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Dear Village Board Members:

I am writing to express my support for a comprehensive Responsible Bidder Ordinance for all public construction contracts issued by your municipality.

A responsible bidder ordinance will ensure the taxpayers of your municipality are protected by a uniform set of guidelines to which all contractors must adhere. Your constituents deserve to have their hard earned money spent on the best quality work.. I believe that a responsible bidder ordinance will help guarantee that the best possible candidates receive contracts with your municipality, and that those candidates bring well-trained, professional employees to the job site.

The Illinois General Assembly recently passed Public Act 93-0642 ensuring that state contractors adhere to a set of accountability measures for state construction projects. I hope you will approve a similar measure for projects under your jurisdiction.

Thank you in advance for consideration. Please feel free to contact me at (630) 264-6855 if you have any questions, concerns or comments about this important matter.

Sincerely,

Linda Chapa LaVia

State Representative - 83rd District