Dear Dr. Quattrochi:

I am writing this letter to express my full support for the Providing Opportunities with Expected Results (POWER) initiative, which is applying for an Ohio Department of Education Straight A Fund grant. POWER is a partnership of Carrollton Exempted Village School District, postsecondary, and business community partners dedicated to improving opportunities for students and community members.

The Carroll County community and Carrollton schools in particular are showing vision in creating learning opportunities in the energy production fields as well as cutting operating costs of the district and county governments by seeking to move the district fleet from traditional fuels to compressed natural gas (CNG).

By moving to CNG the district can expect to cut its fleet operating costs by 2/3, thereby having more revenue to place into educational programs. Since CNG burns cleaner the district will also have reduced maintenance costs and decrease the air pollution, as it moves its fleet to CNG.

CNG Consultants has 20 years combined experience in the fueling of transportation with natural gas.

Sincerely,

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