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Date: 2-6-18

To: The City of Gillette, Office of Planning

RE: Letter of Support

Dear Sir(s)/Madam(s):

We recently were made aware of proposed plans to bring a residential substance abuse facility to Gillette. We strongly support this as it is a crucial resource lacking completely in our community, and lacking statewide in terms of available beds versus clients needing access to such. There is a great need for residential treatment, as it is the first step for many on their path to recovery. Allowing such a facility to be built in Gillette would remove a major barrier to people in our community seeking help. This would be excellent for the addicted individual, their families, and the community at large, as it saves money in both medical and law enforcement costs. We believe it will be a huge investment in our community, and will reap great dividends.

Should you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me at 686-1189.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Marty Huckins, MS MAC LAT-371, Program Director

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