



# THE MAYOR & THE MANAGER

Mend It or End It

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Can a less than ideal

Mayor-Manager relationship

be mended ...

or does it need to end?







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Starts with you,  
ends with you.



**Brown Cow**

# EFFECTIVE MAYOR- MANAGER RELATIONSHIPS

# TOP 10

- #1 CLEAR EXPECTATIONS
- #2 NEVER-ENDING COMMUNICATION
- #3 MISTAKES WILL HAPPEN
- #4 MUTUAL TRUST
- #5 BE NICE
- #6 PERSPECTIVE ISN'T REALITY
- #7 MAKE TIME TO DEVELOP RELATIONSHIPS
- #8 NO SURPRISES
- #9 ONLY THREE TRUE JOB INTERVIEW QUESTIONS
- #10 UNDERSTAND YOUR ALTERNATIVES



Self-control is strength.  
Calmness is mastery.

You have to get to a point where your mood doesn't shift based on the insignificant actions of someone else.

Don't allow others to control the direction of your life.

Don't allow your emotions to overpower your intelligence.



# THANK YOU

Enjoy your day!

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