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To Whom it May Concern:

The Downtown Hampton Development Partnership is very excited to see progress being made with the Armory building. We've recently had Randy Thomas from Spacemakers present the overview of the project to our Board of Directors and they were overwhelmingly happy with the plan. Our organization has voted to support the project as it proceeds through committees and council for rezoning efforts and permitting.

The Downtown Hampton Development Partnership understands that having more destinations for food, nightlife, and entertainment is essential to driving more activity and investment to Downtown. This property is in a key location that serves as a gateway to our downtown, and a connection to Langley Air Force Base. Having this private investment into the property is exactly the steps needed toward showing Hampton is serious about supporting new development and business while trying to clean up blighted property.

Please let me know if our organization can be of any help during this process.

Thank you,

Jimmy Cerracchio
Executive Director