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Council on American-Islamic Relations

San Francisco Bay Area office

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Dear CAIR-SFBA,

Congratulations on your 25th Anniversary. I am happy to attend the anniversary event to help celebrate all that CAIR has done.

It is shameful how Muslims were targeted after 9/11 as if the entire religion, and all its adherents were responsible. It is equally shameful how this targeting continues today 18 years later. I applaud CAIR for your continued efforts to fight against this injustice.

Your fight against illegal surveillance, against discrimination and for equal rights are arguably the same things that the founders of our country fought for.

I’m proud to support CAIR and would be happy to work with you in the future.

Sincerely,

Councilmember Vinnie Bacon