June 21, 2001

Mr. Tom Hunter Executive Director Appalachian Regional Commission 1666 Connecticut Avenue Northwest Washington, D.C. 20009-1068

Dear Mr. Hunter:

Please find enclosed a request for funds from the City of Tupelo in the amount of \$11,700.00 to develop a web site to reach out to young minority professionals and workers regarding job opportunities in Northeast Mississippi. This activity was identified in our Fiscal Year 2000 Mississippi Technical Assistance Grant under Strategic Planning and Implementation of a Regional Technology Environment throughout Appalachian Mississippi. This project is consistent with Goal 2, State Objective 2, and Strategy 2.2.2.

Thank you for your continued support on our Mississippi projects. If we may be of further assistance, please contact our office.

Very truly yours,

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