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By Electronic Mail

Dear Chair Hines, Mayor Bottoms, and Council President Moore:

Pursuant to Atlanta City Charter §8-106(b)(10), the Compliance Division of the Office of the Inspector General must submit a report to the Governing Board of the Office of the Inspector General, the Mayor, and City Council each January “describing the activities of the Compliance Division in carrying out its goals.” Further, pursuant to Atlanta City Charter §8-106(c), the report shall include “a determination of area(s) of greatest concern on which the Inspector General proposes to conduct training during the calendar year of the report for approval by the council.”

The Compliance Division currently consists solely of the Inspector General, who was appointed in December 2020 and began serving in that role on January 7, 2021. To date, the activities of the Compliance Division have centered around office startup, including but not limited to: recruiting to fill the positions in the unit, establishing a physical office, obtaining investigative resources, and connecting with stakeholders. In light of the limited nature of these activities and given the nascency of the unit, the Compliance Division is not yet positioned to make a determination of areas of concern and attendant training proposals.

Once staffed, the Compliance Division will begin in earnest its investigations into waste, fraud, and abuse and will detail all such activities in its next annual report. Until then, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Shannon K. Manigault
Inspector General