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The Racine Branch NAACP Responds to the News Report on 13th District Aldermanic Candidate Christina Seaman

The Journal Times news report dated February 2, 2019, about 13th district Aldermanic Candidate Christina Seaman, was disheartening to say the least. Ms. Seaman's alleged racial comments certainly have no place in our society. The Racine Branch NAACP opposes any candidate running for a public office in the city of Racine or Racine County, who shows racial intolerance in their actions. The Racine Branch NAACP further contends that we do not need an aldermanic candidate, who as the Journal Times states that since 2014, multiple individuals have sought restraining orders against Christina Seaman. These alleged texts and comments consist of harassment, rumor-spreading and threats. Do we want such a person who negatively affects our community representing our city?

We have worked hard over the years to help make equality and social justice a reality in Racine and the nation as a whole. However, it seems that as we try to move forward in a positive way, there is something or someone that tries to take us back to the 50's and 60's. We, the Racine Branch NAACP, will not be turned around and will continue our fight for social justice and equality at all levels.

We can and we must do better!

George Nicks, Sr., President Racine Branch NAACP