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Roger Goodell

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Manhattan, New York, 10154 NFL commissioner

Dear Mr. Goodell,

I wanted to write to you about the topic of concussions in sports, especially in your league. I want to express my thoughts about updating your safety protocol to ensure that players can play the game they love without fear of suffering for it later in their life. They must constantly think about playing smart when they should be able to have fully protective gear, in order to go all out on the field.

The idea of taking away the players' worries will make the game more enjoyable for the fans because they will get to see more action on the field. This will bring in more revenue and better tv ratings.

I love the way you are constantly looking for ways to make the game safer and truly support you as commissioner, but I want to help you do more. I hope that we can find a way to make a safer environment and improve the game for the better.

Some may believe that football can stay the way it is by just educating players (Miller, Collins, Rice). I hope that we can work together to disprove this theory

and say that more should be done to ensure that players are protected while playing the game they truly love.

Retired NFL players have developed health problems long after they finish up their careers that coincide with the league's failure to prevent head trauma and other neurological injuries. C.T.E has been a major problem within the NFL retiree community (Walter). A notable former NFL player, Demaryius Thomas, who you are familiar with, passed away from a seizure related to C.T.E (Wilson).

Feel free to reach out to me whenever you are ready to work with me to protect these young players.

Sincerely, A true friend, Anthony Hanley

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