



MIKE CANTRELL
Dallas County Commissioner District 2

October 14, 2005

To Whom It May Concern:

Please accept this letter as an expression of my support for Dallas Challenge, Inc. and their mission. Dallas Challenge serves our community with professionalism, compassion, and sincerity. Dallas County and Dallas Challenge have had a public/private partnership to serve our youth for ten plus years.

Dallas Challenge has built its reputation on integrity and honesty, and has earned the respect of many in our community. Their organization deals with children and families who are generally in a crisis situation, and yet their success rate is incredibly high. Our partnership with Dallas Challenge is critical and cost effective and I encourage thoughtful consideration of Dallas Challenge, Inc. as a part of your strategy in dealing effectively with the youth and families of your community.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Cantrell", written over a horizontal line.

Mike Cantrell

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