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Deputy Assistant Secretary for Economic Development
U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
451 7th Street SW, Room 7136
Washington, DC 20410

To Whom It May Concern:

I am contacting you to express my support for the application of a Promise Zone Initiative designation by Northern Transformation, Michigan Works!

This designation would be a tremendous benefit to the communities of Northern Michigan and the economic future of this region. The key to building upon this already established asset is to identify new opportunities that promote growth and improve the quality of life. This application is a great example of local partners working together for the future of Northern Michigan.

Northern Transformation is committed to promoting community revitalization. I hope you will give their application strong consideration. If you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 517-373-1777 or senmgreen@senate.michigan.gov.

Sincerely,


Senator Mike Green
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