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RAY CARROLL
COUNTY SUPERVISOR
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July 15, 2009

To Whom It May Concern:

I am sending this letter in support of the United Community Health Center and their efforts to expand services from their Continental Campus location.

For three decades, United Community Health Center has been a reliable resource to the people of my district as a federally qualified health center. As they have evolved, the support for the Center from the people they serve has been consistent and enthusiastic. Their projects are well thought out and they have a proven track record of applying grant and donation funds in a way that maximizes their impact for the benefit of the people they serve.

In addition to their daytime primary care activities, United Community Health Center is the only local source for after-hours and Saturday clinical support. They also serve as the prime organization for emergency preparedness activities in southern Pima County. I know personally and have been greatly impressed by the strong commitment of the Center's staff to the betterment of my constituents' conditions, and truly appreciate their efforts.

I know that the United Community Health Center expansion is a very important community project and worthy of assistance, and I would encourage others to support their grant application as well.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ray Carroll".

Ray Carroll
Pima County Supervisor, District 4
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July 20, 2009

RE: Letter of Support for the United Community Health Center

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to express our support of United Community Health Center's expansion plans which include a new facility to be located at their Continental Campus adjacent to the Continental Family Medical Center. This will allow the center to centralize its operations which are currently spread out in various leased locations.

These plans will enable the center to use their resources more efficiently and provide clinical service in a more comprehensive manner.

United Community Health Center has been a trusted and valued source of healthcare to our community for early thirty years. Without them our neighbors, especially those who are without insurance or the financial resources to access care, would not have received healthcare in their home area.

We thank United Community Health Center for their consistent healthcare delivery support and leadership role in emergency preparedness for our community.

Sincerely,



Lynne Skelton
Mayor, Town of Sahuarita



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July 21, 2009

To Whom It May Concern:

I am sending this letter to show my support for United Community Health Center and their project to expand services from their Continental Campus location.

United Community Health Center is an organization that is willing to work collaboratively for the good of the community not just for the good of United Community Health Center. We share a community base and together help to make the lives of our neighbors better.

The expansion project for which this letter is provided will allow United Community Health Center to make more space available for other organizations (such as WIC, DES, GVAS) to bring their services directly to people, when they are most in need of this support. This collaborative approach will enhance the delivery of services to those who need this support the most and to do so in a timely and efficient way.

As a non-profit, we understand the importance of providing resources, information and services to low income households as well as support services to frail elderly, and disabled residents. Getting individuals to their doctor and obtaining preventive wellness services is the first step in planning for a person's longevity. United Community Health Center is a leader in our community in this regard. The second step is identifying programs, services and financial stability workshops to families and seniors living below the poverty level who have no back-up funds to support themselves in times of crisis. By having social services along with health care services under one roof can begin to provide an integrated support system so that families and seniors are not lost in a complicated, fragmented system. Together, we can strengthen families and seniors by empowering, educating and connecting them to programs that develop their resiliency and independence.

We support United Community Health Center in their Continental Campus Expansion Project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Christine Kang".

Christine Kang,
Executive Director

Green Valley Assistance Services, Inc. (GVAS)