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Dr. Hobough -

I have no excuse for my embarrassing behavior on Thursday night. You and the Board had the best intention with your meeting and I was emotional, made it personal and embarrassed myself in the process. Saying I am sorry doesn't seem to be enough, but it is all I can offer.

Please extend my apologies to the Board, and especially the Special Needs Staff. I know their job is not easy, and it was and was my last intention to make anyone feel disrespected, though I am acutely aware that's exactly what I did, and take full responsibility for this.

I respect you Dr. Hobough, the Board, all of the staff and the work you all do. I'm devastated in my behavior that clearly was/is not helpful in our quest to work together to serve our community.

Michele

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Mayor Michele Lee
Borough of High Bridge



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