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Commissioner Ford,

On behalf of United Way of the Bluegrass (UWBG) and its Board of Directors I would like to affirm that UWBG intends to lease Room 104 in the Black & Williams Neighborhood Center for the purpose of establishing a WayPoint Center beginning January, 2021.

The WayPoint Center at Black and Williams will ensure that one of Lexington's most underserved neighborhoods has a multi-purpose facility where families are easily able to access the resources they need to thrive. The Center will provide on-site access to an ecosystem of programs – prominently centered around family financial empowerment, but including childcare, K-12 mentoring/tutoring, and basic needs – meant to holistically address the multifaceted needs of families. Please see the enclosed document for a brief overview of the UWBG WayPoint Initiative, and how the Centers will be specifically designed to maximize positive impact on the communities in which they operate.

UWBG agrees to lease Room 104 at 498 Georgetown St, Lexington, KY for \$ 4,800 per **Year** upon commencement of the lease.

Thank you for your consideration and we look forward to the launch of the WayPoint Center in the Black & Williams Neighborhood Center.

Sincerely,



Timothy Johnson
President and Chief Executive Officer