

To Whom It May Concern:

I have reviewed the proposed Opportunity Village development and am pleased to offer my support of Betty's Village as a community based residential setting for people with disabilities. The residents of Betty's Village will engage in an active life, be integrated in society, have support of individual choice, and be encouraged to foster independence to the highest degree possible.

A community center will provide individuals with daily opportunities to socialize, make new friends, participate with others through playing video games, classes (exercise, dance, etc.), and just "hang out". The general public will be welcomed at the village to interact and participate in activities with individuals and make friendships.

Meals will be prepared in each home and be served family style.

Individual initiative, autonomy, and independence in making life choices is strongly encouraged and supported.

Encouraging interaction, independence, and self-determination is the key to a full and fulfilling life. Betty's Village includes the many components needed to encourage greater independence and self-direction while ensuring the appropriate supports are available. I am in support of the project.

Sincerely,

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