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Attn: Patrick S. Hosty, Executive Director

999 McClintock Drive Ste. 302

Burr Ridge, IL 60527

Dear Director Hosty:

Please accept this letter as my endorsement of the "Responsible Bidder Ordinance" as it pertains to all public bodies located in the 86<sup>th</sup> Legislative District.

I encourage those entities within my district that have not passed a "Responsible Bidder Ordinance" to do so. Protecting the constituents in the 86<sup>th</sup> district is what passage of this ordinance would do. All public bodies know the importance of awarding bids to contractors that are highly trained; safety oriented, and know the compliance of Illinois contracting laws.

Additionally, this ordinance creates a fair and level bidding environment for all contractors. I cannot stress enough the importance of all public entities within District 86 to pass a "Responsible Bidder Ordinance". Together, we can ensure that our citizens have the best trained workers and the jobs performed are with safety in mind.

If you need any further assistance, please don't hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

State Representative

Jack McGuire

Assistant Majority Leader

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cc: Scott Pavlis

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