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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing on behalf of the Greater Albion Chamber of Commerce & Visitors Bureau (GACC) in full support of the Marshall Megasite project due to this unique economic opportunity for job creation and investment within the Marshall community, region and beyond. The GACC recognizes that a new major manufacturing development will have the following benefits:

- Stimulate massive economic growth in our region by providing high-quality, good paying jobs with fringe benefits for thousands, boosting property values, and generating new tax revenues.
- For every new job created in this development, at least two to three additional jobs are created in the supply chain as a result of the spin-off impacts of the investment. These jobs are not replacing other jobs in Michigan's economy but are net new jobs to the region.
- Studies of similar investments in Michigan and other states have shown that these megasite development opportunities generate billions of dollars of new personal income from the direct, indirect, and induced jobs being created over a 20-year timeframe.
- The new personal incomes generated will drive a new economic engine for our community that will pump millions of dollars into local small businesses like restaurants, grocery stores, hardware stores, shops and other small businesses.

The GACC works to bring individuals into our community as well as engage our current residents and business owners. Albion, Michigan is a source of scenic natural beauty where the rich, diverse history of the past meets the dynamic, vibrant growth of the future. Albion is a friendly place of shared memories where people come together to live, work and play. The GACC is the local voice for and of businesses. It exists to develop and express business opinion and to promote the best interests of the community along civic, commercial, industrial and professional lines. It facilitates the growth of existing businesses and fosters new ones.

If you have any questions, please contact me or the GACC's Board of Directors at 517.629.5533.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Billy Beers', written over a white background.

Billy Beers

President | CEO

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