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COUNCILMEMBER WARD DISGUSTED BY POTENTIAL DEPORTATION OF SILVIA OCAMPO

SAN DIEGO, CA – (Thursday, October 19, 2017) – San Diego Councilmember Chris Ward (District Three) issued this statement in response following [news that Silvia Ocampo](#), a hard-working San Diego hotel housekeeper, will be deported today.

"The cruelty driving the Trump Administration is on stark display today as we're again called to defend the basic dignity of those who make our community stronger. Silvia Ocampo is a hard working mother raising her children and striving for a better world for us all - as much as we ask of any San Diegan. Ripping families apart and risking the welfare of children like this serves no purpose but to sow fear and feed hate, and we should all be disgusted."

For more information or to interview Councilmember Ward, contact Lucas O'Connor at (619) 236-6633 or (619) 368-3153. For more information on Silvia Ocampo's case, contact Brigette Browning with UNITE HERE Local 30 at (619) 981-3009.

Councilmember Ward represents San Diego's Third Council District including the communities of Downtown, Little Italy, Bankers Hill, Mission Hills, Middletown, Hillcrest, University Heights, North Park, Normal Heights, Old Town, South Park, and Golden Hill.

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