

Dear Mr. Wold:

I also thought I'd reiterate and clarify the request for a public retraction. It would simply involve a written press statement, which can easily be done by your office, with your help. It would simply state something along the lines that, "The comments I made about CAIR, an American Muslim civil rights organization on _____[date] in the House Judiciary Committee were incorrect and detrimental to the community. I have since learned that the source I was using was not accurate. I have apologized privately to my constituents and I am apologizing publicly now."

I hope this clarifies the request for what was meant by a 'public retraction.' Such a clear, public retraction, based on principle, would be well-received by 8th LD constituents and would also reflect well on Rep. Haler personally and professionally (and thus a positive reflection on the House Republican Caucus, and by extension perhaps the state Republican party, as well).

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