

**Matt Veldran**

**From:** Timothy Johnson [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 21, 2007 8:09 AM  
**To:** Matt Veldran  
**Subject:** RE: District 20 candidates forum set for Sat March 24 - please forward

Matt,

You are correct. My email to Cindy was inappropriate, overzealous and unfair, to say the least. I apologize to you and Gary. I will also apologize to our group at the next MNA meeting. For the record, I did not, have not and will not take down any signs you and Lisa put up about the forum -- I have been too busy promoting and coordinating aspects of the Summer Youth Fair, which is happening the same day. I probably won't be able to make the forum, as I am too busy with the Youth Fair. I also have a cold/sore throat this week I'm fighting off - I can only do so much. I am a lone ranger -- I am not connected with Thuy or her official campaign in any way. While I cannot and will not ever in a million years agree with your's and Gary's political philosophy -- the extreme left has, in my opinion, done far too much damage to the both the landlord and business community on both the city and county levels -- this is still America, where we do have free and fair elections, including the freedom to disagree with each other. I disagree with you on basic political philosophy, but I do hope we can find common ground on some areas.

Tim Johnson

**Matt Veldran** <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Tim,

I believe you sent this email to me in error and that it was meant for Cindy Thomas.

Your intention to suppress information on the upcoming candidate forum by "quietly and surreptiously (sic)" taking down the flyers is despicable, dishonorable and undemocratic.

Also I find it extremely sad that a representative from our neighborhood association and a member of the Southwest Neighborhood Steering Committee would undermine the work of the Meadowood Neighborhood Association to inform the electorate in our district (as well as the three other neighborhood associations).

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**From:** Timothy Johnson [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 16, 2007 4:53 PM  
**To:** Matt Veldran  
**Subject:** RE: District 20 candidates forum set for Sat March 24 - please forward

Cindy -

FYI. Matt's going to be putting up flyers for the Gary-Thuy forum. As I put up flyers for the Summer Youth Fair, I can quietly and surreptiously take the Gary-Thuy flyers down if I see them, if you think that might be a better idea. Let me know.

In any event, maybe Thuy will find her inner strength and be able to think on her feet and say what needs to be said and come across well in the forum. I'm thinking that I may not be able to make the forum, due to needing to set up and coordinate any issues at the Summer Youth Fair.

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