



March 21, 2019

Katie Ottinger
Community Investment & Grants Officer
Hancock County Community Foundation, Inc.
312 E. Main Street
Greenfield, IN 46140

RE: Board President Authorization

Dear Ms. Ottinger:

The towns of Cumberland, McCordsville, & New Palestine are applying for a capital improvement grant to install wayfinding signage along the Mt. Comfort Corridor. Wayfinding signage is part of a larger signage and branding plan that includes gateway signage, branded street signs, and wayfinding signs. Our towns have been working together to promote the corridor for a few years and we are pleased to collaborate on this grant application. Corridor signage came up in our stellar projects and again during the Urban Land Institute visit. We believe the signage will add needed identity to the corridor, create a welcome gateway to Hancock County, and begin to visually connect our communities.

Please accept this letter as my authorization under the terms and conditions for submitting the grant.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas R. Strayer". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Thomas R. Strayer
Town Council President