



March 5, 2015

Shelley Lopez
Executive Director
Nehemiah Foundation
616 N. Limestone Street
Springfield, Ohio 45503

Dear Ms. Lopez:

I am writing to lend my support to your application for a Community Connectors Grant. Clark Shawnee Local School District is a member of the CareerConnectED Consortium and as such our sixth through twelfth graders will benefit from the mentoring and career pathway support this grant would provide. As a smaller district with constrained financial resources, we find this collaboration beneficial to our staff and students. Our district's free and reduced rate exceeds 40% and thus our students are within the parameters this grant is designed to serve.

We commend Nehemiah Foundation for taking the leadership in this opportunity and wish you best of luck with the application. We look forward to working together if it is awarded.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gregg E. Morris', written in a cursive style.

Gregg E. Morris
Superintendent
Clark Shawnee Local School District