COMMITTEE FOR THE RE-ELECTION OF COUNCILMAN EARL BROWN
21ST SENATE DISTRICT
261 WEST 125TH STREET - ROOM 303
NEW YORK 27, N.Y.
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Dear Senor Lehman:

Four years ago Earl Brown defeated Communist Ben Davis for a seat in the City Council from the Harlem district. This year Earl is running for re-election on the Democratic and Republican tickets.

On September 10, the Citizens Union said: "Mr. Brown has been one of the most alert, independent and useful members of the City Council. His record is of the kind which demands a continuance in the public interest."

During the past four years Earl has successfully sponsored: the Brown-Isaacs Law prohibiting discrimination in publicly aided housing.

The Brown-Isaacs Law prohibiting the City of New York from donating public funds to charitable institutions which discriminate against homeless children because of race, religion or national origin.

Authored the resolution for the City Council investigation into police brutality.

Sponsored the resolution, passed unanimously by the Council, requesting the State Legislature not to pass any laws permitting rent increases; and many other important pieces of legislation.

Earl has organized a non-profit, civic organization, the Manhattan Neighborhood Improvement Association, which has been commended by school officials, social workers and police officials for its work in helping to publicize the dangers of the narcotic habit, especially among teen-agers. More than 200 persons, including some parolees, have secured jobs in private industry through the Association.

Largely because of Earl Brown's efforts and leadership in the fight against Communism in Harlem, the Communist problem is no longer considered a serious threat in this community.

We consider it a public duty to continue a man of Earl Brown's stature in public office. We believe you feel the same way. Therefore, we are asking you to help keep him in office by contributing to his campaign. Funds are urgently needed to defray expenses for literature, canvassing and other activities. Your financial support will greatly aid in this fight.

Thanking you for your assistance, we are

Sincerely yours,

William R. Hudgins

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