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MEMORANDUM

February 28, 2025

To: Members, Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

From: Committee Staff

Re: Hearing titled “A Hearing with Sanctuary City Mayors”

On **Wednesday, March 5, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. ET in HVC-210 of the U.S. Capitol Visitor Center**, the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform will host a hearing titled “A Hearing with Sanctuary City Mayors.”

I. BACKGROUND:

Sanctuary jurisdictions are those that fail to comply with federal immigration enforcement efforts, especially by declining to honor federal detainer requests placed on removable aliens booked into local custody.

II. HEARING PURPOSE:

This hearing will examine the effects of sanctuary city policies on public safety and federal immigration law enforcement efforts.

III. WITNESSES:

The Honorable Brandon Johnson

Mayor
City of Chicago

The Honorable Mike Johnston

Mayor
City and County of Denver

The Honorable Eric Adams

Mayor
City of New York

The Honorable Michelle Wu

Mayor
City of Boston