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Town of East Hartford Continues 2020 Census Efforts

East Hartford, CT— Mayor Marcia Leclerc is pleased to announce that the Town of East Hartford continues its 2020 Census outreach efforts. Mayor Leclerc successfully launched a Complete Count Committee, consisting of local community members and leaders who volunteered to step forward to raise awareness about the importance of the Census with the goal to help us reach every segment of our diverse community.

The U.S. Census Bureau attempts to count every person in the United States once every decade and this valuable statistics has a direct and significant impact on federal funds allocated to municipalities. In fact, for each undercounted individual, the Town of East Hartford would lose \$2,200 in federal funds.

The 20-person committee meets on a regular basis to discuss effective ways of informing our residents about the Census and the crucial role it plays for municipalities.

Those who were unable to attend the press conference on July 22, are encouraged to watch it by following this link www.easthartfordct.gov/town-of-east-hartford-2020census. Anyone who wishes to serve on East Hartford's Census 2020 Complete Count Committee, may contact the Mayor's Office at 860-291-7200.

Current members of the East Hartford Complete Count Committee are:

Marcia Leclerc, Mayor of East Hartford
Cephus Nolen, East Hartford Youth Services Director
Laura Floyd, YMCA Youth Services Director
Alexis Aberle, Resident Services Coordinator at East Hartford Housing Authority
Kerry Snyder, HR Professional at Crossroads Community Cathedral
Craig Stevenson, DTC Chair
Prescille Yamamoto, RTC Chair
Richard Kehoe, Town Council Chair
La'Shunda Williams, Executive Director at Young Educated Determined to Succeed
Veronica Marion, Coordinator at the Office of Family and Community Partnerships

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Maria Lino, Principal at the Latino Way

Anthony Mangiafico, Director of Adult ED at EHPS

Ariel Robinson, Goodwin College Education Opportunity Programs Coordinator

Sarah Morgan, EHPL Director

Amy Peltier, East Hartford CONNects Initiative Director

Sarah Hill, Foodshare Community Network Builder

Matthew Noeker, Development Associate at Intercommunity, Inc

Linda Ofori (Adjabeng), resident

Stan DeMello, resident

Veronica Rosario, resident