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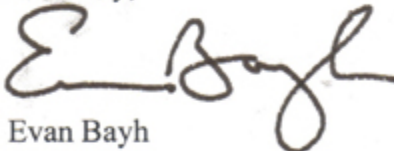
Dear Mr. Campbell:

I am writing in support of Workforce Inc. and their nonprofit Social Enterprise model, the "Indianapolis Transitional Jobs Project, Remaking Our Resources," as a candidate for Job Opportunities for Low Income Individuals (JOLI).

JOLI seeks to create job opportunities and non-traditional employment initiatives that lead to economic self-sufficiency, which is the same goal Workforce Inc. has in mind with their new project. This enterprise will create transitional job opportunities for at-risk workers with a particular emphasis on formerly incarcerated parents. By participating in training, housing, and rehabilitation services, persons enrolled will become experienced workers from target neighborhoods who meet the needs of local employers. This program, sponsored by the City of Indianapolis, was selected by the National League of Cities to receive technical assistance and access to experts. This assistance, coupled with JOLI's support, will allow Workforce Inc. to realize their goal of creating job opportunities, a goal I believe is vitally important to Indiana.

I want to be helpful to Workforce Inc. as they seek to create job opportunities for at-risk workers, and I would appreciate your support. Also, I would appreciate any response addressed to me at 1650 Market Tower, 10 West Market Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204. If you have any questions concerning my support, please feel free to contact my Regional Director, Doran Moreland, at (317) 554-0750.

Sincerely,



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CC: Mr. Gregg Keesling
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