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Dear Mayor Magee,

I am the Director for the Laurel High School Career and Technical Center. Our center has been very active this year. This year we have committed to being involved with community projects that inspire our children to give back.

We hosted our second annual KID Connection Day. 2nd – 5th grade students were able to choose two programs to participate in. Health Science, Marketing, Construction/Welding, and Culinary Arts were the programs involved. Students were able to learn different skills from each program and work on a handson project to take home. The event was a success. We also had students who won 1st and 2nd place at our state FCCLA competition and will compete in the national competition this summer. Fifteen students became ServSafe Food Managers (certification for food industry). These students can be hired above minimum wage pay because of this certification.

This is year we would like to help co-host an Awareness Luncheon with the help of South Central Regional Medical Center. The purpose of this luncheon is to bring awareness to major health issues that affect our local community. South Central Regional Medical Center will provide a panel of guest speakers that will address the major questions people have concerning health issues such as Heart Disease, Diabetes, Cancer, and Mental Health. The students at the Career and Technical Center will also help promote awareness with different topics in the form of informational booths. Just a few topics include Childhood Cancer, Hunger Awareness, and Literacy.

We are seeking co-sponsors for this event and are asking the City of Laurel to be a co-sponsor. We are asking the city to help co-sponsor this event in the amount of \$1,000.00. The City of Laurel will be acknowledged in all our literature, signage and other correspondence.

This event is scheduled for April 5, 2018, at South Central Place. Thank you for all that you have done to help the students of Laurel High School and Laurel Career and Technical Center. We truly appreciate you and your dedication to making us successful.

Sincerely,

Ryakko Pribe, Ed. S. CTC Director

EXHIBIT A