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Carol [Wood?],

I am against the proposed ordinance that requires contractors bidding on projects for the City of Lansing to pay the "prevailing wage." These contracts should go to the lowest bidder, regardless of what they pay their employees or where they are from. I'd like to see local contractors get the jobs, but only if they win them without any artificial advantage. Paying any more than necessary for these projects is throwing away taxpayer money to support unions.

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