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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Lee P. Brown, Mayor

October 5, 2000

Mr. Ernest McMillan
Executive Director
Fifth Ward Enrichment Program
4014 Market Street, #105
Houston, Texas 77020

Dear Mr. McMillan:

I am pleased to support the work of the Fifth Ward Enrichment Program's Adolescent Life Project and Young Fathers in Families Project. The two initiatives are an important means for improving knowledge and impacting the behaviors of a seemingly intractable population.

Your work in the Houston community to strengthen family cohesion and empower our youth has been outstanding. I am confident that the after-school Adolescent Life Project and the Young Fathers in Families Project will be as successful as other community projects that you have implemented.

I look forward to working with you to make Houston a better place to live and raise a family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lee P. Brown", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Lee P. Brown
Mayor

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