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Re: campaign

Linda Joseph <linda4nmb@gmail.com>
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Mon, Aug 24, 2026 at 1:15 PM

Stephanie,

I am putting you on notice that several people have already contacted me through social media with messages threatening to hurt me following your false and inflammatory statements about me.

You have portrayed me as a “carpetbagger,” questioned whether I am “American enough,” suggested that I am a criminal, claimed that I am antisemitic, and promoted the idea that I do not deserve political endorsements. These statements are false, harmful, and extremely dangerous.

I have never said or done anything demonstrating that I am antisemitic. Making such a serious and inflammatory accusation without evidence could encourage an unhinged person to confront or hurt me.

By repeatedly questioning my identity and portraying me as an impostor who does not belong, you are creating a serious risk to my safety and the safety of my family and children. This is no longer only a concern about what someone might do—people have already threatened to harm me.

I have also been informed that the ex-commissioner and individuals associated with her have again contacted the Hispanic Caucus regarding the endorsement I earned. I was further informed that my opponent, Ms. Torres, also contacted the Caucus. These repeated efforts to challenge or have my endorsement withdrawn represent a level of harassment and interference with my campaign that I have never witnessed.

I am telling you again: your false and inflammatory rhetoric is dangerous, and it must stop before I or a member of my family is harmed.

Linda Joseph
Candidate for North Miami Beach Commission, Seat 4