**From:** Michael Abell
**To:** Schaaf, Libby
**Subject:** Fwd: Surveillance System
**Date:** Tuesday, February 18, 2014 10:02:29 AM

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You have support

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

> **From:** "Gallo, Noel" <NGallo@oaklandnet.com>
> **Date:** February 18, 2014 at 9:46:56 AM PST
> **To:** "Michael Abell" <mfags@yahoo.com>
> **Subject: RE: Surveillance System**
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> Thank you. I agree. Noel Gallo
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: Michael Abell [mailto:mfags@yahoo.com]
> Sent: Tuesday, February 18, 2014 9:42 AM
> To: Kalb, Dan; McElhaney, Lynette; Brooks, Desley; Kernighan, Pat; Schaaf, Libby; Gallo, Noel; Reid, Larry; At Large
> Cc: Johnson Chip
> Subject: Surveillance System
>
> As you vote on the proposed surveillance system tonight, I ask that you vote based on the good of our city, and your taxpaying constituents and not find yourself being intimidated by the 1% who seem to be preoccupied
> with a crazy fear that our local government is going to spy on individuals and bring them harm or take away their rights. What a crazy notion.
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> Honestly I am amazed that the final decision on this initiative has been so drawn out. On the surface the system appears to be a slam dunk and make a lot of sense. I am for anything that makes us safer. As I have told you before, I support a zero tolerance towards crime or breaking the law of any kind and those who would do harm to others or to our city.
>
> I encourage you to show us the taxpaying majority that you are really serious about both deterring and fighting crime. If our police want it I want it. I am confident that my Neighborhood Watch Group feels the same way. We support our police and feel strongly that they need our support.
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> Best

Mike Abell
Neighborhood Watch Block Captain 22y

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