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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
CITY OF CHICAGO

BRANDON JOHNSON  
MAYOR

March 18, 2026

TO THE HONORABLE, THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have appointed Kenya Meritt as Commissioner of Cultural Affairs and Special Events.

Your favorable consideration of this appointment will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "BJ", followed by a horizontal line.

Mayor