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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to offer the Brookline Housing Authority's wholehearted support for Bountiful Brookline's capacity building funding request to Brookline Community Foundation. We are so thankful to Bountiful Brookline for their diligent efforts to foster the High Street Veterans Community Garden and the new garden at Sussman House being constructed through Teens Grow Food. Their ability to engage youth in matters of healthy living, leadership, community activism, urban agriculture and climate change is an exciting program. We look forward to developing our involvement with this program in the future.

We believe there are many opportunities upon which to build our partnership. Their support of our residents in creative and thoughtful ways has been key to the success of the gardens. We are thrilled with their programs and the increasing level of resident interest and participation.

We look forward to seeing this unique community building effort expand.

Sincerely,

Matthew S. Baronas
Assistant Executive Director