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C/O Pham Chopra
Shenandoah Wellness Park
Blue Ridge Projects
P. O. Box 145
Elkton, VA 22827

Dear Mr. Chopra:

On behalf of myself and the Town of Shenandoah, we are excited about the prospect of the Shenandoah Wellness Park (Blue Ridge Projects) planned for Elkton, Virginia. The Town of Shenandoah has a long history of honoring and supporting Veterans of the United States Military, with 20 consecutive years of a Memorial Service and a Patriotic Festival and Parade each year on the weekend prior to Memorial Day as one example. Our Town has a beautiful Veterans Park, holds Veterans Services and other events to help support Veterans, and we have a museum at Town Hall containing a lot of military uniforms and other military related items on display for the public's knowledge of some of our military history. Your planned wellness facility for Veterans, who sacrificed so much for us, is needed to assist them with returning to a civilian life and recover from the affects of their service to our country. We support all assistance to Veterans and believe this facility, as presented in the plans, will be very successful for the Veterans, their families, and our country as a whole. Our true American Heroes, our Veterans, deserve all the assistance that can be made available.

Since our community is in very close proximity to the Town of Elkton and this planned development, we feel the economic impacts will be very positive on the Town of Shenandoah. We believe the visitors to the planned facility will likely venture out to our Town and utilize parks and recreational activities at the Town of Shenandoah River Park and Landing, Shenandoah's Big Gem Park, trails and recreational events held here in Town throughout the year too. We also believe there is the good possibility visitors will want to patronize our Shenandoah Town restaurants featuring Tropical, Italian, and Country Cuisine. With Lydia Mountain now having a lodging facility in our Town, along with the 25+ cabins and other lodging options available in or near the Town of Shenandoah, we feel tourists from the planned facility will likely utilize these lodging options as well. Whenever you have space available, the Town of Shenandoah would like to place our Town maps and brochures in a position where your visitors will be able to find more information that is only 10 minutes away from your facilities.

Please let me know if you ever have questions or need additional information for the Town of Shenandoah.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Clinton O. Lucas, Jr.".

Clinton O. Lucas, Jr., Mayor