RE: Congrats and a question

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Adam, thank you for writing to Councilmember Moore, and your kind words about her election.

I wanted to let you know the issues you raise are on her radar screen; her office is looking at things like nuisance abatement and how that works, and a potential vacancy tax.

Just so you know, District 5 starts at North 87th on Greenwood, so the business district is split between Districts 5 and 6. My e-mail address is below, feel free to reach out to me there as well.

Sincerely,

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From: Mr Adam Batten <MrBatten@pm.me>
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Hi Cathy,
Congrats on your landslide victory! We have a contract going with Baxter- he and his crew do great work! Hey quick question. Do you have any plans or ideas about all the urban blight on Greenwood around 85th? There's a bunch of burnt out buildings and vacant/abandoned lots that are just depressing. There's a similar problem on Aurora north of the cemetery- especially that building that used to do the COVID testing next to Me Khong Village. And now that Les Shwab has left, basically that whole W side of Aurora north of the cemetery to 125th is just scary. And not just because of the ghosts!

Cheers,
- AB

- Onward