDINA	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 6B NICOLE NELSON	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 7B EBERTY CAMPOS	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 8B MANUEL GARCIA	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 9B JOHN "JACK" F. HENNESSY	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 10B JAZMARIE MELENDEZ

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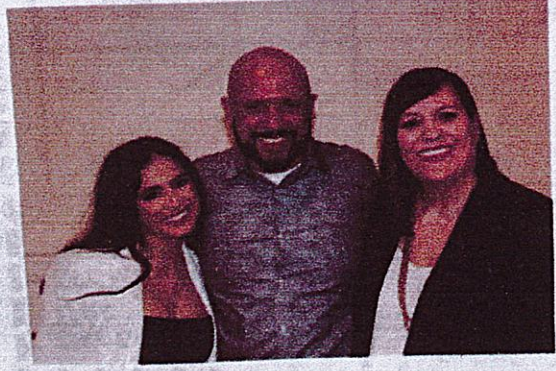
**VOTE ROW B**

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Be sure to read the instructions on the reverse side of this ballot.

Asegúrese leer las instrucciones en el otro lado antes de marcar esta papeleta.

*I quite honestly surprised by it you get to vote for whoever you want. Just like I get to choose which residents I help or don't help. The dishonest & unprincipled*



Please call 203-540-9668 if you do not receive your ballot or there are any questions.

Thank you, *behavior is what I take issue with*  
 Maria Pereira  
*Councilwoman Maria Pereira*

PAID FOR THE PROGRESS FOR 138, JANETTE ADAMS, TREASURER, APPROVED BY MA PEREIRA AND JAZMARIE MELENDEZ, AND ALSO BY JOHN GOMES FOR MAYOR, MARI FIGUEROA, TREASURER. APPROVED BY JOHN GOMES. PAID FOR BY ACTION BRIDGE COALITION PAC, ABRAHAM DUQUE, TREASURER. APPROVED BY ALL CANDIDATES.

Elinor Lewis GI 655 Palisade

I Elinor Lewis voted For Kevin  
And SAMIA, Councilwoman MARIA  
tricked me by CANCELLING my  
vote For them.  I never SAW  
a green Form NOR did I sign  
one. IF ONE WAS Filled out, IT  
WAS NOT by me, I STAND by  
my vote For KEVIN & SAMIA.

Elinor Lewis



I Sylvia Mason of 525 Palisade Ave  
Apt 406.

Voted democrat I did not  
give anyone permission to  
to change my vote.

Voted Line A

Sylvia Mason

MARIA PEREIRA threaten me by throwing  
BALLOT CARDS in the MAIL BOX  
when I told her I was voting for  
JOE GANIM.

Frank Lupo Asst.

6-2 730 Palisades

Brian Banacowski 730 Palisade Ave G3

I witness Maria Perena going around our complex. Harrasing tenants to vote for her. It is a constant thing that she does. Most of the tenants don't want her coming around.

Brian Banacowski

9/18/23

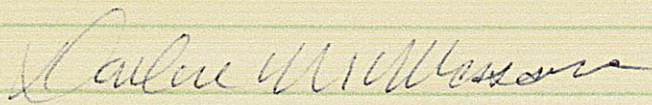
I, DARLENE M. MASSARI 75 STEWART ST. D8  
BRIDGEPORT, CT-06610- (475) 300-4422.

I WAS AT HOME WHEN MARIA PETRA  
KNOCKED AT MY DOOR. SHE WAS TRYING TO  
GET ME TO FILL OUT A ABSENT T BALLOT  
FOR HER, I TOLD HER NO SHE KEEPED  
COMING AFTER ME TO FILL IT OUT.

I SAID NO AGAIN, TOLD HER I'M GOING  
TO THE SCHOOL TO VOTE, I WENT TO THE  
SCHOOL TO VOTE, I WAS TOLD I FILLED  
OUT THE BALLOT, I SAID NO I DIDNT.

THEY CALLED THE ~~FOURTH~~ TOWN HALL  
AND I WAS ABEL TO VOTE AT THE SCHOOL.

I NOTIFIED THE STATE THAT SHE  
FILLED OUT A ABSENT T BALLOT IN  
MY NAME + SHE SIGNED IT HERSELF  
WIT<sup>H</sup> MY SIGNATURE.



DARLENE M. MASSARI

5	6	7	8	9	10	11
BOARD OF EDUCATION JUNTA DE EDUCACIÓN VOTE FOR UP TO THREE VOTA POR HASTA TRES	CITY SHERIFFS ALCALDES DE LA CIUDAD VOTE FOR UP TO THREE VOTA POR HASTA TRES	COUNCIL MEMBERS MIEMBROS DE LA JUNTA MUNICIPAL VOTE FOR UP TO TWO VOTA POR HASTA DOS				
5A	6A	7A	8A	9A	10A	11A
● 5B WILLIE MEDINA	● 6B NICOLE NELSON	● 7B EGERTY CAMPOS	● 8B MANUEL GARCIA	● 9B JOHN JACK F. HENNESSY	● 10B JAZMARIE MELENDEZ	● 11B MARIA PEREIRA

**ROW B**

**COPY**

ns on the reverse side of this ballot.

el otro lado antes de marcar está papeleta.

all 203-540-9668 if you do not receive  
lot or there are any questions.

u,

reira

Kenneth Ceter  
655 Palisade Ave, DG  
mailed 8/29

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NO ONE WILL EVER KNOW!  
1. Bridgeport City Hall,  
45 Lyon Terrace  
2. Bridgeport Fire Department  
950 Boston Ave  
d. Same member

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I Charles E. Treadway II of 75 Stewart St  
Apt D8 Bridgeport, CT 06610 have met with the  
two Democratic advocates on 9/18/23. We have  
met tonight because we are tired of the abuse  
of Councilwoman Maria Pereira. Since I  
have been a resident of the Fireside  
Community have been witness to the  
abuse & manipulation of my fellow residents.  
The Town Council Woman is a bully & a  
person who does not have the best interest of  
this community. The way she abuses the elderly  
& disabled voters by banging on doors, yelling  
at residents names. Discussing their personal  
business in public is a shame. I have personally  
witnessed this numerous times on this property.  
She even forged an absentee ballot in my  
Finnee's Darlene Massari in the 2019 election  
the reason we know this was because we always  
vote in person. When we showed up to vote,  
Darlene was told she already voted. That had  
to be cancelled out, because Darlene said I  
never voted. Maria Pereira was trying to get  
her to apply for an AIB. ~~but~~ ~~she~~ Darlene told  
her NO. She needs to be banned from Fireside  
because of her intimidating ways. She threatened  
harassed & bullied people who do not want to hear  
her point of view. If my thoughts are repeating  
themselves I apologize. This community of Fireside

is a good one. We watch out for each other. Some are scared to voice their opinions. I am not. I was taught that are right to vote is ~~seared~~ sacred. Many fought & died for our right to vote. I have worked the polls before. As a poll volunteer I was proud & took my position, whatever it was serious!! As a Heart Transplant recipient, I really cherish my vote & others rights. I thank you for allowing me to state my opposition to Maria Pereira & her abuse of the AB system. Also, the abuse of my fellow residents here.

Charles E. Trendway III