

Mayor Todd Gloria:

For more than two years, beginning in June 2024, my family has fought every day to bring Malaika and Xayah home and expose the corruption that keeps them separated from us.

Malaika and Xayah are being kept from their mother, Evelyn Lopez, their grandfather, siblings, and blood family while San Diego County continues using government power and wasting enormous amounts of taxpayer money to destroy family bonds.

Evelyn Lopez completed the case plan demanded of her. I was approved by San Diego County through the Resource Family Approval process and remained ready to provide Malaika and Xayah with a safe family home. Instead of protecting those family relationships, San Diego County has spent years and enormous amounts of taxpayer money keeping Malaika and Xayah separated from the people who love them most.

For more than two years, we have documented retaliation after speaking publicly. We have preserved recordings, videos, medical records, court documents, sworn declarations, text messages, expert testimony, and witness statements. We have watched false narratives replace documented facts, family bonds dismissed despite evidence showing otherwise, and public resources used to continue a separation that has devastated two young children.

Fraud. Waste. Abuse. Retaliation. Catastrophic harm.

Those five words describe what this family has witnessed throughout this case.

I have written to the White House, the President, Vice President, First Lady, members of Congress, United States Senators, attorneys general, federal agencies, inspectors general, elected officials, journalists, news organizations, documentary filmmakers, media advocates, civil-rights organizations, and anyone willing to examine what has happened to Malaika and Xayah. I will continue making noise, preserving evidence, and expanding the public record until an independent federal investigation is opened outside San Diego County and outside the State of California.

More than 2.2 million people on X alone have seen what is happening in Malaika and Xayah's case, including the Board of Supervisors moment at the 1-hour, 41-minute mark.

No local agency should investigate itself. No county should decide whether its own employees acted improperly. No system should be allowed to review its own conduct while Malaika and Xayah continue paying the price.

This case deserves independent scrutiny. That review should examine retaliation following our public advocacy, the accuracy of case records, whether evidence favorable to the family was fully presented, the handling of witness testimony, the decisions surrounding placement with approved family members, the use and waste of public funds throughout this case, and whether the actions taken against this family complied with the law and the constitutional rights of Malaika, Xayah, and their family.

You are one of the highest-profile elected officials in this region. While the County operates separately from the City, your voice carries weight. I am asking you not to ignore what has happened and continues happening to Malaika and Xayah.

Use your office to call for transparency, demand accountability, support an independent federal investigation conducted outside San Diego County and outside California, and ensure that every record connected to this case is preserved. Demand answers, demand oversight, and demand that the truth be examined by people who have no connection to the institutions whose actions are being questioned.

My family is not going away. We will continue writing, documenting, speaking publicly, and contacting journalists, filmmakers, legislators, investigators, advocates, and federal officials. We will continue fighting for Malaika and Xayah because they are our family, and they have a family that is still here, still waiting, still willing, and still ready to bring them home.

One member of this family already did go away. Malaika and Xayah's 88-year-old great-grandmother died during this ordeal without ever being allowed to welcome them into her home, where I cared for her as her caregiver, conservator, and trustee. That loss can never be repaired.

This is a grave disregard for human life, human dignity, childhood, and family. Government power and taxpayer money should never be used to destroy family bonds, silence public criticism, or prolong the suffering of children while officials with the authority to intervene remain silent.

Every day that passes without accountability is another day Malaika and Xayah lose irreplaceable memories, family bonds, and childhood experiences they should be sharing with the people who love them. The damage does not pause while public officials remain silent.

This letter will be published online so the public can see exactly what was reported, what was requested, and who was asked to act.

July 29, 2026

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ricky G. Robinson". The signature is written over a horizontal line.

Ricky G. Robinson

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First, San Diego County's child-welfare fraud and foster-prison machine kidnapped Malaika and Xayah. Then it came after her twins. How many Robinson children does this machine believe it is entitled to target before it finally leaves this family alone?
"Anyone who kidnaps someone is to be put to death, whether the victim has been sold or is still in the kidnapper's possession." — Exodus 21:16

