

Dear members of the Judiciary Committee,

I am writing in the hopes that you will support H492, the bill that establishes an oversight board. I think that communities of color, who often feel that their experiences with our law enforcement systems are not understood or appreciated, are more likely to have their concerns addressed if this oversight board is created. That can only serve to make the experience of ALL Vermonters with respect to criminal justice issues one that is just and fair.

Sincerely,  
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