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Dear Mayor Solomon and Members of the Killeen City Council,

Councilmember Anthony Kendrick's conduct during the July 7 Killeen City Council meeting constituted an unwarranted attack on our organization and its personnel. These actions were in direct violation of the city's governing standards and established municipal policies, failing to meet the professional standards expected of local government officials.

The Mayor and City Council should formally reprimand Councilmember Kendrick for these disparaging remarks. By targeting the Killeen Daily Herald — an institution that has served this community since 1890 — and its employees, he has compromised the city's reputation at a time when stable and professional leadership is paramount.

Rather than addressing the pressing business of the council, Councilmember Kendrick utilized the public forum to voice unsubstantiated grievances and personal animosity toward our company and employee. It is the mayor's job to put a stop to such actions when they happen during the meeting. Unfortunately, that didn't happen and Kendrick was allowed to continue his rant during the public meeting.

Furthermore, Councilmember Kendrick used his platform to disparage a colleague in their absence. Such behavior is unacceptable and reflects poorly on the council and the city as a whole. The use of a public dais to facilitate personal attacks on local businesses and private citizens must be addressed through formal channels.

We strongly urge the City Council to issue an immediate reprimand and request a formal apology from Councilmember Kendrick for his bad conduct.



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