



**UTILITY WORKERS UNION OF AMERICA
Local 604**

October 21, 2021

Dear Ms. Stevin,

It is with great pride that we inform you that Utility Workers Union AFL-CIO Local 604 which represents over 400 Lakeland Electric and Lakeland Water employees endorses you for our next Mayor. After meeting with you, we immediately understood that the citizens of Lakeland need your leadership skills to move this city forward. Your vision for the future of Lakeland was a brilliant inspiring plan.

When the city received twenty-two million dollars for Covid 19 relief from the Federal Government for essential employees who worked effortlessly thru this pandemic for the current Mayor, the current Mayor stated that there was no appetite for paying any compensation rewarding the employees for their hard work. We Believe you will shine a light and end the elitist behavior of this current administration. The citizens of this great city are ready for a change. We look forward to working with you as our next Mayor and thank you for your service and your dedication to changing Lakeland's future for the better.

**Respectfully,
Utility Workers Union AFL-CIO Local 604
Executive Board**