August 2, 2001

Mr. George E. Killinger Director of Operations Adult Secure Institutions Cornell Companies 1700 West Loop South, Suite 1500 Houston, Texas 77027

Dear Mr. Killinger:

I am writing to express my support for the federal prison that is being considered for Pike County.

The opportunities and positive effects that would be provided by this venture are numerous and I urge you to consider Pike County as a potential location for this facility.

Thank you for your time and consideration. I will be happy to meet with you at your convenience to discuss this matter. Please do not hesitate to call if I may be of assistance.

Very truly yours,

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