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To: dencc - City Council
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In the name of 'equality,' members of the City Council's Business Development Committee have said they are morally obliged to keep the restaurant chain out of the city-owned facility. Read more: http://www.ncregister.com/daily-news/denver-airport-puts-chick-fil-a-on-hold-over-ceos-marriage-stance/#ixzz3k27vrZbA

Dear Council Members:

You have a "moral obligation" in the name of "equality"? Are you unanimous in this position or operating on a majority consensus? (I am asking that rhetorically.) The following actually seem to me to be what is happening here:

There are politically correct standards today that govern people's thinking that sometimes also have the support of laws, but they are not necessarily truly moral issues or moral imperatives in the

traditional sense, or even called so appropriately. What you in fact are doing is objecting to Dan Cathy's exercise of his own moral imperative and conscience, which actually has very little if anything to do with the public service provided by his Company and its employees.

I have taken note of this and written to you because I think your position invites review and reconsideration on your part not only on the basis of the thoughts I have shared with you briefly here about moral standards, but what is contained in traditional understanding of freedom of conscience and freedom of expression.

Very truly yours,

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