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To Whom it May Concern,

Please consider this a letter of support for Patrick Reynolds and the Foundation for a Smokefree America. Mr. Reynolds has worked tirelessly in the tobacco prevention field since 1986.

As Manager of the Michigan Tobacco Control Program, I strongly support The Foundation for a Smokefree America, and the important work of the Foundation to create a smoke-free society.

Mr. Reynolds has shown his commitment to tobacco control by speaking out against the marketing of death by the tobacco companies and encouraging children to remain tobacco-free.

I support The Foundation for a Smokefree America's effort to provide school-based programs to educate children through smoking prevention activities and educational materials, and to create a stronger network of school programs.

I hope you will seriously consider his application for funding. Please don't hesitate to contact me at (517) 335-8381 if I can be of assistance to you in this matter.

Sincerely,

Mikelle Robinson, M.A.

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Manager

Michigan Tobacco Control Program