

John Johnson  
Executive Director  
Opening Doors NWFL  
1020 North New Warrington Rd  
Pensacola, FL 32506

Dear Mr. Johnson:

As you know, our local government has a strong interest in finding solutions to homelessness in our community. To that end, last May we invited Dr. Joseph Savage to address our local government, citizens and over 100 local providers and our Continuum of Care ("COC") to help us better understand the new ALL-IN strategic plan and how we can set up the best possible COC governance model as well as implement effective homeless reduction strategies in our community. We were encouraged to hear your openness for change to ensure community success.

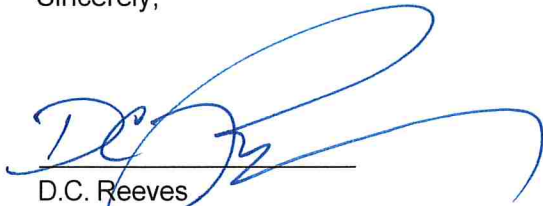
We are excited to hear that Opening Doors has requested the technical assistance that Dr. Savage suggested to help facilitate a separate COC governance board that will oversee the strategic plan for our area. We understand that a committee is being formed to create the governance structure for this new Board. We have a strong interest in ensuring broad community input into the governance charter and would like to provide you with some suggested representatives to serve on the Committee. Our list includes strong community partners that our COC and local government will need to work with to effectuate real change on these issues for our community.

Chandra Smiley, CEO of Community Health of Northwest FL (FQHC)  
Ronald Rivera, Community Relations, Neighborhood Specialist, Escambia County Sheriff's office  
(also formerly homeless)  
Jen Grove (or her representative), Community Engagement Baptist Hospital  
Allison Patton, District 6 City Council member  
Travis Tompkins, Escambia County Emergency Manager  
Jules Kariher, Chief Advocacy Officer Sacred Heart Hospital  
Rocky Harrison, President, 90 Works (VA provider)  
Lindsey Cannon, Executive Director Children's Home Society  
Rachelle Burns, Director, TRIO-Student Support Services/Crisis Referral at Pensacola State  
College  
Cathy White, Director of Case Management, First Judicial Circuit Court Administration  
Kasey Watson, Court Administrator, First Judicial Circuit Court Administration  
Connie Bookman, Co-Chair of the Northwest Florida Homeless Reduction Task Force  
Tracy Hodson, Executive Director, Favor House (Domestic Violence)

These individuals represent leaders and organizations who serve the needs of our homeless and we hope that they are included in the discussion as you assist Opening Doors and the community to create a new governance model for our COC.

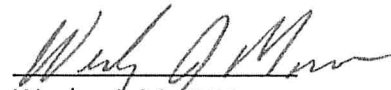
We stand ready and willing to help with this process. Please keep us updated as you work with the HUD facilitator to establish this Committee and begin the process of planning for our community's future.

Sincerely,



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D.C. Reeves  
Mayor, City of Pensacola



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Wesley J. Moreno  
County Administrator