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Letter in Support of District 5 Local Merchants Accompanying Youth

December 15, 2014

To: District 5 Local Merchants and Businesses

Dear Professional and Business Leader,

We hope this letter finds you well. We are the San Francisco Youth Commission, a group of young people between the ages of 12-23 appointed by the Mayor and Board of Supervisors to advise them on local policies and programs related to youth. We write to commend your service to the community and humbly encourage you to participate in a local workforce initiative to empower the youth of District 5.

The youth of our city, and especially the District 5 community, are eager to gain meaningful experiences and relationships. Some young people have a curiosity to learn about the path you took to being a local business leader. Others are interested in learning about the expectations employers have of employees at the workplace, what it means to develop a professional work ethic and demeanor, or how to market their capacities when applying to their first job. We are grateful and applaud your willingness to collaborate with Mo'MAGIC to offer guidance, mentorship, and/or internship opportunities to the neighborhood's youth.

Please inform staff at Mo'Magic if you are able to support this neighborhood initiative in some way (Donna Williams; donna@collectiveimpact.org). It is encouraging for us to see District 5 local business leaders demonstrate the passion and desire to help develop the community's young people.

Sincerely,

Chair, Michel Li
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